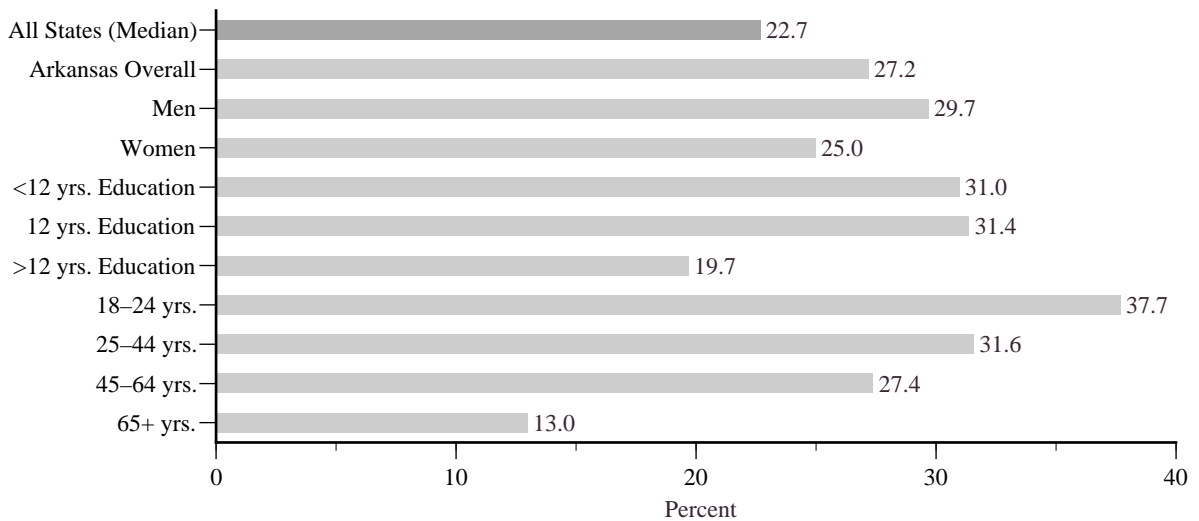


Number of Arkansas youth projected to die prematurely from their smoking: 49,821

Adult Tobacco Use in Arkansas

Current Cigarette Smoking Among Adults Aged 18 and Older, 1999



Youth Tobacco Use

| GRADES 6-8 | | GRADES 9-12 | |
|---------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|
| Current Cigarette Smoking | Current Any Tobacco Use | Current Cigarette Smoking | Current Any Tobacco Use |
| National* | 9.2% | 28.5% | 34.8% |
| AR† | 15.8% | 35.8% | 43.8% |
| Boys† | 15.7% | 37.5% | 49.9% |
| Girls† | 15.7% | 33.7% | 37.0% |

Current Cigarette Smoking = smoked cigarettes on ≥1 of the 30 days preceding the survey.

Current Any Tobacco Use = current use of cigarettes or smokeless tobacco or pipes or bidis or cigars or kreteks on ≥1 of the 30 days preceding the survey.

*Source: National Youth Tobacco Survey, 1999.

†Source: Arkansas Youth Tobacco Survey, 2000.

Health Impact and Costs

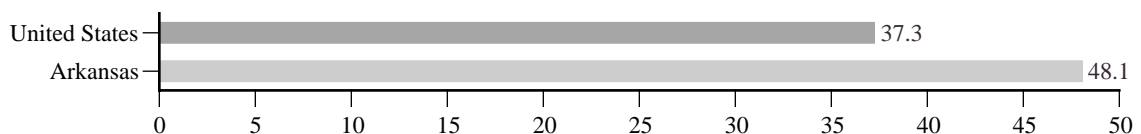
| AVERAGE ANNUAL DEATHS RELATED TO SMOKING, 1991-1994† | | AVERAGE ANNUAL YEARS OF POTENTIAL LIFE LOST,* 1991-1994† | MEDICAL COSTS RELATED TO SMOKING, 1993 | |
|--|-------------|---|--|----------------------|
| Overall | 5,271 | 71,690 years or an average of 13.6 years for each death due to smoking. *Calculated to life expectancy | Ambulatory | \$83,790,000 |
| Men | 3,652 | | Hospital | \$125,000,000 |
| Women | 1,619 | | Nursing Home** | \$120,690,000 |
| Death Rate | 405/100,000 | | Drug | \$28,760,000 |
| Rank | 48 | | Other | \$54,460,000 |
| (No. 1 is lowest death rate) | | | Total | \$412,700,000 |

Smoking-attributable Medicaid expenditures, Arkansas, fiscal year 1993: \$78,456,000

†Estimates only include data from 1991, 1993, and 1994.

**Preliminary estimates

Lung Cancer Death Rate*



*1997 deaths per 100,000 population, adjusted to the 1970 total U.S. population.

Arkansas

Scheduled 2001 settlement payment to Arkansas: \$57,332,480.87

Tobacco Control Funding, 2001



At 9% of the CDC Best Practices recommended lower estimate funding level, Arkansas ranks 44th (No. 1 is the highest) for tobacco control funding. Arkansas ranks 48th (No. 1 is the lowest death rate) for average annual deaths related to smoking.

| <i>FUNDING SOURCE</i> | <i>FY01 AMOUNT</i> | <i>FUNDING CYCLE</i> |
|--|-------------------------------------|----------------------|
| State Appropriation—Settlement (Tobacco Only) | \$0 | |
| State Appropriation—Excise Tax Revenue | \$0 | |
| State Appropriation—Other | \$372,183 | 7/00–6/01 |
| Subtotal: State Appropriation | \$372,183 | |
| Federal—CDC Office on Smoking and Health | \$1,175,017 | 6/00–5/01 |
| Federal—SAMHSA | n/a | |
| Non-Government Source—American Legacy Foundation | \$0 | |
| Non-Government Source—RWJF/AMA | n/a | |
| Subtotal: Federal/National Sources | \$1,175,017 | |
| Total Per Capita Funding | \$1,547,200 \$0.58 | |

Approximately \$18,000,000 has been appropriated to the Department of Health for developing, integrating, and monitoring tobacco prevention and control programs beginning in July 2001 (FY02).

Funding as a Percentage of CDC Best Practices Recommendations

| | <i>RECOMMENDED FOR TOTAL PROGRAM ANNUAL COST</i> | <i>RECOMMENDED PER CAPITA FUNDING LEVEL</i> | <i>PERCENT OF CDC BEST PRACTICES RECOMMENDATIONS</i> |
|----------------|--|---|--|
| Lower Estimate | \$17,906,000 | \$7.10 | 9% |
| Upper Estimate | \$46,445,000 | \$18.41 | 3% |

Excise Tax

| | |
|---|--------------------------------------|
| Cigarette tax per pack | 31.5¢ |
| Rank =28 (No. 1 is highest tax) | |
| Number of packages of cigarettes sold and taxed, per capita, 1999 | 104.8 |
| Rank = 40 (No. 1 is lowest cigarette sales) | |
| Federal and state taxes as a percentage of retail price | 19.9% |
| Annual gross tax revenue from cigarettes | \$83,303,347 |
| Smokeless tobacco tax | .23% of manufacturer’s selling price |