Illinois Tobacco-Free Communities

Let us show you:

- Create and strengthen tobaccofree policies
- Sample leases and policies
- Surveys and educational materials
- · Actions to inform your patrons
- Tobacco cessation resources
- Kick-off campaigns
- Easy enforcement ideas
- Marketing and signage

Tobacco-free Matters:

- There is no safe level of exposure to secondhand smoke
- Secondhand smoke contains over 4,000 carcinogens
- People exposed to secondhand smoke have a higher risk of lung cancer, heart attacks, stroke; babies and kids have a higher risk of asthma attacks, and sudden infant death syndrome (SIDS)

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Let Us Help!

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Live, Work and Play Tobacco-Free

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Live

Secondhand smoke can seep through light fixtures, cracks in walls, around plumbing, under doors, entering adjoining units and common areas.



Multi-Unit Housing

- Lower rehab costs and reduce tenant turnover time
- Slower depreciation of HVAC systems
- Save on casualty insurance
- Provide healthier environment for tenants
- Assist with resident surveys

Work

Tobacco-free campus policies reach beyond the building to the outside property. It is legal, profitable, and non-discriminatory for a business or agency to adopt and promote a tobacco-free policy. Benefits include cleaner areas, less maintenance, healthier environment, and lower insurance risks.

Enhance Smoke-Free Policy

Strengthen your current policy to include all tobacco products like e-cigarettes and vaping. Include outdoor patios and dining areas in your tobacco-free space.

Business Campus and Outdoor Property

- · Outdoor common areas
- Church grounds
- Government properties
- Shopping areas
- Restaurant patios
- Parking lots
- College campus



Play

- Go 100% tobacco-free at parks, recreation fields, playgrounds, pools, athletic fields, community and sporting events, farmer's markets.
- Protect waterways, wildlife, and green space from pollution and reduce litter
- Assure access for those with illnesses affected by secondhand smoke.



