



The Facts About Secondhand Smoke and E-cigarette Aerosol

Exposure to secondhand smoke or e-cigarette aerosol can increase:

- coughing and wheezing.
- breathing problems.
- asthma symptoms.
- the likelihood of getting bronchitis (inflammation of the membrane in the airway) or pneumonia or make it difficult for someone to recover from these illnesses.
- eye and ear problems and irritations.
- the chances of getting lung cancer.
- the chances of lower scores on achievement and IQ tests.

Many people don't like to be around secondhand smoke or e-cigarette aerosol. Here are some of their reasons.

- It smells bad.
- The scent of smoke stays on clothes and hair.
- It can cause a burning sensation in the eyes, nose, and throat.
- It makes them sneeze and cough.

