Jackson

MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan    AHEC Region: Mountain

- **2005 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS**

**Physicians**
- Non-Federal Physicians: 81
- Primary Care Physicians: 43
  - Family Practice: 15
  - General Practice: 3
  - Internal Medicine: 14
  - Obstetrics/Gynecology: 4
  - Pediatrics: 7
- Other Specialties: 38
- Physicians per 10,000 Population: 22.3
- Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population: 11.9
- Federal Physicians**: 1

**Dentists and Dental Hygienists**
- Dentists: 16
- Dental Hygienists: 14

- **DEMOGRAPHICS**

**Projected Population 2005**

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<th>Total</th>
<th>Ages 0-19</th>
<th>Ages 20-64</th>
<th>Ages 65+</th>
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<td>31,434</td>
<td>7,243</td>
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<td>Nonwhite</td>
<td>4,811</td>
<td>1,761</td>
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<td>36,245</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: 345
- Resident Deaths: 317
- % Births <2500 gms: 7.8
- Total Births: 345
- Total Deaths: 317
- Total Pregnancies: 423
- Teen Pregnancies (ages 15-19): 72
- Total Pregnancy Rate: 53.6
- Teen Pregnancy Rate (ages 15-19): 41.5

**Infant Mortality Rates 2004**
(Rates are per 1,000 population)
- Total: 2.9
- White: 3.9
- Nonwhite: 0.0

**Hospital/Facility Data**
- General Hospital Discharges 2004*: 3,466
- General Hospital Beds 2005**: 86
- Nursing Facility Beds 2005**: 208

**Employment and Income Data**
- Labor Force 2005: 21,081
- Employed 2005: 20,299
- Unemployed 2005: 782
- Unemployment Rate 2005 (%): 3.7
- Per Capita Income 2004: $23,679
- Medicaid Eligibles 2004 (unduplicated count): 5,850

* 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.

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