

The toll of tobacco in one year ¹⁻⁶



17,600

Adults who regularly smoke cigarettes

1,750

People with a serious illness caused by tobacco



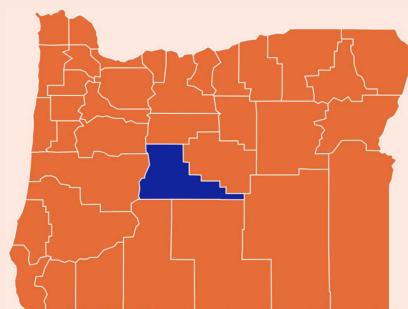
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Tobacco-related deaths



9.3 Million

spent on tobacco-related medical care



Population

Adults

169,297

Youths

38,264

Total residents

207,561

94.0 Million

in productivity losses due to premature tobacco-related deaths

Among tobacco retailers assessed in Deschutes County



1 in 2

advertised tobacco or e-cigarettes outside the store



92%

sold flavored products (menthol, candy, ect.)



32%

sold products within 12" of toys, candy, gum, slushy/soda or ice cream



5 in 7

offered price promotions/discounts



72%

advertised cigarillos for less than \$1

Components of a comprehensive tobacco prevention program



Oregon's Tobacco Prevention and Education Program (TPEP) supports local public health authorities to serve all 36 counties and nine federally recognized tribes. TPEP works to:

- Engage communities in reducing the tobacco industry's influence in retail stores
- Increase the price of tobacco
- Promote smoke-free environments
- Provide support and resources to those who want to quit
- Engage diverse populations of people in Oregon

1 Oregon Health Authority. County Combined Behavioral Risk Factors Surveillance System. 2018-2021

2 Oregon Health Authority. Economic Costs of Tobacco Use in Oregon. 2021

3 Oregon Vital Statistics. Tobacco-related death. 2021

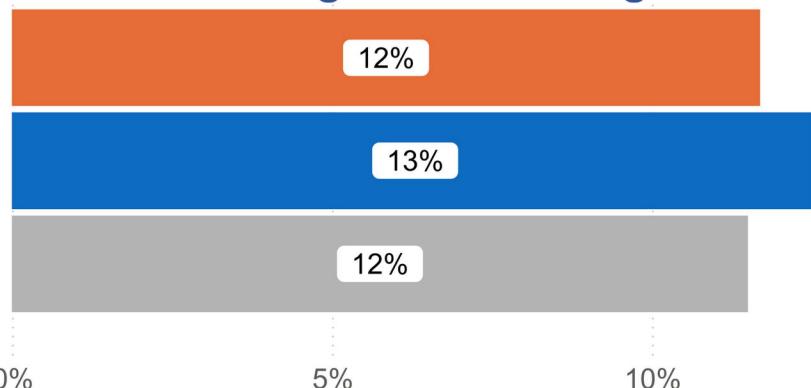
4 Portland State University. Oregon Population Estimates. 2022.

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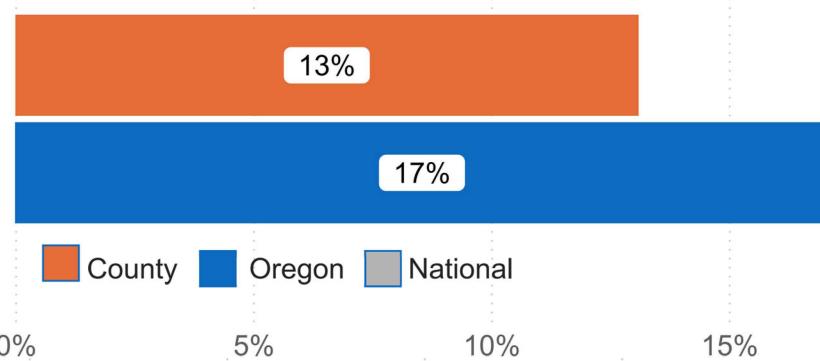
Adult cigarette smoking^{1,6,7}

Cigarette smoking among adults in Deschutes County is similar to Oregon overall and the rest of the United States.

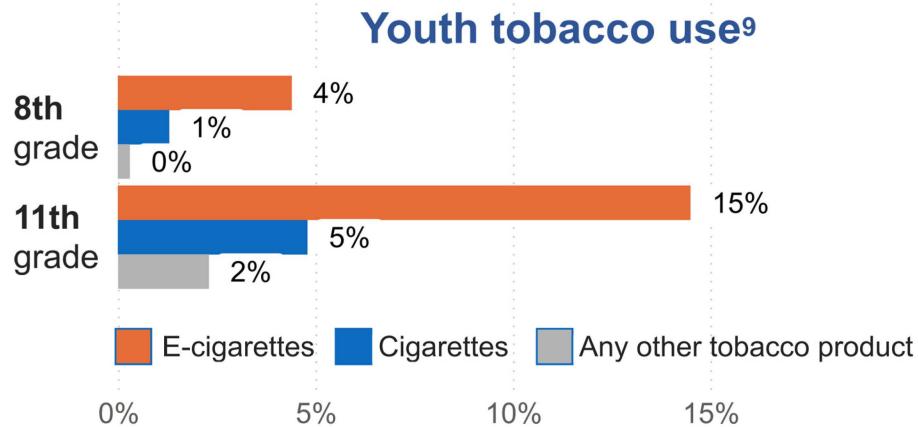


Adults exposed to secondhand smoke indoors^{1,8}

Secondhand smoke exposure for adults in Deschutes County is lower than Oregon overall.



Among 11th graders in Central Oregon region, e-cigarette use was higher than cigarette smoking in 2022.



⁷ Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. National Behavioral Risk Factors Surveillance System. 2021

The Center Oregon Region includes Crook, Deschutes and Jefferson counties.

⁸ Oregon Health Authority. Oregon Behavioral Risk Factors Surveillance System. 2016-2019

⁹ Oregon Health Authority. Oregon Student Health Survey, 2022



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