MSA county designation: Metropolitan



### 2008 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS\*

Physicians	
Non-Federal Physicians	1,133
Primary Care Physicians	465
Family Practice	138
General Practice	4
Internal Medicine	175
Obstetrics/Gynecology	64
Pediatrics	84
Other Specialties	665
Physicians per 10,000 Population	24.2
Primary Care Physicians	9.9
per 10,000 Population	
Federal Physicians**	7
Dentists and Dental Hygienists	
Dentists	250
Dental Hygienists	289

# ■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

### Projected Population 2008

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	298,131	71,503	182,082	44,546
Nonwhite	170,308	54,784	102,507	13,017
Total	468,439	126,287	284,589	57,563
% of Pop.	100.0%	27.0%	60.8%	12.3%

Nurses	
Registered Nurses	5,308
Nurse Practitioners	188
Certified Nurse Midwives	11
Licensed Practical Nurses	773
Other Health Professionals	
Chiropractors	59
Occupational Therapists	138
Occupational Therapy Assistants	45
Optometrists	49
Pharmacists	466
Physical Therapists	259
Physical Therapist Assistants	84
Physician Assistants	214
Podiatrists	16
Practicing Psychologists	102
Psychological Associates	50
Respiratory Therapists	219

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## Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2008	248,680
Employed 2008	233,211
Unemployed 2008	15,469
Unemployment Rate 2008 (%)	6.2
Per Capita Income 2007	\$37,013
Medicaid Eligibles 2008	63,770

#### HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS

(Rates are per 1,000 population)				
Resident Births	6,296	Total Pregnancies8,592	Total Pregnancy Rate83.2	
Resident Deaths	3,628	Teen Pregnancies 1,008	Teen Pregnancy Rate56.8	
% Births <2500 gms	9.8	(ages 15-19)	(ages 15-19)	
Infant Mortality Rates 2007				
(Rates are per 1,000 population)				
Total	9.5	White 5.9	Nonwhite 14.2	
Hospital/Facility Data				
General Hospital Discharges 2008	50,224	General Hospital Beds 2008 1,080	Nursing Facility Beds 20082,464	

\* Numbers reported include those active within the profession and those newly licensed in 2008 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.