Halifax

MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan        AHEC Region: Area L

■ 2005 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS※

Physicians
Non-Federal Physicians  83
Primary Care Physicians  42
  Family Practice  15
  General Practice  1
  Internal Medicine  15
  Obstetrics/Gynecology  3
  Pediatrics  8
Other Specialties  41
Physicians per 10,000 Population  14.7
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population  7.5
Federal Physicians**  1

Doctors and Dental Hygienists
Dentists  13
Dental Hygienists  19

■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Projected Population 2005

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<th>Ages 0-19</th>
<th>Ages 20-64</th>
<th>Ages 65+</th>
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<td>White</td>
<td>23,424</td>
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<td>Nonwhite</td>
<td>32,920</td>
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<td>56,344</td>
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<td>% of Pop.</td>
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■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2004
(Rates are per 1,000 population)
Resident Births  723
Resident Deaths  643
% Births <2500 gms  16.0

Infant Mortality Rates 2004
(Rates are per 1,000 population)
Total  22.1
White  8.1
Nonwhite  29.4

Hospital/Facility Data
General Hospital Discharges 2004*  9,938
General Hospital Beds 2005++  206
Nursing Facility Beds 2005  345

Employment and Income Data
Labor Force 2005  23,441
Employed 2005  21,679
Unemployed 2005  1,762
Unemployment Rate 2005 (%)  7.5
Per Capita Income 2004  $21,497
Medicaid Eligibles 2004 (unduplicated count)  18,839

Nurses
Registered Nurses  388
Nurse Practitioners  7
Certified Nurse Midwives  0
Licensed Practical Nurses  109

Other Health Professionals
Chiropractors  4
Optometrists  5
Pharmacists  33
Physical Therapists  11
Physical Therapist Assistants  16
Physician Assistants  9
Podiatrists  1
Practicing Psychologists  4
Psychological Associates  3
Respiratory Therapists  24

Numbers reported include those who are active within the profession and those with unknown activity status who were newly licensed in 2005; inactive are excluded.
** Includes NC Medical Board licensed federal physicians in the armed services, US Public Health Service, Indian Health Service, and the Department of Veterans Affairs.
+ Counts are for discharges of county residents from acute-care, short-stay hospitals; numbers exclude normal newborns.
++ Counts of hospital beds in acute care short stay hospitals in county.