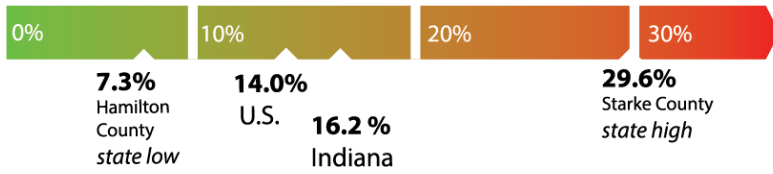


The state of tobacco control in Newton County

There is no tobacco control grant in Newton County for 2023-2025.

Tobacco and Health in Newton County

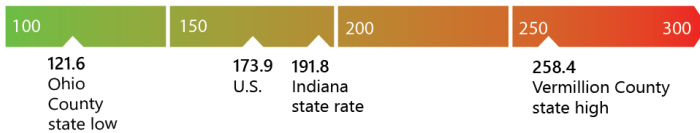
 **Percent of adults who smoke** **20.0%**



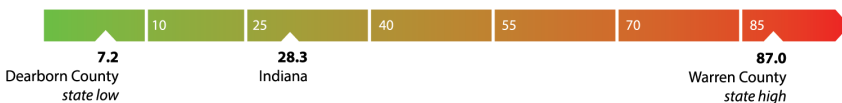
 **Lung cancer deaths** **52.9**
per 100,000 residents



 **Heart disease deaths** **184.8**
per 100,000 residents



 **Asthma related emergency room visits** **18.1**
per 10,000 residents



Total Population
13,830

White: 12,322
Black: 43
Hispanic: 1,039
Asian: 38
Other*: 512



Smoking and Pregnancy

Births affected by smoking **23**
low birth weight, SIDS, reduced lung function

Percent of pregnant women who smoke:
Indiana: **6.6%**
Newton County: **13.6%**



Smoking deaths

Deaths attributable to smoking **23**

Deaths due to secondhand smoke **4**



Smoking related illness **679**



\$6.1 billion
Economic cost in Indiana due to smoking

\$903 per Indiana household

State and federal tax burden from smoking-caused government expenditures

*Asian, Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander, American Indians, and those identifying as multiple races. These racial groups are combined due to being underrepresented in Indiana.