



MSA county designation: Metropolitan

AHEC Region: Wake AHEC

## ■ 2007 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS\*■

### Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	114
Primary Care Physicians	68
Family Practice	37
General Practice	1
Internal Medicine	19
Obstetrics/Gynecology	6
Pediatrics	5
Other Specialties	45
Physicians per 10,000 Population	7.2
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	4.3
Federal Physicians**	0

### Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	31
Dental Hygienists	63

### Nurses

Registered Nurses	626
Nurse Practitioners	22
Certified Nurse Midwives	0
Licensed Practical Nurses	202

### Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	13
Occupational Therapists	15
Occupational Therapy Assistants	7
Optometrists	13
Pharmacists	93
Physical Therapists	37
Physical Therapist Assistants	23
Physician Assistants	31
Podiatrists	0
Practicing Psychologists	5
Psychological Associates	13
Respiratory Therapists	37

## ■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

### Projected Population 2007

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	131,642	37,530	81,708	12,404
Nonwhite	25,654	8,421	15,251	1,982
<b>Total</b>	<b>157,296</b>	<b>45,951</b>	<b>96,959</b>	<b>14,386</b>
% of Pop.	100.0%	29.2%	61.6%	9.1%

### Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2007	75,910
Employed 2007	72,872
Unemployed 2007	3,038
Unemployment Rate 2007 (%)	4.0
Per Capita Income 2006	\$29,216
Medicaid Eligibles 2007	30,454

## ■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

### Vital Statistics 2006

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	2,338	Total Pregnancies	2,750	Total Pregnancy Rate	84.0
Resident Deaths	1,023	Teen Pregnancies	325	Teen Pregnancy Rate	69.0
% Births <2500 gms	8.0	(ages 15-19)		(ages 15-19)	

### Infant Mortality Rates 2007

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total	5.6	White	3.6	Nonwhite	16.0
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### Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2006 <sup>+</sup>	16,649	General Hospital Beds 2007 <sup>++</sup>	155	Nursing Facility Beds 2007	550
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\* 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.