



MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan

AHEC Region: Eastern AHEC

■ 2007 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS*■

Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	6
Primary Care Physicians	6
<i>Family Practice</i>	3
<i>General Practice</i>	0
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	2
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	0
<i>Pediatrics</i>	1
Other Specialties	0
Physicians per 10,000 Population	2.8
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	2.8
Federal Physicians**	0

Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	6
Dental Hygienists	8

Nurses

Registered Nurses	89
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	3
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	0
Licensed Practical Nurses	40

Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	1
Occupational Therapists	1
Occupational Therapy Assistants	1
Optometrists	1
Pharmacists	4
Physical Therapists	0
Physical Therapist Assistants	1
Physician Assistants	6
Podiatrists	0
Practicing Psychologists	0
Psychological Associates	5
Respiratory Therapists	0

■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Projected Population 2007

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	12,314	3,185	7,448	1,681
Nonwhite	8,796	2,596	5,382	818
Total	21,110	5,781	12,830	2,499
% of Pop.	100.0%	27.4%	60.8%	11.8%

Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2007	9,347
Employed 2007	8,854
Unemployed 2007	493
Unemployment Rate 2007 (%)	5.3
Per Capita Income 2006	\$22,807
Medicaid Eligibles 2007	4,783

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2006

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	243	Total Pregnancies	282	Total Pregnancy Rate	73.0
Resident Deaths	170	Teen Pregnancies	42	Teen Pregnancy Rate	66.7
% Births <2500 gms	12.8	(ages 15-19)		(ages 15-19)	

Infant Mortality Rates 2007

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total	0.0	White	0.0	Nonwhite	0.0
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Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2006 ⁺	2,105	General Hospital Beds 2007 ⁺⁺	0	Nursing Facility Beds 2007	115
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* Numbers reported include those active within the profession and those newly licensed in 2007 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.