

Franklin



MSA county designation: Metropolitan

AHEC Region: Wake AHEC

■ 2009 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS*■

Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	25
Primary Care Physicians	16
<i>Family Practice</i>	5
<i>General Practice</i>	0
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	10
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	0
<i>Pediatrics</i>	1
Other Specialties	9
Physicians per 10,000 Population	4.2
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	2.7
Federal Physicians**	0

Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	4
Dental Hygienists	17

Nurses

Registered Nurses	210
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	5
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	0
Licensed Practical Nurses	76

Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	3
Occupational Therapists	13
Occupational Therapy Assistants	2
Optometrists	2
Pharmacists	22
Physical Therapists	14
Physical Therapist Assistants	12
Physician Assistants	3
Podiatrists	0
Practicing Psychologists	1
Psychological Associates	0
Respiratory Therapists	13

■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Projected Population 2009

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	42,721	11,116	26,800	4,805
Nonwhite	16,478	4,525	10,116	1,837
Total	59,199	15,641	36,916	6,642
% of Pop.	100.0%	26.4%	62.4%	11.2%

Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2009	27,293
Employed 2009	24,462
Unemployed 2009	2,831
Unemployment Rate 2009 (%)	10.4
Per Capita Income 2008	\$29,040
Medicaid Eligibles 2009	11,636

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2008

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	781	Total Pregnancies	915	Total Pregnancy Rate	77.5
Resident Deaths	462	Teen Pregnancies	118	Teen Pregnancy Rate	57.1
% Births <2500 gms	8.2	(ages 15-19)		(ages 15-19)	

Infant Mortality Rates 2008

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total	9.0	White	5.3	Nonwhite	18.8
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Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2008 ⁺	6,157	General Hospital Beds 2009 ⁺⁺	70	Nursing Facility Beds 2009	258
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* Numbers reported include those active within the profession and those newly licensed in 2009 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.