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Ending Tobacco Use

Tobacco use remains the leading preventable cause of death and disease in the United States.

(FDA)

Each year, nearly half a million Americans die prematurely of smoking or exposure to secondhand smoke.

Another 16 million live with a serious illness caused by smoking. (CDC)

TOBACCO USE CAUSES:

- Cancer
- Heart disease and stroke
- Lung diseases
- Reproductive issues
- Other health challenges such as type 2 diabetes, rheumatoid arthritis, impaired immune function and more (HealthyPeople.gov)



DID YOU KNOW?

E-cigarettes are considered tobacco products because most of them contain nicotine. (Surgeon General)

Vaping is addictive and dangerous!

Creating tobacco-free environments can improve our quality of life everywhere we go. (The Hult Center For Healthy Living, CDC)

HOME

Reduce cases of respiratory illness, asthma attacks, ear infections and other issues associated with secondhand smoke exposure.

WORK

Have cleaner areas, less maintenance, a healthier environment and lower insurance risks.

COMMUNITY

Protect our environment from pollution due to chemicals in the air and increased litter.

Ending tobacco use is essential in promoting community health!

