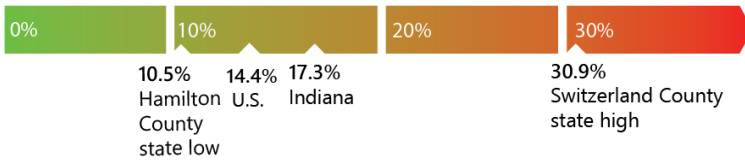


# The state of tobacco control White County

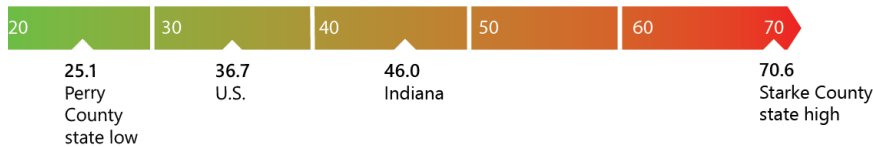
There is no tobacco control grant in White County for 2023-2025.

## Tobacco and Health in

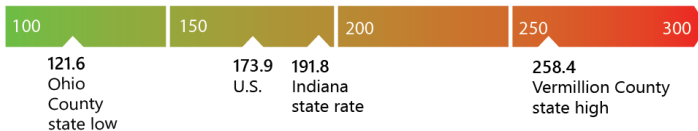
 **Percent of adults who smoke** **15.6%**



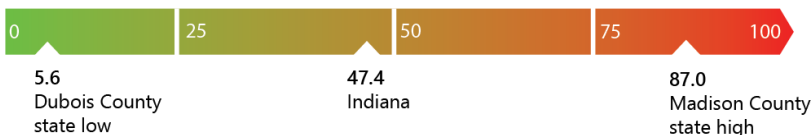
 **Lung cancer deaths** **49.4**  
per 100,000 residents



 **Heart disease deaths** **191.8**  
per 100,000 residents



 **Asthma related emergency room visits** **53.8**  
per 10,000 residents



**\$6.1 billion**  
Economic cost in Indiana due to smoking

**\$903 per Indiana household**

State and federal tax burden from smoking-caused government expenditures

**Total Population**  
**24,688**

White: 21657  
Black: 126  
Hispanic: 2453  
Asian: 98  
Other\*: 1270



## Smoking and Pregnancy

**Births affected by smoking** **37**  
*low birth weight, SIDS, reduced lung function*

Percent of pregnant women who smoke:

Indiana: **9.8%**

White County: **14.1%**



## Smoking deaths

Deaths attributable to smoking

**40**

Deaths due to secondhand smoke

**6**

Economic burden of secondhand smoke: **\$8 Million**



## Smoking related illness

**1,212**

\*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.