

# The state of tobacco control Sullivan County

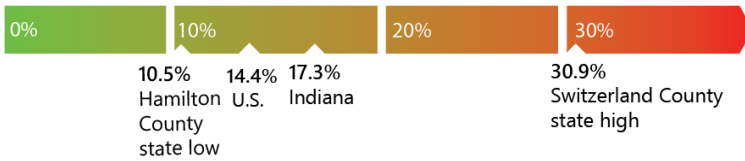
There is no tobacco control grant in Sullivan County for 2023-2025.

## Tobacco and Health in



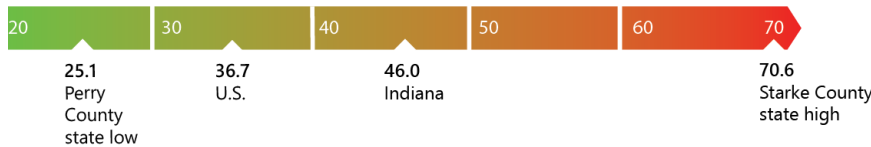
Percent of adults who smoke

**24.0%**



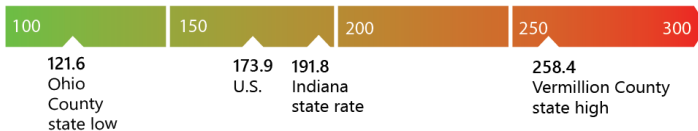
Lung cancer deaths  
per 100,000 residents

**63.4**



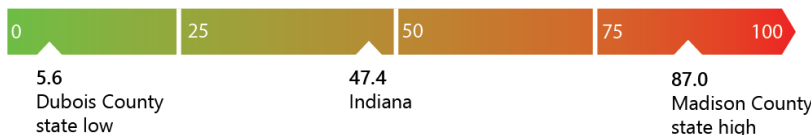
Heart disease deaths  
per 100,000 residents

**226.0**



Asthma related emergency room visits  
per 10,000 residents

**46.8**



## Total Population

**20,817**

White: 18960  
Black: 878  
Hispanic: 334  
Asian: 39  
Other\*: 169



## Smoking and Pregnancy

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

**35**

Percent of pregnant women  
who smoke:

Indiana: **9.8%**

Sullivan County: **16.7%**



## Smoking deaths

Deaths attributable to smoking

**34**

Deaths due to secondhand smoke

**5**

Economic burden of secondhand  
smoke: **\$6.7 Million**



## Smoking related illness

**1,022**



**\$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.