

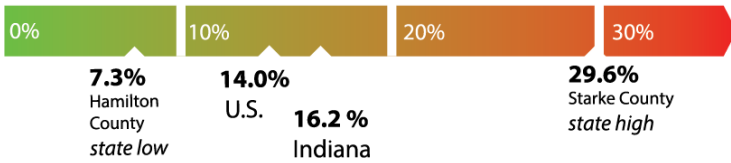
The state of tobacco control in Wabash County

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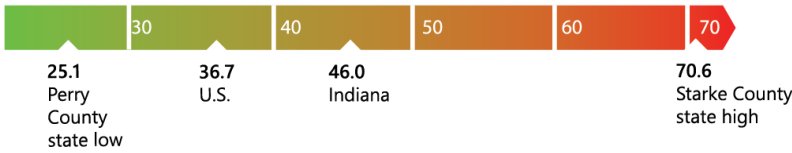
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Tobacco and Health in Wabash County

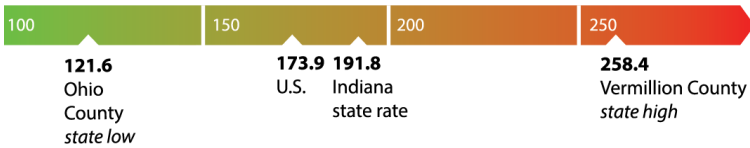
 **Percent of adults who smoke** **23.1%**



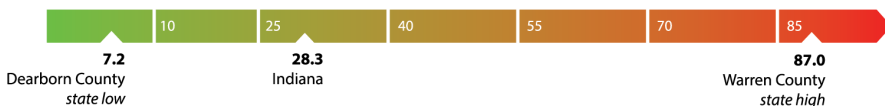
 **Lung cancer deaths** **45.4**
per 100,000 residents



 **Heart disease deaths** **186.5**
per 100,000 residents



 **Asthma related emergency room visits** **15.3**
per 10,000 residents



Total Population
30,976

White: 28,937
Black: 160
Hispanic: 897
Asian: 161
Other*: 387



Smoking and Pregnancy

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

Percent of pregnant women who smoke:

Indiana: **6.6%**
Wabash County: **6.8%**



Smoking deaths

Deaths attributable to smoking

51

Deaths due to secondhand smoke

8



Smoking related illness

1,520

Tobacco Control Funding

\$120,000

Funding in Wabash County
for July 2023-June 2025



\$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.

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