

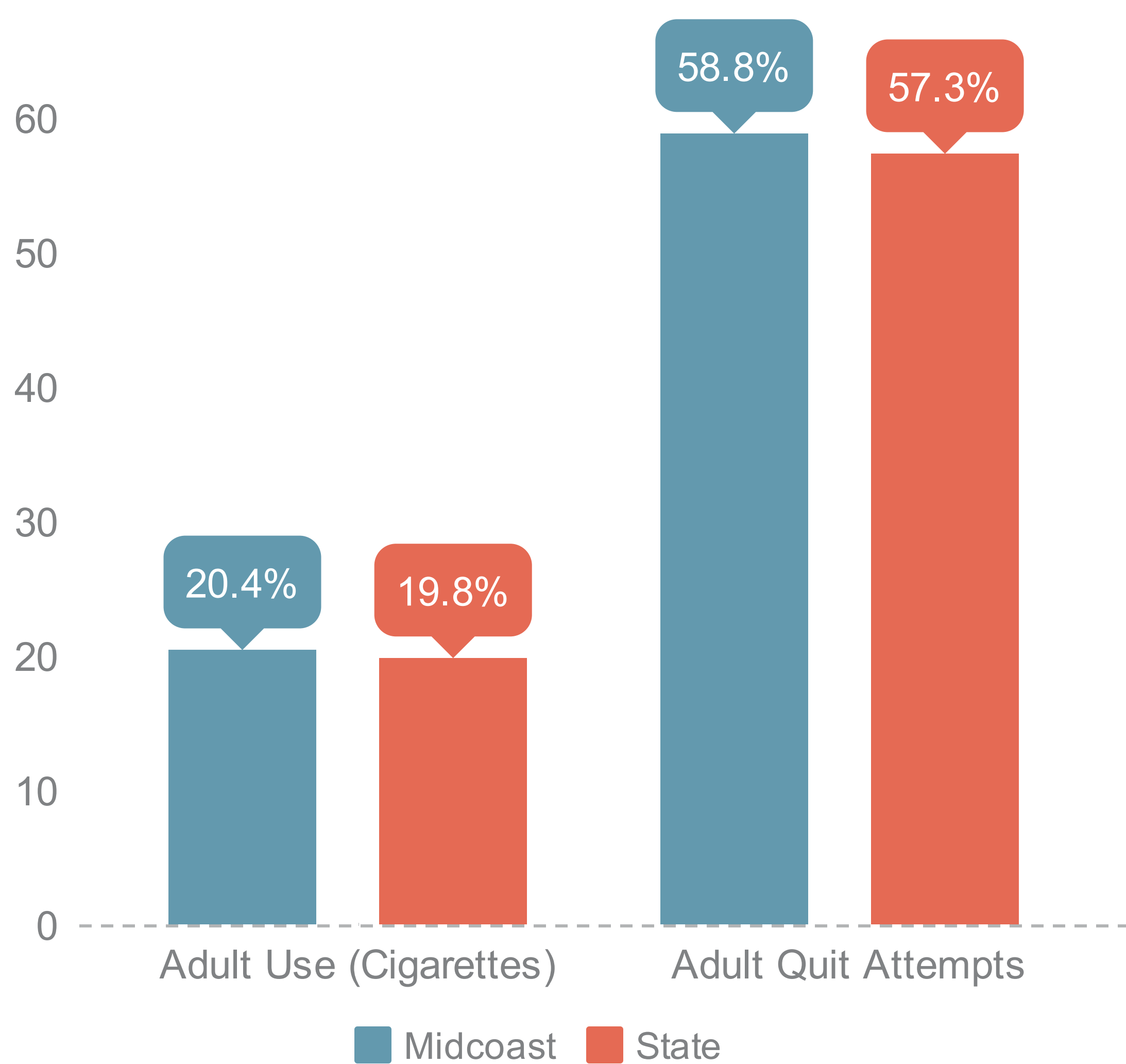
# PENQUIS

## Public Health District Profile and Outcomes

Maine's 6th Public Health District is Penquis, and includes Penobscot and Piscataquis Counties. The Penquis District has an estimated population of 170,022 (Penobscot: 152,978, Piscataquis: 17,044) and includes 60 municipalities. The median income is \$45,302 (Penobscot) and \$36,938 (Piscataquis) and 16.3% and 20.6% of individuals live in poverty, respectively.

District Tobacco Prevention Partner: Bangor Public Health and Community Services

### Tobacco Use in Penquis District



### Maine Tobacco Helpline Utilization

1.7%

Percentage of Penobscot County tobacco users registered for services (compared to 2.6% statewide)

1.9%

Percentage of Piscataquis County tobacco users registered for services

8.1% of MaineCare Beneficiaries that called the MTHL were from the Penquis District.



### Treatment Training Participants

- 8 Tobacco Intervention: Basic Skills Trainings
- 1 Tobacco Intervention: Intensive Skills Trainings

### Clinical Outreach Trainings

216 Participants for 4 Training Sessions

### Nonclinical Outreach

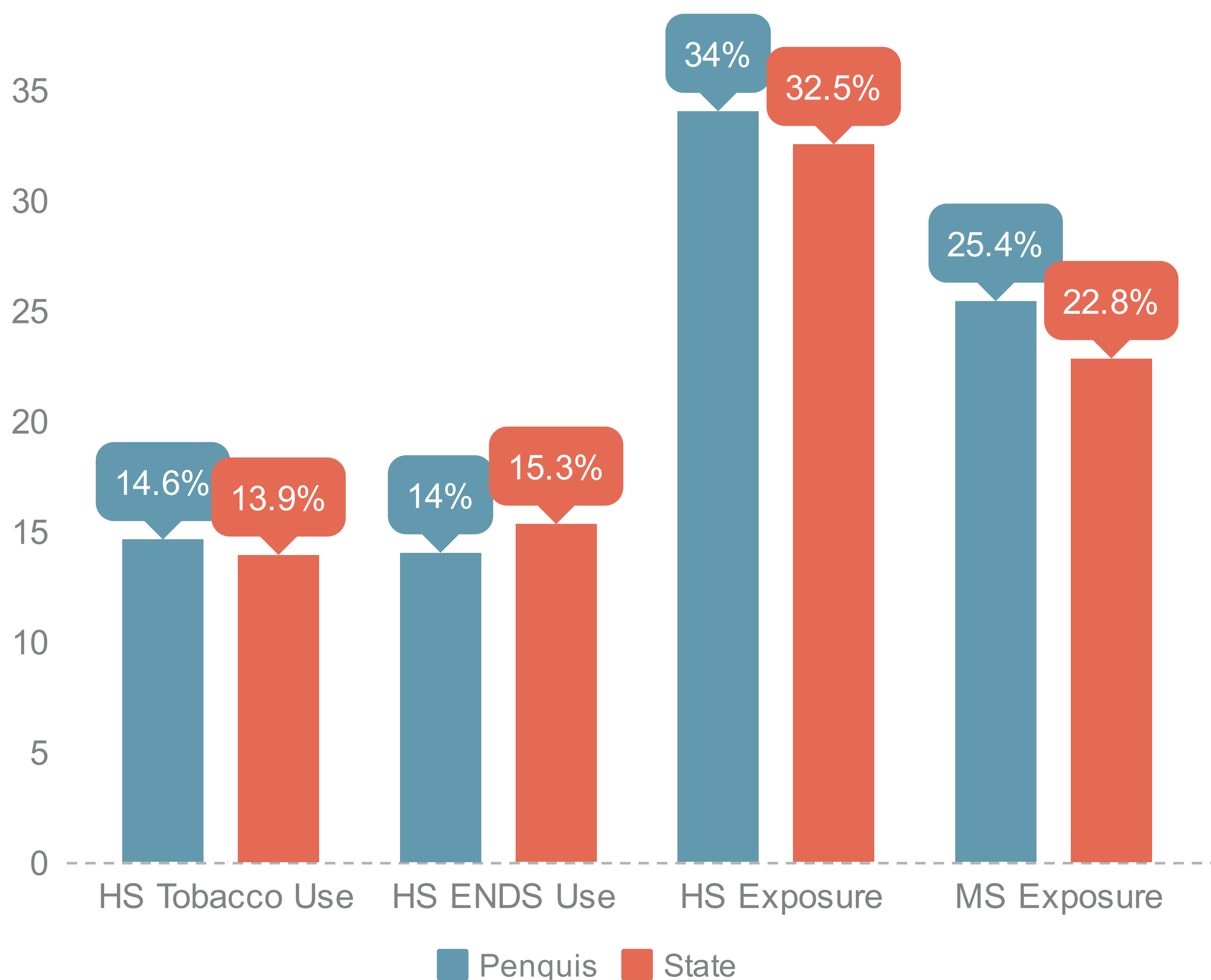
- 16 Social Service Providers Trained
- 30 Nonclinical Outreach-Related Client Referrals to the MTHL through the QuitLink



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**100**  
**Smoke-Free Homes**  
**Pledges Taken**

### Smoke and Tobacco-Free Policies Implemented:

**Municipalities:** 2 policies passed by municipalities with a combined population of 4,387.

**Schools:** 3 policies passed for schools with 860 enrolled students and 243 employees.

**Youth-Serving Entities:** 4 policies passed for organizations serving 1,961 youth and with 87 employees.



Unless otherwise noted, use data is from the Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System (2016) and Maine Integrated Youth Health Survey (2017). The programmatic outcomes are based upon CTI Grant Fiscal Years as explained in the Annual Report Executive Summary.

For information on statewide reach, see the Statewide Tobacco Treatment and Prevention Annual Report.