MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan

■ 2012 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS*■

Physicians [°]	
Non-Federal Physicians	174
Primary Care Physicians	69
Family Practice	20
General Practice	0
Internal Medicine	27
Obstetrics/Gynecology	8
Pediatrics	14
Other Specialties	105
Physicians per 10,000 Population**	17.8
Primary Care Physicians	7.1
per 10,000 Population**	
Federal Physicians***	0
Dentists and Dental Hygienists	
Dentists	36
Dental Hygienists	64

DEMOGRAPHICS

Projected Population 2012

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	74,798	17,778	43,880	13,140
Nonwhite	22,904	7,452	12,992	2,460
Total	97,702	25,230	56,872	15,600
% of Pop.	100.0%	25.8%	58.2%	16.0%

HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS

Vital Statistics 2012

(Rates are per 1,000 population)			
Resident Births	1,088	Total Pregnancies 1,233	Total Pregnancy Rate67.2
Resident Deaths	1,065		
% Births <2500 gms (2012)	10.5	(ages 15-19)	(ages 15-19)
Infant Mortality Rates 2012			
(Rates are per 1,000 population)			
Total	7.3	White 1.3	Nonwhite 20.6
Hospital/Facility Data			
General Hospital Discharges 2012 ⁺	12,384	General Hospital Beds 2012 313	Nursing Facility Beds 2012 534

§ Please refer to page 4 of this book for an explanation of the change in physician numbers.

* Numbers reported include those active within the profession and those newly licensed in 2012 with unknown activity status; inactives are excluded

** Rates are based on 2012 population data.

*** Includes NC licensed federal physicians in the armed services, US Public Health Service, Indian Health Service, and the Department of Veteran 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.

Nurses	
Registered Nurses	1,043
Nurse Practitioners	41
Certified Nurse Midwives	2
Licensed Practical Nurses	299
Other Health Professionals	
Chiropractors	10
Occupational Therapists	16
Occupational Therapy Assistants	11
Optometrists	8
Pharmacists	76
Physical Therapists	40
Physical Therapist Assistants	25
Physician Assistants	28
Podiatrists	3
Practicing Psychologists	2
Psychological Associates	11
Respiratory Therapists	36

AHEC Region: Charlotte AHEC

Employment and Income Data

1 0	
Labor Force 2012	50,321
Employed 2012	45,094
Unemployed 2012	5,227
Unemployment Rate 2012 (%)	10.4
Per Capita Income 2012	\$32,852
Medicaid Eligibles 2012	27,976