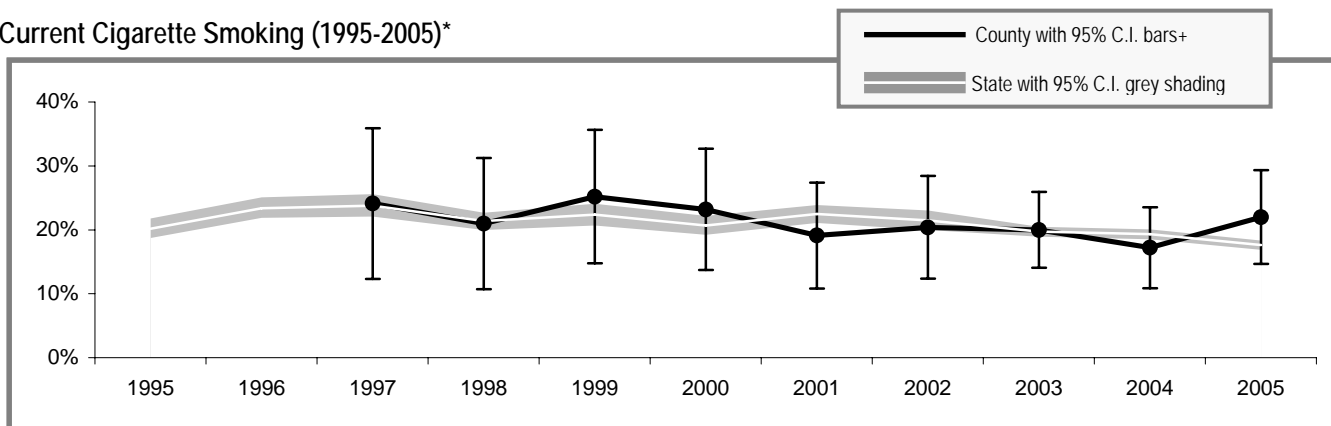


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Adult Tobacco Use

Current Cigarette Smoking (1995-2005)*



* Smoking prevalence trend is based on English language surveys only. (Spanish language surveys began in 2003.)
 + County prevalence is a 5-year rolling average through 2002; starting in 2003 smoking prevalence is based on single-year data.

Current Smoking (2005)**

	<i>All adults</i>
Klickitat County	21.8% (± 7.3%)
Washington State	17.5% (± 0.7%)

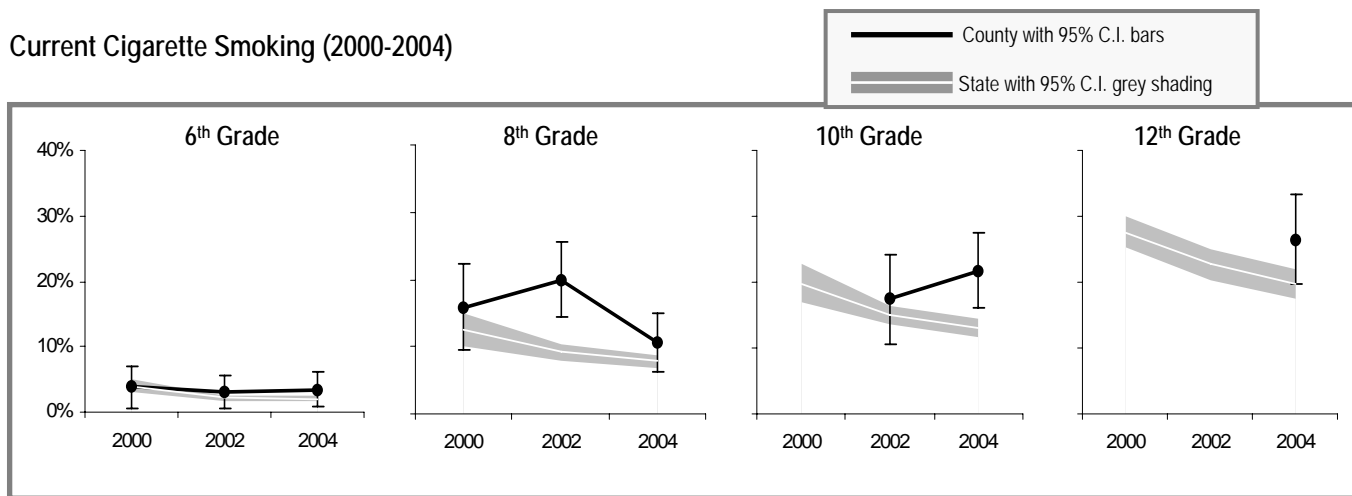
Current Smokeless Tobacco Use (2003-2005)**

	<i>All adults</i>	<i>Males only</i>
Klickitat County	5.4% (± 2.3%)	10.7% (± 4.6%)
Washington State	3.0% (± 0.3%)	5.8% (± 0.6%)

** Current smoking and smokeless prevalence include both English and Spanish language surveys.

Youth Tobacco Use

Current Cigarette Smoking (2000-2004)



Current Smoking (2004)

	<i>All 10th Graders</i>
Klickitat County	21.7% (± 5.7%)
Region**	15.2% (± 1.0%)
Washington State	13.0% (± 1.4%)

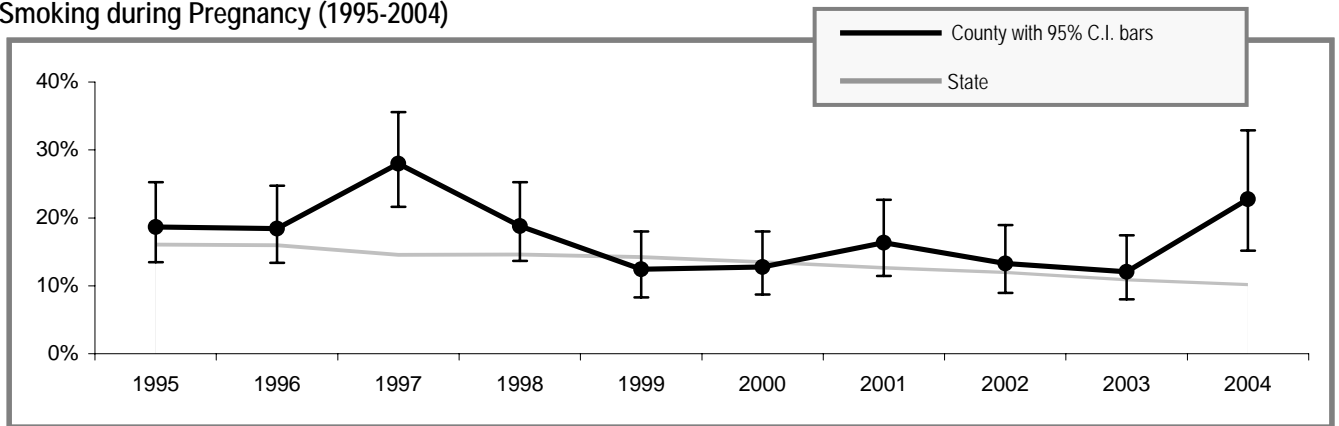
Current Smokeless Tobacco Use (2004)

	<i>All 10th Graders</i>	<i>10th Grade Males only</i>
Klickitat County	5.5% (± 3.1%)	NA
Region**	3.9% (± 0.2%)	9.7% (± 1.2%)
Washington State	4.9% (± 0.6%)	8.0% (± 1.2%)

** Region includes school districts in Clark, Cowlitz, Klickitat, Pacific Skamania, and Wahkiakum counties.

Tobacco Use by Pregnant Women

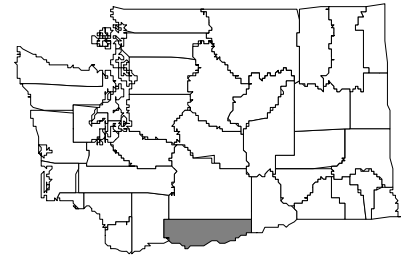
Smoking during Pregnancy (1995-2004)



People Affected in Klickitat County

2000 population: 19,161

- 3,100 adults smoke
- 700 adults use smokeless tobacco
- 30 infants are born annually to mothers who smoke during pregnancy
- 300 youth smoke
- 100 youth use smokeless tobacco
- 3,100 adults are exposed to secondhand smoke
- 900 youth are exposed to secondhand smoke
- 20 cancers diagnosed each year are smoking-related
- 30 adults die annually from smoking-related causes



Community Indicators for Klickitat County

- All restaurants and bars are now completely smokefree
- 81% of households have a ban on smoking (95% C.I. \pm 4%)
- 5% of retailers sold tobacco products to minors
- 40% of 10th graders say tobacco is "hard to get" (95% C.I. \pm 9%)
- 0 tobacco industry sampling event occurred in the past year – 0 samples were distributed
- 82 people called the Quitline in the past year
- 59% of smokers tried to quit in the past year (95% C.I. \pm 10%)
- 61% of tobacco users who had a healthcare visit in the past year were advised to quit by a healthcare professional (95% C.I. \pm 13%)
- 27% of tobacco users did not have a healthcare visit in the past year (95% C.I. \pm 9%)
- 19% of smokers who have health insurance say that their insurance covers help in quitting smoking, such as counseling or nicotine patches (95% C.I. \pm 10%)
- 45% of smokers with health insurance do not know if it covers help in quitting smoking (95% C.I. \pm 13%)

Priorities for Tobacco Prevention and Control

- Preventing Youth from Initiating Tobacco Use
- Increasing Tobacco Cessation
- Eliminating Exposure to Secondhand Smoke
- Identifying and Eliminating Tobacco-Related Disparities in High Risk Groups

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