

Robeson



MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan

AHEC Region: Southern Regional

■ 2009 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS*■

Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	152
Primary Care Physicians	91
<i>Family Practice</i>	29
<i>General Practice</i>	2
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	39
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	7
<i>Pediatrics</i>	14
Other Specialties	61
Physicians per 10,000 Population	11.6
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	6.9
Federal Physicians**	0

Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	26
Dental Hygienists	34

Nurses

Registered Nurses	931
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	32
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	6
Licensed Practical Nurses	251

Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	16
Occupational Therapists	10
Occupational Therapy Assistants	6
Optometrists	15
Pharmacists	91
Physical Therapists	37
Physical Therapist Assistants	20
Physician Assistants	53
Podiatrists	2
Practicing Psychologists	2
Psychological Associates	6
Respiratory Therapists	54

■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Projected Population 2009

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	47,005	13,203	27,032	6,770
Nonwhite	84,097	27,810	49,337	6,950
Total	131,102	41,013	76,369	13,720
% of Pop.	100.0%	31.3%	58.3%	10.5%

Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2009	58,798
Employed 2009	52,096
Unemployed 2009	6,702
Unemployment Rate 2009 (%)	11.4
Per Capita Income 2008	\$24,935
Medicaid Eligibles 2009	45,988

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2008

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	2,223	Total Pregnancies	2,548	Total Pregnancy Rate	94.1
Resident Deaths	1,204	Teen Pregnancies	494	Teen Pregnancy Rate	97.4
% Births <2500 gms	10.9	(ages 15-19)		(ages 15-19)	

Infant Mortality Rates 2008

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total	16.2	White	4.9	Nonwhite	22.8
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Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2008 ⁺	20,697	General Hospital Beds 2009 ⁺⁺	292	Nursing Facility Beds 2009	410
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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.