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Summary

This statistical report presents a range of information on smoking which is drawn together from a variety of sources. The report aims to present a broad picture of health issues relating to smoking in England and covers topics such as smoking prevalence, habits, behaviours and attitudes among adults and school children, smoking-related ill health and mortality and smoking-related costs.

This report contains data and information previously published by NHS Digital, Department of Health, the Office for National Statistics and Her Majesty's Revenue and Customs. The report also includes new analyses carried out by NHS Digital.

Key Facts – England

- In 2016, 15.5% of adults (aged 18+) currently smoke, down from 19.9% in 2010.
- There were an estimated 2.4 million current e-cigarette users in 2016, representing around 5.0% of adults.
- Prevalence of e-cigarette users amongst 16 to 24 year olds increased from 2.0% in 2015, to 6.0% in 2016.
- 10.5% of mothers were recorded as smokers at the time of delivery in 2016/17, down from 15.0% in 2006/07.
- In 2016, tobacco was 27.0% less affordable than it was in 2006.
- There were estimated to be around 79,000 deaths attributable to smoking in 2015. This represents 16.0% of all deaths.

Key Facts – Coventry and Warwickshire Clinical Commissioning Groups (CCGs)

Prescription items for pharmacotherapies for the treatment of smoking dependence, 2015-16 (total)

CCG	Nicotine Replacement Therapies (NRTs)	Bupropion	Varenicline	Total
England	643,574	21,117	489,112	1,153,803
Coventry and Rugby CCG	3,041	365	4,492	7,898
South Warwickshire CCG	4,957	105	2,627	7,689
Warwickshire North CCG	3,318	38	2,390	5,746

Key Facts – West Midlands

Smoking attributable hospital admissions (2015/16) and Smoking attributable deaths (2013-15) per 100,000 population (aged 35+)

Region	Smoking attributable hospital admissions per 100,000 population (aged 35+) 2015/16	Smoking attributable deaths per 100,000 population (aged 35+) 2013 - 2015
England	1,726	283
West Midlands	1,741	281
Warwickshire	1,314	228