## Curry Community Health Success Story Curry County

Beginning June 30<sup>th</sup>, Curry Community Health will be offering a Smoking Cessation Program. This program will be extremely beneficial to Curry County residents who have a desire to quit tobacco use. Unfortunately, Curry County has not had a cessation program in nearly a year, which has made it difficult for individuals needing guidance and support.

Many residents in Curry County are not able to pay for cessation medication out of pocket. By attending four cessation classes, nearly all insurance companies will pay for at least a majority of their needed medication. Additionally, the average number of adult smokers in Curry County far exceeds the average of the U.S. by almost double.

Classes will be held every Monday in Gold Beach and every Thursday in Brookings. Curry Community Health has received numerous calls from individuals interested in this program. We believe this class will be successful and contribute to a decreased amount of tobacco users in Curry County.