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MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan



# 2006 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS\*

Physicians	
Non-Federal Physicians	7
Primary Care Physicians	4
Family Practice	1
General Practice	1
Internal Medicine	2
Obstetrics/Gynecology	0
Pediatrics	0
Other Specialties	3
Physicians per 10,000 Population	3.3
Primary Care Physicians	1.9
per 10,000 Population	
Federal Physicians**	1
Dentists and Dental Hygienists	
Dentists	1
Dental Hygienists	5

## DEMOGRAPHICS

## Projected Population 2006

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	8,557	1,719	4,981	1,857
Nonwhite	12,965	3,627	7,404	1,934
Total	21,522	5,346	12,385	3,791
% of Pop.	100.0%	24.8%	57.5%	17.6%

#### Nurses **Registered Nurses** 68 Nurse Practitioners 3 Certified Nurse Midwives 0 Licensed Practical Nurses 41 <u>Other Health Professionals</u> Chiropractors 0 3 **Occupational Therapists** 2 **Occupational Therapy Assistants** 0 **Optometrists** 6 **Pharmacists** 4 **Physical Therapists** Physical Therapist Assistants 4 **Physician Assistants** 1 0 Podiatrists Practicing Psychologists 1 0 **Psychological Associates Respiratory Therapists** 0

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## Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2006	9,079
Employed 2006	8,552
Unemployed 2006	527
Unemployment Rate 2006 (%)	5.8
Per Capita Income 2005	\$26,800
Medicaid Eligibles 2006	6,855

## ■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

### Vital Statistics 2005

(Rates are per 1,000 population)					
Resident Births	244	Total Pregnancies	306	Total Pregnancy Rate	78.8
Resident Deaths	310	Teen Pregnancies	65	Teen Pregnancy Rate	100.9
% Births <2500 gms	13.1	(ages 15-19)		(ages 15-19)	
Infant Mortality Rates 2006					
(Rates are per 1,000 population)					
Total	12.3	White	0.0	Nonwhite	16.5
Hospital/Facility Data					
General Hospital Discharges 2005 <sup>+</sup>	3,436	General Hospital Beds 2006	0	Nursing Facility Beds 2006	- 149

\* Numbers reported include those active within the profession and those newly licensed in 2006 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.