

ADULT SMOKING AND QUIT ATTEMPTS*
BY HEALTH DEPARTMENT SERVICE AREA AND STATE
1997 – 1999

Service Area	Total Number of Respondents**	Number of Smokers	Percent of Smokers	Percent of Smokers Who Tried to Quit
Barren River	820	233	32.6	48.9
Barren	170	58	37.1	55.2
Butler	50	13	30.0	30.8
Edmonson	51	13	27.5	38.5
Hart	65	22	35.4	45.5
Logan	82	29	36.6	44.8
Metcalf	45	15	37.8	26.7
Simpson	53	12	24.5	75.0
Warren	304	71	30.3	52.1
Buffalo Trace	187	53	30.5	41.5
Mason	168	46	29.8	41.3
Robertson	19	7	36.8	42.9
Cumberland Valley	417	122	31.7	41.8
Bell	94	29	31.9	27.6
Clay	85	26	32.9	46.2
Harlan	127	29	24.4	48.3
Jackson	58	23	43.1	52.2
Rockcastle	53	15	34.0	33.3
FIVCO	404	110	29.7	42.7
Boyd	312	73	26.0	43.8
Lawrence	92	37	42.4	40.5
Gateway	430	109	30.9	51.6
Bath	107	28	29.0	46.4
Menifee	57	22	40.4	40.9
Morgan	115	33	33.9	57.6
Rowan	151	26	20.5	61.5
Green River	817	222	29.9	44.6
Daviess	330	77	25.5	42.9
Hancock	21	5	23.8	60.0
Henderson	169	53	35.5	45.3
McLean	36	11	33.3	54.5
Ohio	117	35	29.9	40.0
Union	69	16	29.0	50.0
Webster	75	25	37.3	44.0

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Kentucky River	631	200	35.3	44.9
Knott	108	34	33.3	32.4
Lee	44	10	29.5	30.0
Leslie	69	20	36.2	60.0
Letcher	167	56	39.5	39.3
Owsley	24	8	33.3	50.0
Perry	183	59	36.1	64.4
Wolfe	36	13	38.9	38.5
Lake Cumberland	854	242	32.3	47.5
Adair	77	18	27.3	55.6
Casey	61	21	37.7	38.1
Clinton	51	17	43.1	70.6
Cumberland	39	8	28.2	62.5
Green	42	13	33.3	46.2
McCreary	68	23	33.8	39.1
Pulaski	257	69	30.4	55.1
Russell	74	23	32.4	34.8
Taylor	106	35	36.8	42.9
Wayne	79	15	26.6	26.7
Lincoln Trail	919	235	29.3	50.6
Grayson	108	25	28.7	56.0
Hardin	359	91	28.4	56.0
Larue	59	14	25.4	50.0
Marion	76	20	28.9	35.0
Meade	101	27	30.7	63.0
Nelson	160	45	33.8	35.6
Washington	56	13	25.0	53.8
Little Sandy	211	62	32.2	37.1
Carter	158	44	31.0	38.6
Elliott	53	18	35.8	33.3
North Central	150	48	35.3	41.7
Henry	38	14	36.8	42.9
Shelby	60	14	30.0	42.9
Spencer	37	18	51.4	38.9
Trimble	15	2	13.3	50.0
Northern KY	1143	269	26.3	46.1
Boone	246	53	24.4	43.4
Campbell	336	85	26.8	49.4
Grant	69	16	26.1	62.5
Kenton	492	115	27.0	42.6

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Pennyrile	200	53	30.5	52.8
Caldwell	31	7	29.0	42.9
Crittenden	54	16	37.0	68.8
Livingston	27	8	29.6	50.0
Lyon	36	8	22.2	37.5
Trigg	52	14	30.8	50.0
Purchase	807	181	25.0	44.8
Ballard	48	10	22.9	20.0
Calloway	182	36	22.0	52.8
Carlisle	27	8	29.6	37.5
Fulton	33	7	21.2	14.3
Graves	187	45	28.3	46.7
Hickman	29	12	48.3	50.0
McCracken	301	63	22.9	46.0
Mercer/Anderson	99	27	29.4	39.7
Mercer	50	10	22.0	50.0
Anderson	49	17	36.7	29.4
Three Rivers	142	41	32.4	43.9
Carroll	34	3	11.8	33.3
Gallatin	22	8	36.4	50.0
Owen	32	9	31.3	33.3
Pendleton	54	21	44.4	47.6
WEDCO	121	37	29.3	49.5
Harrison	57	19	38.6	42.1
Nicholas	12	2	16.7	50.0
Scott	52	16	32.7	56.3
Independent Counties				
Allen	71	22	33.8	54.5
Bourbon	49	15	36.7	60.0
Boyle	42	8	21.4	62.5
Bracken	82	29	41.5	44.8
Breathitt	83	22	32.5	54.5
Breckinridge	59	15	30.5	60.0
Bullitt	156	44	30.1	47.7
Christian	212	56	29.2	57.1
Clark	95	25	27.4	64.0
Estill	49	13	28.6	30.8
Fayette	632	124	24.2	51.6
Fleming	117	28	29.1	46.4
Floyd	172	48	32.4	52.1

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Franklin	133	38	28.6	55.3
Garrard	51	9	19.6	22.2
Greenup	231	62	30.3	54.8
Hopkins	186	40	24.7	52.5
Jefferson	1902	466	28.0	48.3
Jessamine	96	19	22.9	52.6
Johnson	105	35	36.2	37.1
Knox	103	28	30.1	50.0
Laurel	188	50	29.8	44.0
Lewis	107	36	39.3	50.0
Lincoln	62	21	35.5	28.6
Madison	160	38	28.8	50.0
Magoffin	68	16	26.5	37.5
Marshall	128	39	32.8	35.9
Martin	68	20	30.9	15.0
Monroe	39	3	15.4	33.3
Montgomery	230	71	33.0	54.9
Muhlenberg	143	36	28.0	52.8
Oldham	108	16	18.5	56.3
Pike	302	96	35.1	42.7
Powell	22	7	31.8	57.1
Todd	50	12	28.0	58.3
Whitley	111	33	34.2	48.5
Woodford	57	13	26.3	30.8
Kentucky	14,832	3,901	29.7	47.3

Source: Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance Survey, 1997 - 1999.

* Unweighted Data

** Note: Use caution when interpreting data from sample sizes less than 50.

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