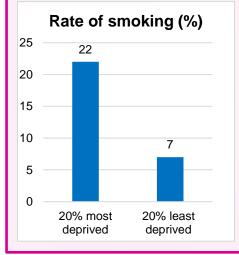


Core20: Above-average smoking rates among the most deprived reduces their healthy life expectancy and increases pressure on the NHS



In England a third of all smokers live in the most deprived two deciles.¹ In NHS Bedfordshire, Luton and Milton Keynes ICB there are 96,100 smokers and 27% of people in routine and manual occupations smoke. Smoking costs your ICB £31.5m a year.²

Annually in your ICB smoking causes:

- 6,767 hospital admissions.3
- 872 premature deaths.⁴

Additional impact on communities in your ICB:

- 42,264 smoking households live in poverty.⁵
- 4,208 people out of work due to smoking.⁶
- 16,427 people receive informal care from friends and family because of smoking.⁷

PLUS: The most deprived groups have the highest smoking rates

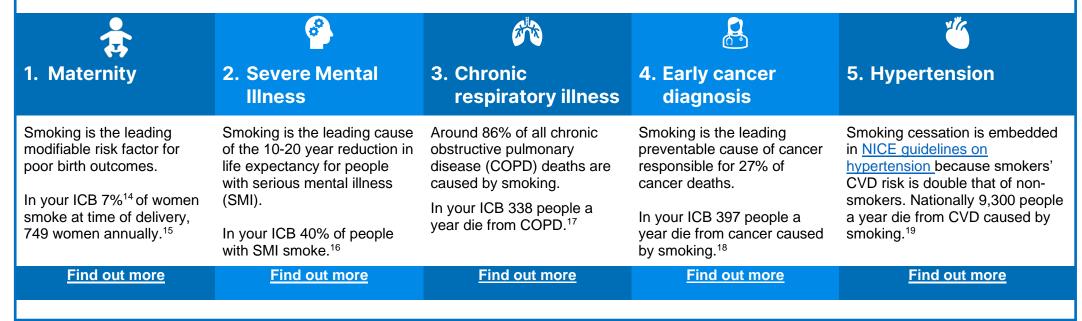
National smoking rates among:

- People who are homeless (77%).⁸
- People entering prison (80%).9
- 11–16-year-olds with a mental disorder (22%).¹⁰
- People in social housing (26%).11

Smoking rates for those receiving addiction treatment in your ICB:

- Those receiving treatment for opioid addiction (83%). 12
- Those receiving treatment for alcohol addiction (49%).¹³

5: Five clinical areas of focus are all impacted by smoking



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