# **Chatham**



MSA county designation: Metropolitan AHEC Region: Greensboro AHEC

## ■ 2006 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS\*■

Physicians		<u>Nurses</u>	
Non-Federal Physicians	42	Registered Nurses	244
Primary Care Physicians Family Practice	30 21	Nurse Practitioners Certified Nurse Midwives	13 1
General Practice	0	Licensed Practical Nurses	100
Internal Medicine Obstetrics/Gynecology	6	Other Health Professionals	
Pediatrics  Pediatrics	2	Chiropractors	5
Other Specialties	12	Occupational Therapists	5
Physicians per 10,000 Population	7.3	Occupational Therapy Assistants	2
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	5.2	Optometrists Pharmacists Physical Therapists	4 32 9
Federal Physicians**	0	Physical Therapist Assistants	3
Dentists and Dental Hygienists		Physician Assistants	4
Dentists	16	Podiatrists	0
Dental Hygienists	30	Practicing Psychologists	5
		Psychological Associates	6
		Respiratory Therapists	3

#### ■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

# Projected Population 2006

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	48,175	11,650	29,190	7,335
Nonwhite	9,533	2,428	5,755	1,350
Total	57,708	14,078	34,945	8,685
% of Pop.	100.0%	24.4%	60.6%	15.0%

# Employment and Income Data

Employment and Income Bata				
Labor Force 2006	32,233			
Employed 2006	30,973			
Unemployed 2006	1,260			
Unemployment Rate 2006 (%)	3.9			
Per Capita Income 2005	\$38,426			
Medicaid Eligibles 2006	7,847			

## ■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

### Vital Statistics 2005

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(Rates are per 1,000 population)				
Resident Births	746	Total Pregnancies	872	Total Pregnancy Rate 80.8
Resident Deaths	510	0 Teen Pregnancies		Teen Pregnancy Rate 59.5
% Births <2500 gms	9.5	(ages 15-19)		(ages 15-19)
Infant Mortality Rates 2006				
(Rates are per 1,000 population)				
Total	9.4	White	7.6	Nonwhite 22.5
Hospital/Facility Data				
General Hospital Discharges 2005	4,582	General Hospital Beds 2006	68	Nursing Facility Beds 2006 376

<sup>\*</sup> Numbers reported include those active within the profession and those newly licensed in 2006 with unknown activity status; inactives 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.