



Community Education
Tobacco Program
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What's in a cigarette?

Tobacco smoke contains more than 6,000 different chemicals.
At least 43 are known carcinogens (cause cancer in humans).



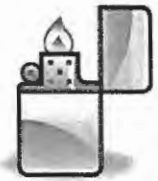
Toluene
Industrial Solvent



Methanol
Rocket Fuel



Arsenic
Rat Poison



Butane
Lighter Fluid

Stearic Acid
Candle Wax



Methane
Sewer Gas



Carbon Monoxide
Gas in Car Exhausts



Cadmium
Batteries



Acetone
Paint Stripper



Other harmful chemicals found in cigarettes:

- Benzene (petrol additive)
- Formaldehyde (embalming fluid)
- Ammonia (toilet cleaner)
- Acetone (nail polish remover)
- Tar
- Nicotine (insecticide/addictive drug)



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