Alamance

AHEC Region: Greensboro



■ 2005 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS*■

MSA county designation: Metropolitan

Physicians		Nurses	
Non-Federal Physicians	197	Registered Nurses	806
Primary Care Physicians	91	Nurse Practitioners	26
Family Practice	32	Certified Nurse Midwives	6
General Practice	1	Licensed Practical Nurses	186
Internal Medicine	30	Other Health Professionals	
Obstetrics/Gynecology	8		10
Pediatrics	20	Chiropractors	19
Other Specialties	106	Optometrists	16
Physicians per 10,000 Population	14.2	Pharmacists	104
		Physical Therapists	66
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	6.6	Physical Therapist Assistants	10
	^	Physician Assistants	24
Federal Physicians**	0	Podiatrists	4
Dentists and Dental Hygienists		Practicing Psychologists	9
Dentists	59	Psychological Associates	4
Dental Hygienists	65	Respiratory Therapists	18

■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Projected Population 2005

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	109,666	29,037	64,943	15,686
Nonwhite	29,122	9,061	17,203	2,858
Total	138,788	38,098	82,146	18,544
% of Pop.	100.0%	27.5%	59.2%	13.4%

Employment and Income Data

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Labor Force 2005	69,517
Employed 2005	65,419
Unemployed 2005	4,098
Unemployment Rate 2005 (%)	5.9
Per Capita Income 2004	\$27,016
Medicaid Eligibles 2004 (unduplicated count)	22,712

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2004

(Rates are per 1,000 population)					
Resident Births	1,769	Total Pregnancies	2,301	Total Pregnancy Rate	78.0
Resident Deaths	1,271		319	Teen Pregnancy Rate	62.4
% Births <2500 gms	9.6	(ages 15-19)		(ages 15-19)	
Infant Mortality Rates 2004					
(Rates are per 1,000 population)					
Total	8.5	White	6.3	Nonwhite	17.9
Hospital/Facility Data					
General Hospital Discharges 2004 ⁺	15.747	General Hospital Beds 2005 ⁺⁺	182	Nursing Facility Beds 2005	872

^{*} 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.