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Nearly 90% of all smokers start by the age of 26, underscoring the importance of tobacco education, prevention, and cessation efforts in young adults. Promoting policy which eliminates tobacco use and exposure to secondhand smoke on college and university campuses is a priority of the American Cancer Society (ACS). In 2016, the ACS under the direction of the Center for Tobacco Control launched the ***Tobacco-Free Generation Campus Initiative (TFGCI)***, to accelerate and expand the adoption and implementation of 100% smoke and tobacco-free policies on college and university campuses across the nation. To date, nearly a third of all colleges and universities in the US are designated as smoke and tobacco free. Gannon University was awarded a TFCGI Grant in April 2018 to determine our community's readiness to transition to a tobacco-free campus.

For more information, visit:

<https://www.cancer.org/health-care-professionals/center-for-tobacco-control/tobacco-free-generation-initiative.html>