The state of tobacco control Vanderburgh County

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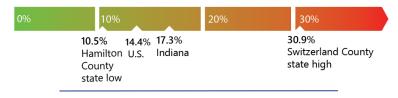
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Tobacco and Health in

288

Percent of adults who smoke

21.8%

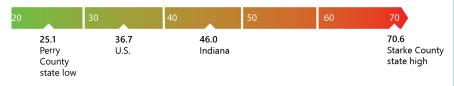




Lung cancer deaths

per 100,000 residents

49.3





Heart disease deaths

per 100,000 residents

 121.6
 173.9
 191.8
 258.4

 Ohio
 U.S.
 Indiana state rate
 Vermillion County state high



Asthma related emergency room visits

per 10,000 residents

54.9

186.2



Total Population

180,136

White: 145199 Black: 17668 Hispanic: 6313 Asian: 2438 Other*: 3515



Smoking and Pregnancy

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

270

Percent of pregnant women who smoke:

Indiana: 9.8%

Vanderburgh County: 12.7%



Smoking deaths

Deaths attributable to smoking

295

Deaths due to secondhand smoke

47

Economic burden of secondhand smoke: \$58.3 Million



Smoking related illness

8,840



\$345,000

Funding in Vanderburgh 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