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their spouse s smoking habits this study overturns the commonly held view that increased risk is a consequence of exposure to environmental tobacco smoke and highlights the difficulty of making valid inferences from epidemiological data no one should draw conclusions about passive smoking before reading this book the iarc monographs series publishes authoritative independent assessments by international experts of the carcinogenic risks posed to humans by a variety of agents mixtures and exposures they are a resource of information for both researchers and national and international authorities this volume is particularly significant because tobacco smoke not only causes more deaths from cancer than any other known agent it also causes more deaths from vascular and respiratory diseases this volume contains all the relevant information on both direct and passive smoking it is organised by first looking at the nature of agent before collecting the evidence of cancer in humans this is followed by carcinogenicity studies on animals and then any other data relevant to an evaluation breathing other people s smoke is called passive involuntary or second hand smoking the non smoker breathes sidestream smoke from the burning tip of the cigarette and mainstream smoke that has been inhaled and then exhaled by the smoker second hand smoke shs is a major source of indoor air pollution tobacco smoke contains over 4000 chemicals in the form of particles and gases many potentially toxic gases are present in higher concentrations in sidestream smoke than in mainstream smoke and nearly 85 of the smoke in a room results from sidestream smoke the particulate phase includes tar itself composed of many chemicals nicotine benzene and benzo a pyrene the gas phase includes carbon monoxide ammonia dimethylnitrosamine formaldehyde hydrogen cyanide and acrolein some of these have marked irritant properties and some 60 are known or suspected carcinogens cancer causing substances the 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last comprehensive review of this evidence by the department of health and human services dhhs was in the 1986 surgeon general s report the health consequences of involuntary smoking published 20 years ago this year this new report updates the evidence of the harmful effects of involuntary exposure to tobacco smoke this large body of research findings is captured in an accompanying dynamic database that profiles key epidemiologic findings and allows the evidence on health effects of exposure to tobacco smoke to be synthesized and updated following the format of the 2004 report the health consequences of smoking the database enables users to explore the data and studies supporting the conclusions in the report the database is available on the site of the centers for disease control and prevention cdc at cdc gov tobacco the health effects of tobacco smoke on smokers are well defined however the effects on non smokers are not so clear which of the many diseases cancers and pathologies that are certainly associated with smoking are also induced by tobacco smoke in non smokers what are the effects on non smokers of smoking bans in the workplace and changes in a smoking is a greater cause of death and disability than any single disease says the world health organisation according to their figures it is responsible for approximately five million deaths world wide every year tobacco smoking is a known or probable cause of approximately 25 diseases including cancer heart attacks and strokes the who says that its impact on world health is still not fully assessed this new book offers leading new research from around the globe tobacco smoking is a major risk factor for a number of chronic diseases including a variety of cancers lung disease and damage to the cardiovascular system the world health organization recently calculated that there were 6 million smoking attributable deaths per year and that this number is due to rise to about eight million per year by the end of 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A Statement on the Health Effects of Passive Smoking

1985

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Effects of Passive Smoking on Health

1987

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Passive smoking in the workplace : selected issues : staff paper

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Respiratory Health Effects of Passive Smoking

1992

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Misclassification of Smoking Habits and Passive Smoking

1982-01-01

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The Risks of Passive Smoking

2004

smoking was and remains one of the most important public healthcare issues it is estimated that every year six million people die as a result of tobacco consumption several diseases are caused or worsened by smoking different cancer types heart disease stroke lung diseases and others in this book we describe the different toxic effects of smoke on the human body in active and in passive smokers it is also well known that many people who smoke wish to quit but they rarely succeed smoking prevention and cessation are of utmost importance thus we also describe different strategies and aspects of these issues we hope that this book will help readers to understand better the effects of smoking and learn about new ideas on how to effectively help other people to stop smoking

Tobacco Smoke and Involuntary Smoking

2007

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Passive Smoking and Health Research

2006

this report looks at the physiochemical characteristics of tobacco smoke and the relative exposure to smoke constituents from passive versus active smoking

health effects are examined include irritation and annoyance exacerbation of pre existing disease pulmonary effects in children and chronic respiratory effects in adults and cancer

The Health Consequences of Involuntary Exposure to Tobacco Smoke

2000-09-27

this up to the minute and highly acclaimed book pierces the veil of subterfuge propaganda and flimflam to trace the history of the smoking and tobacco problem existing today concrete proposals are offered for further reducing smoking and its deadly effects

Environmental Tobacco Smoke

1997

examines the health effects of passive smoking

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2005

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Focus on Smoking and Health Research

1987

in february 1991 justice morling made the historic judgment that passive smoking does cause lung cancer and respiratory disease this judgment and its reasons together with commentary and supporting material are set out in full in this book

Involuntary Smoking - Health Risks for Nonsmokers

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The Impact of Active and Passive Smoking Upon Health and Neurocognitive Function

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Protection from Exposure to Second-hand Smoke

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Smoking and Health Research Frontiers

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The Health Effects of Involuntary Exposure to Tobacco Smoke

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Respiratory Health Effects of Passive Smoking

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Smoking and the Young

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Secondhand Smoke Exposure and Cardiovascular Effects

1988

Fourth Report of the Independent Scientific Committee on Smoking & Health

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