



MSA county designation: Metropolitan

AHEC Region: Eastern

■ 2005 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS*■

Physicians

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| Non-Federal Physicians | 6 |
| Primary Care Physicians | 4 |
| <i>Family Practice</i> | 2 |
| <i>General Practice</i> | 0 |
| <i>Internal Medicine</i> | 1 |
| <i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i> | 1 |
| <i>Pediatrics</i> | 0 |
| Other Specialties | 2 |
| Physicians per 10,000 Population | 2.7 |
| Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population | 1.8 |
| Federal Physicians** | 0 |

Dentists and Dental Hygienists

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| Dentists | 5 |
| Dental Hygienists | 1 |

Nurses

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| Registered Nurses | 65 |
| <i>Nurse Practitioners</i> | 2 |
| <i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i> | 0 |
| Licensed Practical Nurses | 42 |

Other Health Professionals

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| Chiropractors | 2 |
| Optometrists | 1 |
| Pharmacists | 4 |
| Physical Therapists | 3 |
| Physical Therapist Assistants | 2 |
| Physician Assistants | 0 |
| Podiatrists | 0 |
| Practicing Psychologists | 0 |
| Psychological Associates | 1 |
| Respiratory Therapists | 0 |

■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Projected Population 2005

| | Total | Ages 0-19 | Ages 20-64 | Ages 65+ |
|------------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| White | 20,944 | 5,462 | 12,988 | 2,494 |
| Nonwhite | 1,673 | 483 | 974 | 216 |
| Total | 22,617 | 5,945 | 13,962 | 2,710 |
| % of Pop. | 100.0% | 26.3% | 61.7% | 12.0% |

Employment and Income Data

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| Labor Force 2005 | 11,611 |
| Employed 2005 | 11,267 |
| Unemployed 2005 | 344 |
| Unemployment Rate 2005 (%) | 3.0 |
| Per Capita Income 2004 | \$28,362 |
| Medicaid Eligibles 2004 <i>(unduplicated count)</i> | 2,602 |

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2004

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

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|--------------------|------|---|-----|--|------|
| Resident Births | 265 | Total Pregnancies | 326 | Total Pregnancy Rate | 72.5 |
| Resident Deaths | 176 | Teen Pregnancies <i>(ages 15-19)</i> | 42 | Teen Pregnancy Rate <i>(ages 15-19)</i> | 58.3 |
| % Births <2500 gms | 10.2 | | | | |

Infant Mortality Rates 2004

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

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|-------|-----|-------|-----|----------|-----|
| Total | 0.0 | White | 0.0 | Nonwhite | 0.0 |
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Hospital/Facility Data

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|---|-------|--|---|----------------------------|-----|
| General Hospital Discharges 2004 [†] | 1,059 | General Hospital Beds 2005 ^{††} | 0 | Nursing Facility Beds 2005 | 100 |
|---|-------|--|---|----------------------------|-----|

* Numbers reported include those who are active within the profession and those with unknown activity status who were newly licensed in 2005; inactive 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.