



Tobacco Related Indicators

2000-Present

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Indicator		Most Current Date
Tobacco Use Indicator Adult Smoking Rate Buffalo County Current Smoker Buffalo County Adult Risk Factor Surveillance System	41% (2000)	26% (2009)
Youth Smoking Rate Buffalo County Smoked in last 30 days Buffalo County Youth Risk Behavior Survey (YRBS)	24.8% (2000)	11.2% (2009)
Quitting Tobacco Use Nebraska Tobacco Cessation Quit line Callers Buffalo County # of Quit line Callers Average per month	18 (2006-2007 July-June) 1.5 (2006-2007 July-June)	44 (2010-2011 July-June) 3.7 (2010-2011 July-June)
Tobacco Policy-Enforcement Nebraska Clean Indoor Air Act of 2008-Two Rivers Health Dept and local law enforcement worked together to enforce the law # of 1st and 2nd Complaints	9 (2009-2010)	2 (2011 January-July)
Tobacco Use- University of Nebraska at Kearney American College Health Association Survey (ACHA) Percentage of College students who have NEVER used cigarettes	52.6% (2002)	65.7% (2008)
State Tobacco Tax Rate	\$.64 (2002)	\$.64 (2011)
Tobacco Policy- Environmental Smoke-Free Homes and Vehicles <i>Total Two Rivers Health District households having rules against smoking anywhere in the home</i> (Adult Tobacco Survey/Social Climate Survey) <i>Total Two Rivers Health District residents having rules that do not allow smoking in the family car</i> (Adult Tobacco Survey/Social Climate Survey) Lodging Facilities (Hotels, Motels, Bed & Breakfast, etc.) <i>Total Two Rivers Health District Percentage of those that travel and stay in a hotel or motel, and usually request a non-smoking room.</i>	72.5% (2004-2005) 74.3% (2004-2005) 79.5% (2004-2005)	85.9% (2008-2009) 82.5% (2008-2009) 89.0% (2008-2009)

"An organization founded for the purpose of informing people, youth and families, of the dangers of tobacco use, eliminating exposure to secondhand smoke, and promoting abstinence for non-users and cessation for users."

Buffalo County Tobacco Free Coalition Key Partners

American Cancer Society

Amherst Public School

Bob Scriven-Volunteer

Buffalo County Community Partners

Buffalo County Health Ministry Network

Buffalo County Youth Advisory Board

Elm Creek Public School

Good Samaritan Cancer Center- Kim Burr Volunteer/Chairperson

Good Samaritan Health Systems

Good Samaritan Health Systems-Family Birthing Center

Health Education

Kearney Catholic Schools

Kearney Chamber of Commerce

Kearney Clinic

Kearney High School

Kearney Housing Authority

Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services

Pleasanton Public School

Positive Pressures Coalition

Ravenna Public School

Region 3 Behavioral Health Services

Sumner-Eddyville-Miller Public School

Tobacco Free Hall County

Two Rivers Public Health Department

United Way

UNK Student Health Services