

The state of tobacco control Newton County

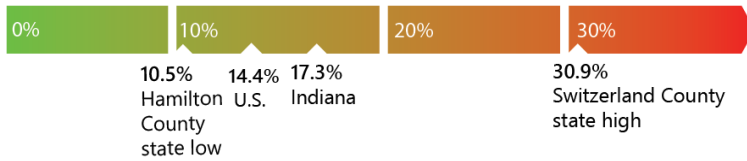
There is no tobacco control grant in Newton County for 2023-2025.

Tobacco and Health in



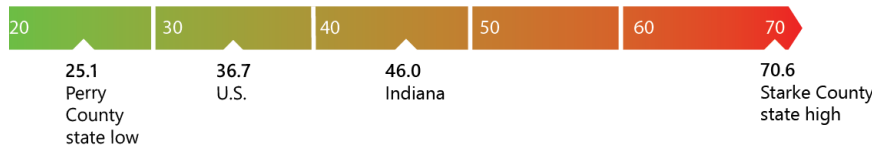
Percent of adults who smoke

25.6%



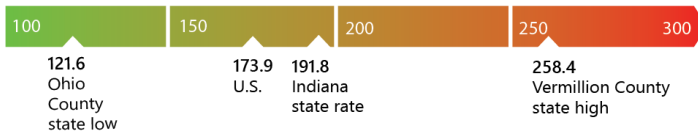
Lung cancer deaths
per 100,000 residents

52.9



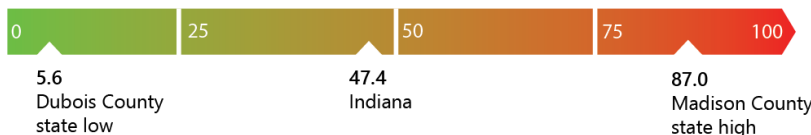
Heart disease deaths
per 100,000 residents

184.8



Asthma related emergency room visits
per 10,000 residents

31.1



Total Population

13,830

White: 12322
Black: 43
Hispanic: 1039
Asian: 38
Other*: 512



Smoking and Pregnancy

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

31

Percent of pregnant women
who smoke:

Indiana: **9.8%**

Newton County: **20.3%**



Smoking deaths

Deaths attributable to smoking

23

Deaths due to secondhand smoke

4

Economic burden of secondhand
smoke: **\$4.5 Million**



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.