

# NSW - ACT Jurisdictional TIS Workshop



Video Conference  
6 May 2020



**Prof Tom Calma AO**  
National Coordinator Tackling Indigenous Smoking



## Stability and impactful



## The revamped TIS program will:

- *Continue the successful Regional Tobacco Control grants scheme* including school and community education, smoke-free homes and workplaces and quit groups

- *Expand programs targeting pregnant women and remote area smokers*

- Support *local Indigenous leaders and cultural programs* to reduce smoking

- *Continue evaluation* to monitor the efficiency and effectiveness of individual programs, *including increased regional data collection*

<https://www.health.gov.au/internet/ministers/publishing.nsf/Content/health-mediarel-yr2018-wyatt012.htm>

11 February 2018

Extract from letter that went to Grant Recipients in March 2018

**For the TIS program going forward, there will be specific requirements for TIS organisations, namely all will be required to:**

- CEO Workshop on 7 May will remind them **of their obligations** and **what else that might arise** from today's workshop
- **provide evidence of how** their primary health care funding (where provided by the Commonwealth) **is being used to complement** TIS activities as part of a larger mix of tobacco cessation interventions.



## Overview of TIS Program processes

### NATIONAL EVALUATION PERFORMANCE INDICATORS FOR TIS

National Evaluators  
(Part A: CIRCA  
Part B: ANU)

#### NATIONAL COORDINATOR FOR TIS (NCTIS)



Leadership, strategic direction and advice to support the effectiveness of the Program



Enabling access of TIS Teams to high-quality information, knowledge, advice and support for their work

#### TIS TEAMS

#### TIS PROGRAM REGIONAL GRANT RECIPIENTS



#### Community action, engagement and advocacy

Designing, delivering, monitoring, evaluating and continually improving a range of tobacco population health promotion activities as defined by an agreed Action Plan

Supporting TIS teams and workers to:

- achieve their objectives
- build and maintain their skills and knowledge and
- attend key workshops and other events organised by NBPU-TIS

Grant administration and compliance

**Community Grants Hub**  
Improving your grant experience

Performance reporting



Partnership working

National evaluation

Policy and Program design



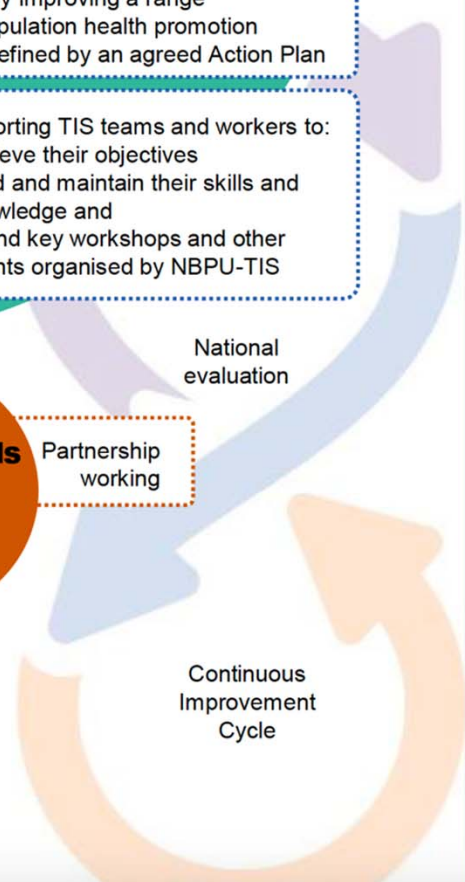
**Commonwealth Government Department of Health**

Relationship building

**State and Territory Departments of Health**



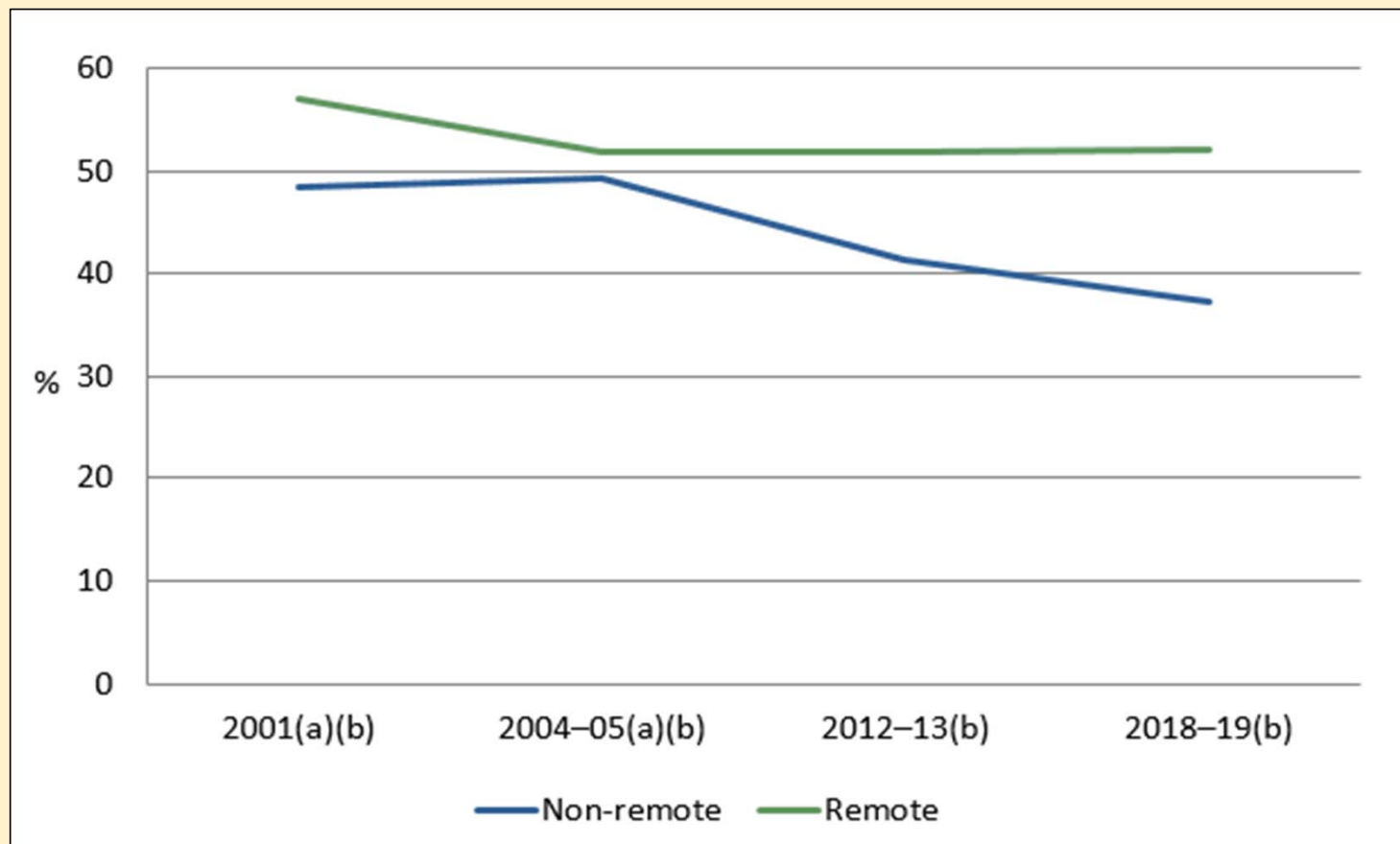
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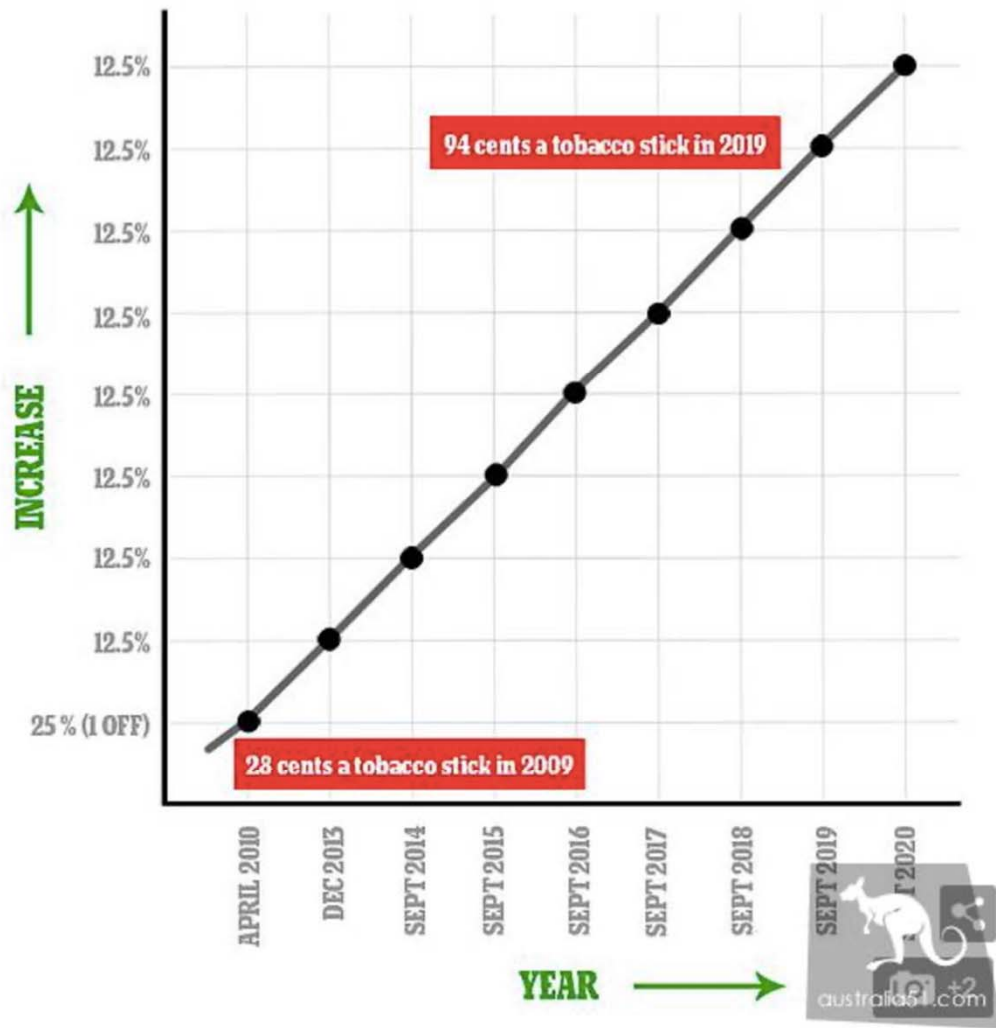
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## Current daily smokers, by remoteness, 2001 to 2018–19 Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people aged 18 years and over



**Sources:** 2001 National Health Survey, 2004–05 National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey, 2012–13 National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey and 2018–19 National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey



## Health vs Wealth

Impacts on SEWB and poverty is a determinant of health

"20 Marlboro cigarettes sell for A \$30, while New Zealand only sells for about A \$27, and will only become more expensive later."

Experts also said that endless tax increases could raise the price of cigarettes in Australia to 40 Australian dollars per pack next year.



## Cost-savings after quitting

Based on one **\$40** dollar packet per day

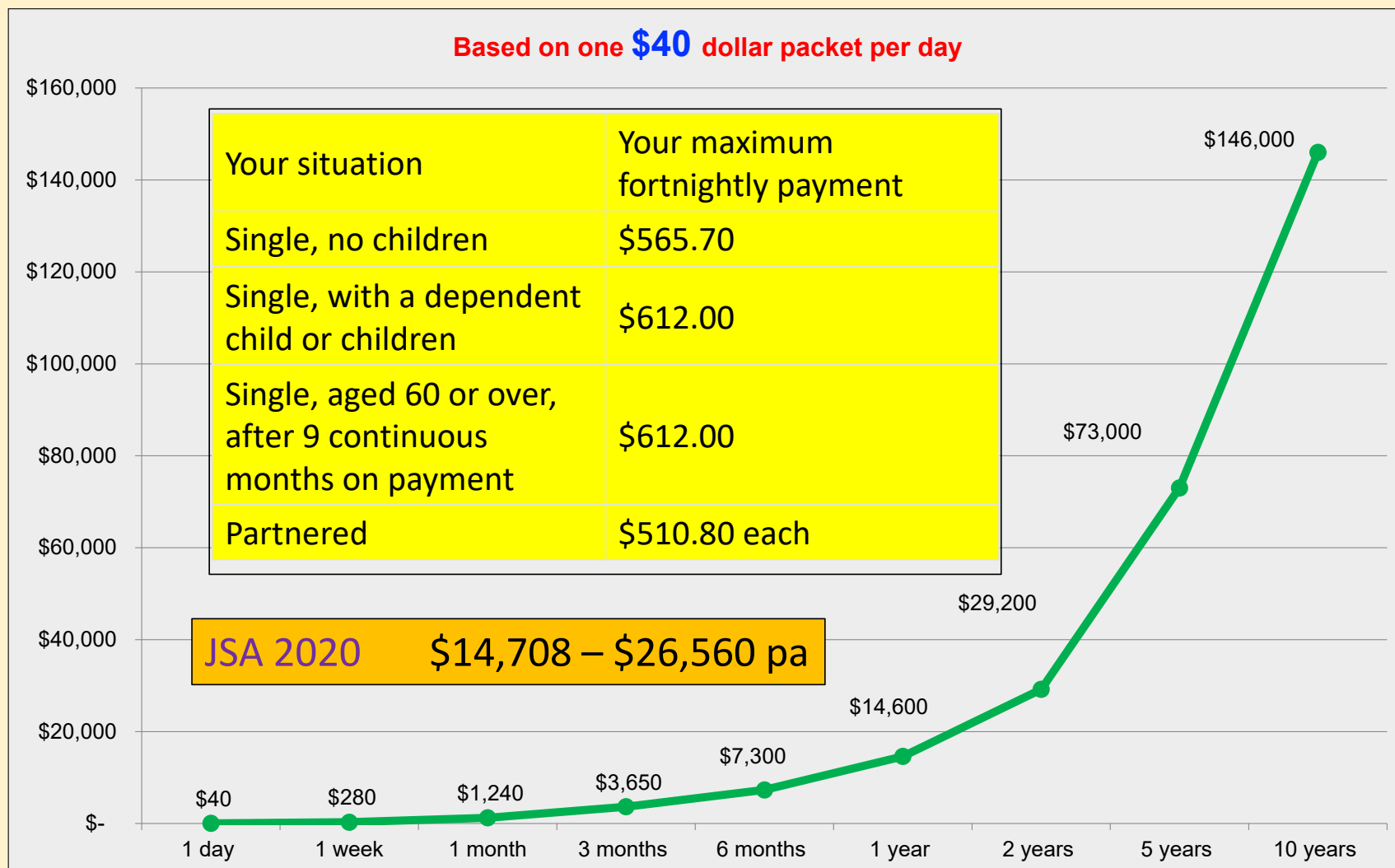


Figure 2: Number of registered corporations by region as at 30 June 2018

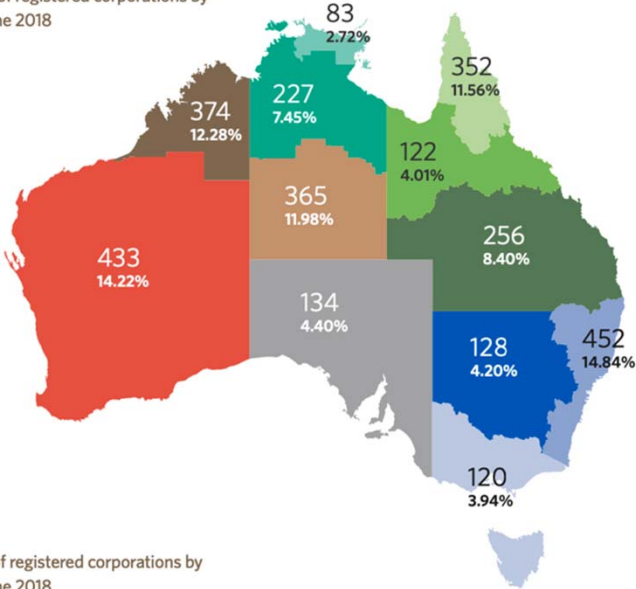
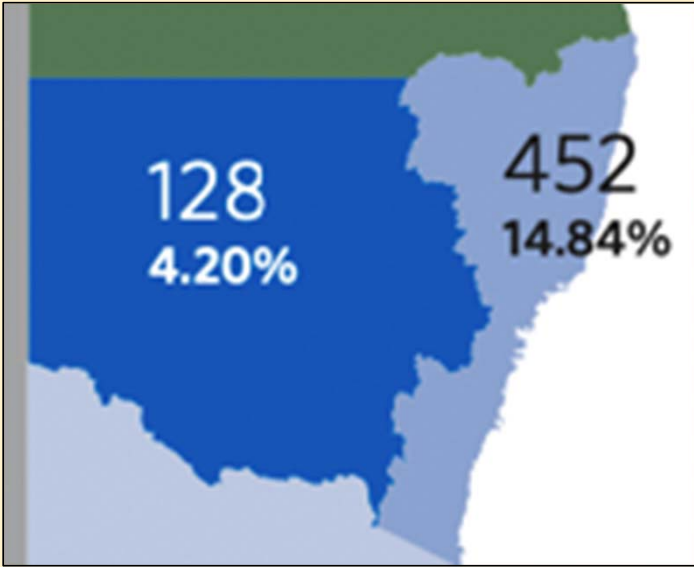


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REGION	NO. OF CORPS	% OF TOTAL
Eastern New South Wales	452	14.84%
Greater Western Australia	433	14.22%
Kimberley	374	12.28%
Central Australia	365	11.98%
Far North Queensland	352	11.56%
South Queensland	256	8.40%
Top End and Tiwi Islands	227	7.45%
South Australia	134	4.40%
Western New South Wales	128	4.20%
Gulf and North Queensland	122	4.01%
Victoria and Tasmania	120	3.94%
Arnhem Land and Groote Eylandt	83	2.72%
Total	3046	100%

## Smoke free workplaces



97.4% of training participants said their **KNOWLEDGE** of corporate governance significantly **INCREASED** as a result of ORIC training programs

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**TACKLING  
INDIGENOUS  
SMOKING**



**NBPU TIS 4:5**

28 March 2019



**Monthly Message from the National  
Coordinator, Prof. Tom Calma AO**

## Monthly TIS Communique

- targeting major partners in govt and NGO sector working on tobacco control
- won't duplicate the NBPU newsletter or the National Coordinators Monthly Message but will draw from both
- the targeted partners are also invited to contribute
- Develop better coordinated and targeted activity and allow for collaborative strategies and initiatives
- Enable team leaders and grant recipients to speak with authority and conviction at state and territory coordination meetings

Tackling Indigenous Smoking Resource and Information Centre

The Tackling Indigenous Smoking Resource and Information Centre (TISRIC) brings together information and evidence for what works for tackling smoking in Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities.

[Find out more](#)

Acknowledging Country

*The National Best Practice Unit Tackling Indigenous Smoking acknowledges the Traditional Owners of the lands and waters of Australia. We respect all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people and their customs and their beliefs.*

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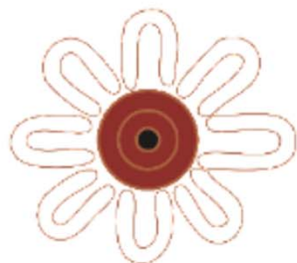
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## **IAHA Yarning Session Webinars**

IAHA invites our Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander allied health membership to attend information and yarning sessions for networking and sharing information during this time of change and uncertainty, hosted by Tanja Hirvonen and another IAHA professionals.

**Please note: This is a platform for our IAHA membership to connect and receive supports and complement other supports you may be receiving. This is not to replace any individual supervision, support or counselling that you may be receiving.**

**Yarning  
sessions:**

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### Message to Cape York & Torres Strait Families



Apunipima Cape York Health Council

20 March at 00:02 · 🌐

"Although the Coronavirus thinks it's pretty deadly, we are much more deadly." Dr Mark Wenitong.

An important message from Dr Mark Wenitong to all Cape York and Torres Strait communities.

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<https://www.facebook.com/Apunipima/videos/264261377929940/UzpfSTE1NTU3NTE0MTA6MTAyMjA5OTUyNzYzNDIzNzE/>

A clear glass filled with water is placed on a wooden surface. Inside the glass, there is a red square object with a black ring around it. The text "a pack a day for a month..." is overlaid in yellow.

a pack  
a day  
for a month...

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HD\\_r66sFjk](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HD_r66sFjk)



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<https://www.quit.org.au/articles/faqs-coronavirus-covid-19-and-smoking/>

## FAQs – Coronavirus (COVID-19) and Smoking

### More than 300,000 UK smokers may have quit owing to Covid-19 fears

**Health groups welcome survey suggesting many have quit, are trying to or have cut down**

Mon 4 May 2020 09.01 AEST

A further 550,000 have tried to quit, while 2.4 million have cut down, according to the joint study by YouGov and the campaign group Action on **Smoking** and Health (Ash).

### Coronavirus (COVID-19) advice for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples and remote communities

<https://www.health.gov.au/news/health-alerts/novel-coronavirus-2019-ncov-health-alert/advice-for-people-at-risk-of-coronavirus-covid-19/coronavirus-covid-19-advice-for-aboriginal-and-torres-strait-islander-peoples-and-remote-communities>



# CORONAVIRUS OUTBREAK

10:15  
80°



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XZhI7AMaNSM>

# The secret's out.

If your product killed **8 million** people each year, you'd also target a new generation.

**World No Tobacco Day**

31 May 2020

The theme of WNTD 2020 is “Protecting youth from industry manipulation and preventing them from **tobacco and nicotine** use”.





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