

Perquimans



MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan

AHEC Region: Eastern AHEC

■ 2009 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS*■

Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	2
Primary Care Physicians	2
<i>Family Practice</i>	1
<i>General Practice</i>	0
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	1
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	0
<i>Pediatrics</i>	0
Other Specialties	0
Physicians per 10,000 Population	1.5
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	1.5
Federal Physicians**	0

Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	4
Dental Hygienists	5

Nurses

Registered Nurses	42
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	0
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	0
Licensed Practical Nurses	23

Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	0
Occupational Therapists	0
Occupational Therapy Assistants	1
Optometrists	0
Pharmacists	3
Physical Therapists	1
Physical Therapist Assistants	2
Physician Assistants	2
Podiatrists	0
Practicing Psychologists	0
Psychological Associates	1
Respiratory Therapists	0

■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Projected Population 2009

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	9,511	1,984	5,155	2,372
Nonwhite	3,440	888	2,014	538
Total	12,951	2,872	7,169	2,910
% of Pop.	100.0%	22.2%	55.4%	22.5%

Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2009	5,514
Employed 2009	4,957
Unemployed 2009	557
Unemployment Rate 2009 (%)	10.1
Per Capita Income 2008	\$28,664
Medicaid Eligibles 2009	2,906

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2008

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	135	Total Pregnancies	166	Total Pregnancy Rate	67.4
Resident Deaths	160	Teen Pregnancies	24	Teen Pregnancy Rate	56.3
% Births <2500 gms	11.1	(ages 15-19)		(ages 15-19)	

Infant Mortality Rates 2008

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total	22.2	White	30.9	Nonwhite	0.0
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Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2008. ⁺	1,300	General Hospital Beds 2009. ⁺⁺	0	Nursing Facility Beds 2009.	78
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* Numbers reported include those active within the profession and those newly licensed in 2009 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.