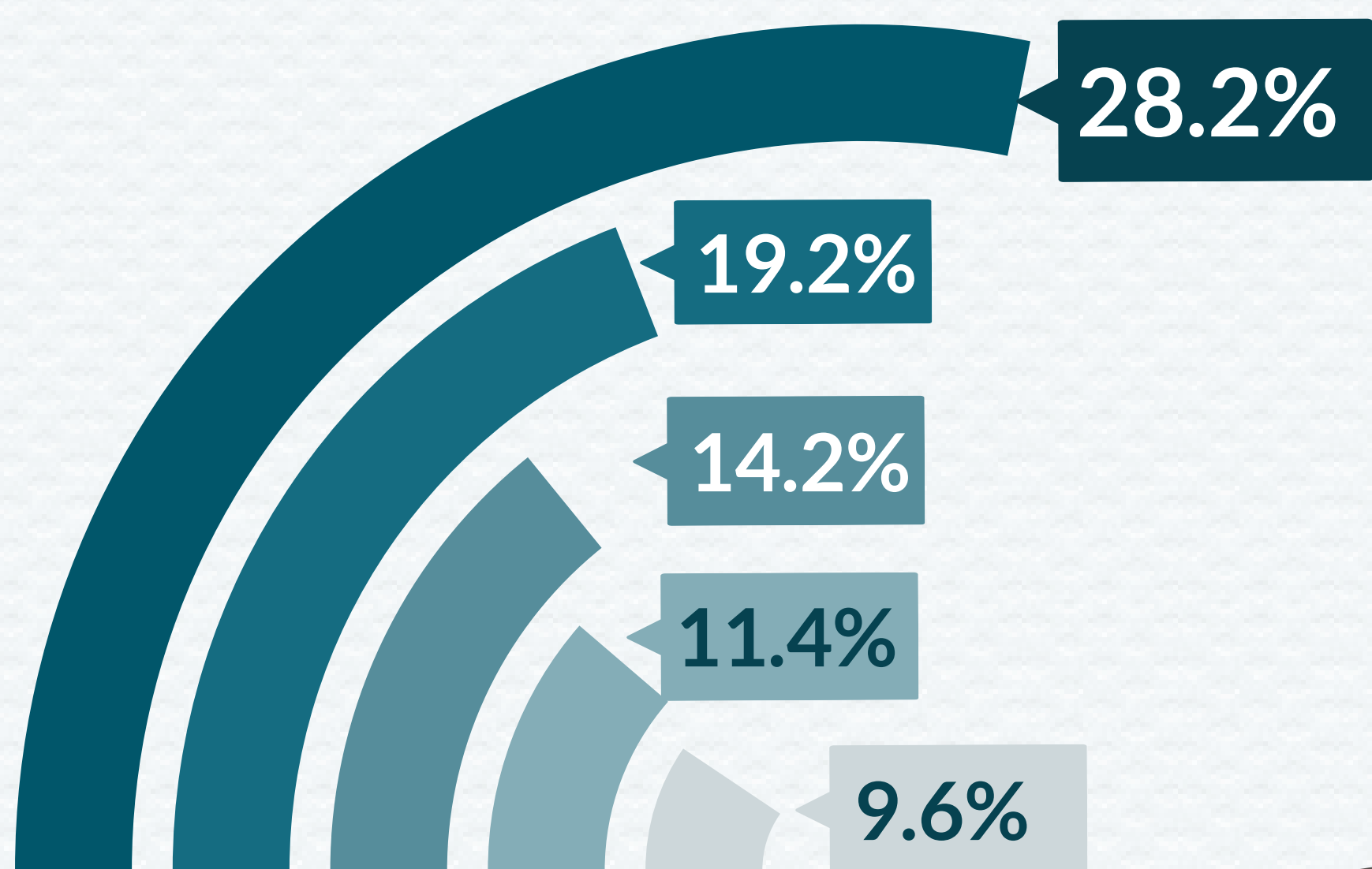


■ AI/AN ■ African American ■ White ■ Hispanic ■ Asian

**AI/AN adults in California had the highest cigarette smoking rate\*.**



\*From 2011-2014



**1 in 5\***

AI/AN middle and high school California students smoked in the past 30 days, higher than any other race/ ethnicity.

\*From 2011-2012



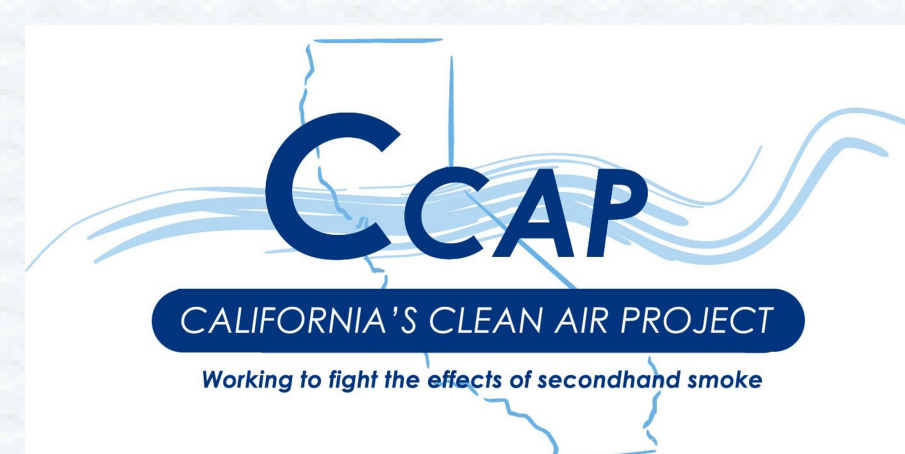
*"There is no safe level of exposure to commercial tobacco smoke."*

*"Smoking has been linked to multiple cancers (e.g. lung and stomach), heart disease, stroke, asthma, and COPD (chronic obstructive pulmonary disease)."*

AI/AN rate of asthma in 2013-2014

**14.3%**  
**Highest**  
asthma rate of any racial/ethnic groups in CA.

## Tobacco Use Among American Indians/ Alaskan Natives (AI/AN)



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Source: California Department of Public Health. (2016) *Tobacco Use among American Indian and Alaska Natives Populations*

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