North Central Health District

Tobacco Fact Sheet, 2014

Tobacco's toll in one year

4,200

Adults who regularly smoke cigarettes

1,485

People with a serious illness caused by tobacco



76

Tobacco-related deaths



\$15.2 Million

spent on tobacco-related medical care



Population

Youths Adults 6,648 22.887

Total residents

29,535

\$12.1 Million

in productivity losses due to premature tobacco-related deaths

Among tobacco retailers assessed in North Central Health District



Nearly

advertised tobacco outside



100%

sold flavored tobacco



Nearly 8 in 10

sold tobacco at discounted prices



\$1.05

was the average price of a single, flavored little cigar



The Tobacco Industry spent \$112 million a year promoting tobacco products in Oregon stores in 2012.

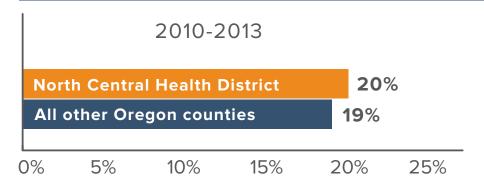
Components of a comprehensive tobacco prevention program



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 influence in retail stores
- Increase the price of tobacco
- Promote smokefree environments
- Provide support and resources to Oregon smokers who want to quit
- Engage diverse populations of Oregonians

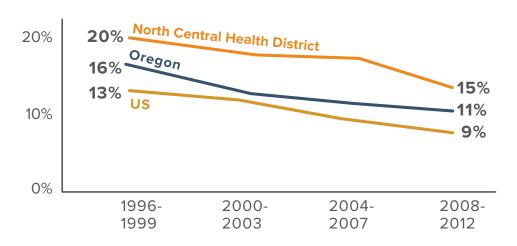
Adult cigarette smoking



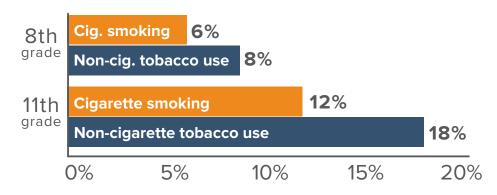
Cigarette smoking among adults in North Central Health District is similar to the rest of Oregon.

Cigarette smoking during pregnancy

Cigarette smoking among pregnant women in North Central Health District is **higher** than Oregon overall and the rest of the United States.



Youth cigarette and non-cigarette tobacco use



Among 11th graders in North Central Health District, non-cigarette tobacco product use is **about 50% higher** than cigarette smoking.

Note: non-cigarette tobacco products include: cigars, pipe tobacco, hookah tobacco, chewing tobacco, dissolvable tobacco, and electronic cigarettes.



Want to know more or have questions about the burden of tobacco in your community?

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