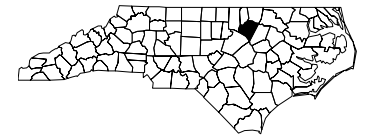


# Franklin



MSA county designation: Metropolitan

AHEC Region: Wake

## ■ 2005 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS\*■

### Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	36
Primary Care Physicians	21
<i>Family Practice</i>	7
<i>General Practice</i>	0
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	12
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	0
<i>Pediatrics</i>	2
Other Specialties	15
Physicians per 10,000 Population	6.6
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	3.9
Federal Physicians**	0

### Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	6
Dental Hygienists	14

### Nurses

Registered Nurses	202
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	3
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	0
Licensed Practical Nurses	59

### Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	4
Optometrists	3
Pharmacists	16
Physical Therapists	9
Physical Therapist Assistants	6
Physician Assistants	2
Podiatrists	0
Practicing Psychologists	0
Psychological Associates	1
Respiratory Therapists	9

## ■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

### Projected Population 2005

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
<b>White</b>	38,298	10,380	23,915	4,003
<b>Nonwhite</b>	15,883	4,743	9,505	1,635
<b>Total</b>	<b>54,181</b>	<b>15,123</b>	<b>33,420</b>	<b>5,638</b>
<b>% of Pop.</b>	100.0%	27.9%	61.7%	10.4%

### Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2005	26,655
Employed 2005	25,440
Unemployed 2005	1,215
Unemployment Rate 2005 (%)	4.6
Per Capita Income 2004	\$25,191
Medicaid Eligibles 2004 (unduplicated count)	10,635

## ■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

### Vital Statistics 2004

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	713	Total Pregnancies	891	Total Pregnancy Rate	79.3
Resident Deaths	423	Teen Pregnancies (ages 15-19)	128	Teen Pregnancy Rate (ages 15-19)	73.7
% Births <2500 gms	7.6				

### Infant Mortality Rates 2004

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total	7.0	White	3.9	Nonwhite	15.0
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### Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2004 <sup>†</sup>	5,360	General Hospital Beds 2005 <sup>††</sup>	70	Nursing Facility Beds 2005	258
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\* 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.

<sup>†</sup> Counts are for discharges of county residents from acute-care, short-stay hospitals; numbers exclude normal newborns.

<sup>††</sup> Counts of hospital beds in acute care short stay hospitals in county.