Franklin

AHEC Region: Wake



MSA county designation: Metropolitan

Physicians		Nurses	
Non-Federal Physicians	31	Registered Nurses	197
Primary Care Physicians	15	Nurse Practitioners	3
Family Practice	4	Certified Nurse Midwives	0
General Practice	1	Licensed Practical Nurses	68
Internal Medicine	9	Other Health Professionals	
Obstetrics/Gynecology	O		4
Pediatrics	1	Chiropractors	4
Other Specialties	16	Optometrists	2
Physicians per 10,000 Population	5.9	Pharmacists	18
• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •		Physical Therapists	8
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	2.8	Physical Therapist Assistants	6
	0	Physician Assistants	2
Federal Physicians**		Podiatrists	0
Dentists and Dental Hygienists		Practicing Psychologists	0
Dentists	6	Psychological Associates	2
Dental Hygienists	13	•	
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■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Projected Population 2004

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	37,140	10,027	23,176	3,937
Nonwhite	15,715	4,744	9,355	1,616
Total	52,855	14,771	32,531	5,553
% of Pop.	100.0%	27.9%	61.5%	10.5%

Employment and Income Data

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Labor Force 2004	25,832
Employed 2004	24,515
Unemployed 2004	1,317
Unemployment Rate 2004 (%)	5.1
Per Capita Income 2003	\$24,264
Medicaid Eligibles 2003	10,243

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2003

(Rates are per 1,000 population)				
Resident Births	637	Total Pregnancies	781	Total Pregnancy Rate 70.6
Resident Deaths	450	Teen Pregnancies	100	Teen Pregnancy Rate 60.0
% Births <2500 gms	8.2	(ages Ī5-19)		(ages 15-19)
Infant Mortality Rates 2003				
(Rates are per 1,000 population)				
Total	7.8	White	2.1	Nonwhite
Hospital/Facility Data				
General Hospital Discharges 2003 ⁺	5,273	General Hospital Beds 2004 ⁺⁺	70	Nursing Facility Beds 2004 258

^{*}Numbers reported include those who are active within the profession and those with unknown activity status who were newly licensed in 2004; 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.