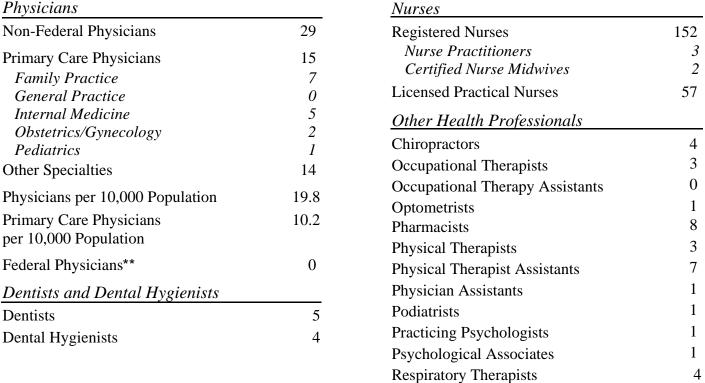
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AHEC Region: Eastern AHEC



MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan



■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Projected Population 2007

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+	
White	9,024	1,856	5,128	2,040	
Nonwhite	5,636	1,745	3,148	743	
Total	14,660	3,601	8,276	2,783	
% of Pop.	100.0%	24.6%	56.5%	19.0%	

Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2007	7,423			
Employed 2007	6,986			
Unemployed 2007	437			
Unemployment Rate 2007 (%)	5.9			
Per Capita Income 2006	\$28,933			
Medicaid Eligibles 2007	3,752			

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2006

(Rates are per 1,000 population) Resident Births	184	Total Pregnancies	217	Total Pregnancy Rate	83.1
Resident Deaths		Teen Pregnancies	41	Teen Pregnancy Rate	84.7
% Births <2500 gms	12.5	(ages 15-19)		(ages 15-19)	
Infant Mortality Rates 2007 (Rates are per 1,000 population)					
Total	5.4	White	0.0	Nonwhite	12.3
Hospital/Facility Data					
General Hospital Discharges 2006	1,697	General Hospital Beds 2007	49	Nursing Facility Beds 2007	170

^{*} Numbers reported include those active within the profession and those newly licensed in 2007 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.