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## **West Virginia Local Ordinance Grades**

The American Lung Association in West Virginia has evaluated regulations restricting smoking in all 55 West Virginia counties, and assigned them letter grades from A to F based on the strength of the regulation. The counties and grades are displayed in the chart below.

- 20 counties earned A grades,
- 20 earned B grades,
- 7 earned C grades and the remaining
- 8 counties earned F grades.

An “A” grade means smoking is prohibited in most public places and workplaces, and an “F” grade means protections from secondhand smoke are inadequate.

West Virginia’s statewide law received an “F” grade in the American Lung Association’s [2008 State of Tobacco Control report](#).

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<b>County</b>	<b>Grade</b>	<b>County</b>	<b>Grade</b>	<b>County</b>	<b>Grade</b>
Barbour	B	Kanawha/Charleston	A	Pocahontas	A
Berkeley	B	Lewis	B	Putnam	F
Boone	A	Lincoln	A	Raleigh/Beckley	B
Braxton	A	Logan	C	Randolph	A
Brooke	C	Marion	A	Ritchie	A
Cabell/Huntington	A	Marshall	B	Roane	A
Calhoun	A	Mason	F	Summers	A
Clay	B	McDowell	C	Taylor	F
Doddridge	F	Mercer	C	Tucker	A
Fayette	C	Mineral	B	Tyler	B
Gilmer	F	Mingo	B	Upshur	A
Grant	C	Monongalia	F	Wayne	B
Greenbrier	B	Monroe	B	Webster	B
Hampshire	F	Morgan	B	Wetzel	B
Hancock	F	Nicholas	B	Wirt	A
Hardy	C	Ohio/Wheeling	A	Wood	A
Harrison	B	Pendleton	B	Wyoming	A
Jackson	A	Pleasants	A		
Jefferson	B	Preston	B		

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