Chatham



MSA county designation: Metropolitan AHEC Region: Greensboro AHEC

■ 2008 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS*■

Physicians		<u>Nurses</u>	
Non-Federal Physicians	42	Registered Nurses	244
Primary Care Physicians Family Practice	33 23	Nurse Practitioners Certified Nurse Midwives	15 1
General Practice	0	Licensed Practical Nurses	110
Internal Medicine Obstetrics/Gynecology	5 0	Other Health Professionals	
Pediatrics	5	Chiropractors	7
Other Specialties	9	Occupational Therapists	8
Physicians per 10,000 Population	6.9	Occupational Therapy Assistants	6
Primary Care Physicians	5.4	Optometrists Pharmacists	4 41
per 10,000 Population		Physical Therapists	18
Federal Physicians**	0	Physical Therapist Assistants	8
Dentists and Dental Hygienists		Physician Assistants	4
Dentists	14	Podiatrists	0
Dental Hygienists	28	Practicing Psychologists	8
3.5		Psychological Associates	4
		Respiratory Therapists	6

■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Projected Population 2008

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	51,068	12,768	30,919	7,381
Nonwhite	9,827	2,386	6,063	1,378
Total	60,895	15,154	36,982	8,759
% of Pop.	100.0%	24.9%	60.7%	14.4%

Employment and Income Data

Employment and Income Bata				
Labor Force 2008	33,542			
Employed 2008	31,849			
Unemployed 2008	1,693			
Unemployment Rate 2008 (%)	5.0			
Per Capita Income 2007	\$41,901			
Medicaid Eligibles 2008	6,268			

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2007

(Rates are per 1,000 population)				
Resident Births	734	Total Pregnancies	862	Total Pregnancy Rate 77.6
Resident Deaths		Teen Pregnancies	106	Teen Pregnancy Rate 65.1
% Births <2500 gms		(ages 15-19)		(ages 15-19)
Infant Mortality Rates 2007				
(Rates are per 1,000 population)				
Total	12.3	White	9.3	Nonwhite 34.9
Hospital/Facility Data				
General Hospital Discharges 2008	5,227	General Hospital Beds 2008.	25	Nursing Facility Beds 2008 396

^{*} Numbers reported include those active within the profession and those newly licensed in 2008 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.