# **Chatham**



MSA county designation: Metropolitan AHEC Region: Greensboro

## ■ 2004 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS\*■

Physicians		Nurses	
Non-Federal Physicians	41	Registered Nurses	226
Primary Care Physicians	32	Nurse Practitioners	18
Family Practice	21	Certified Nurse Midwives	I
General Practice	0	Licensed Practical Nurses	85
Internal Medicine	7	Other Health Professionals	
Obstetrics/Gynecology	O	Chiroprostors	6
Pediatrics	4	Chiropractors	
Other Specialties	9	Optometrists	4
Physicians per 10,000 Population	7.5	Pharmacists	25
		Physical Therapists	4
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	5.9	Physical Therapist Assistants	5
	0	Physician Assistants	4
Federal Physicians**	0	Podiatrists	0
Dentists and Dental Hygienists		Practicing Psychologists	3
Dentists	10	Psychological Associates	6
Dental Hygienists	30	Respiratory Therapists	4
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#### **■ DEMOGRAPHICS** ■

Projected Population 2004

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	45,206	11,018	27,340	6,848
Nonwhite	9,439	2,453	5,713	1,273
Total	54,645	13,471	33,053	8,121
% of Pop.	100.0%	24.7%	60.5%	14.9%

## Employment and Income Data

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Labor Force 2004	29,484
Employed 2004	28,354
Unemployed 2004	1,130
Unemployment Rate 2004 (%)	3.8
Per Capita Income 2003	\$32,236
Medicaid Eligibles 2003 (unduplicated count)	7,227

#### ■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

### Vital Statistics 2003

(Rates are per 1,000 population)					
Resident Births	686	Total Pregnancies	806	Total Pregnancy Rate	76.5
Resident Deaths	495	Teen Pregnancies	90	Teen Pregnancy Rate	56.4
% Births <2500 gms	7.0	(ages 15-19)		(ages 15-19)	
Infant Mortality Rates 2003					
(Rates are per 1,000 population)					
Total	5.8	White	5.1	Nonwhite	9.8
Hospital/Facility Data					
General Hospital Discharges 2003 <sup>+</sup>	3,995	General Hospital Beds 2004 <sup>++</sup>	68	Nursing Facility Beds 2004	340

<sup>\*</sup>Numbers reported include those who are active within the profession and those with unknown activity status who were newly licensed in 2004; inactive are excluded.

<sup>\*</sup> Includes NC Medical Board licensed federal physicians in the armed services, US Public Health Service, Indian Health Service, and the Department of Veterans Affairs.

<sup>+</sup>Counts are for discharges of county residents from acute-care, short-stay hospitals; numbers exclude normal newborns.

<sup>++</sup>Counts of hospital beds in acute care short stay hospitals in county.