Perinatal Care Region VI

Number of Counties in Region: 29

2007 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS*

Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians 2,169
Primary Care Physicians 991
  Family Practice 306
  General Practice 23
  Internal Medicine 353
  Obstetrics/Gynecology 138
  Pediatrics 171
Other Specialties 1,178
Physicians per 10,000 Population 16.2
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population 7.4
Federal Physicians** 88

Nurses

Registered Nurses 11,683
  Nurse Practitioners 369
  Certified Nurse Midwives 34
  Licensed Practical Nurses 2,935

Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors 130
Occupational Therapists 255
Occupational Therapy Assistants 155
Optometrists 133
Pharmacists 992
Physical Therapists 428
Physical Therapist Assistants 346
Physician Assistants 355
Podiatrists 45
Practicing Psychologists 124
Psychological Associates 153
Respiratory Therapists 559

DEMOGRAPHICS

Projected Population 2007

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<th>Ages 0-19</th>
<th>Ages 20-64</th>
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<td>White</td>
<td>866,558</td>
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<td>468,302</td>
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<td>1,334,860</td>
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HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS

Vital Statistics 2006

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births 19,429
Resident Deaths 12,157
% Births <2500 gms 9.9

Total Pregnancies 23,814
Teen Pregnancies 3,351
  (ages 15-19)

Total Pregnancy Rate 89.8
Teen Pregnancy Rate 71.9

Infant Mortality Rates 2007

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total 9.0
White 5.6
Nonwhite 15.2

Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2006 163,305
General Hospital Beds 2007 3,199
Nursing Facility Beds 2007 6,588

* Numbers reported include those active within the profession and those newly licensed in 2007 with unknown activity status; inactives 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.