

# ND Tobacco Use by Race

## North Dakota Tobacco Use

Calculated from United States Census

Census	2014		2015	
	Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage
American Indian	25,348	4.4%	25,942	4.4%
White	519,461	90.9%	527,163	90.4%
Other: Black or African American, Asian, Native Hawaiian, Multiple Races	26,439	4.6%	29,896	5.1%
<b>Total Adult Population (18+ years old)</b>	<b>571,248</b>	<b>100%***</b>	<b>583,001</b>	<b>100%***</b>

TOBACCO USE, BRFSS**	2014 Estimate	2015 Estimate
Overall Tobacco Use	24.5%	23.6%
<b>By Usage Type</b>		
Cigarettes-Only	18.3%	16.2%
Smokeless Tobacco-Only	4.7%	5.0%
Dual Users	1.7%	2.5%
<b>Overall Tobacco Use By Race</b>		
White	22.0%	22.2%
African American	*	*
Hispanic	*	*
American Indian	58.1%	51.2%
Other or Multiracial	*	*

Population Counts	2014				2015			
	Statewide		American Indian		Statewide		American Indian	
	Estimate	Calculation	Estimate	Calculation	Estimate	Calculation	Estimate	Calculation
Adult Population, Census	571,248	A	25,348	V	583,001	A	25,942	V
Tobacco Use	24.5%	B	58.1%	W	23.6%	B	51.2%	W
Number of Tobacco Users	139,899	$C = A * B$	14,720	$X = V * W$	137,472	$C = A * B$	13,269	$X = V * W$
Number of Tobacco Users if the American Indian tobacco use rate (58.1%/51.2%) equaled the statewide tobacco use rate (24.5%/23.6%).	131,387	$D = C - X + Y$	6,208	$Y = V * 24.5%$	130,319	$D = C - X + Y$	6,117	$Y = V * 23.6%$

Facts	2014	2015
Percent of adult American Indian tobacco users	American Indians make up 4.4% of the state's adult population, but represent 10.5% of the state's adult tobacco users.	American Indians make up 4.4% of the state's adult population, but represent 9.7% of the state's adult tobacco users.
IF the American Indian tobacco user rate equaled the state rate (24.5%/23.6%) there would be	8,512 fewer American Indian tobacco users in North Dakota. (decrease from 14,720 to 6,208)	7,152 fewer American Indian tobacco users in North Dakota. (decrease from 13,269 to 6,117)

\*Insufficient data to report \*\*Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System (BRFSS) \*\*\*Numbers may not add to 100% due to rounding