

Henderson



MSA county designation: Metropolitan

AHEC Region: Mountain AHEC

■ 2010 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS*■

Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	242
Primary Care Physicians	117
<i>Family Practice</i>	56
<i>General Practice</i>	1
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	34
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	10
<i>Pediatrics</i>	16
Other Specialties	125
Physicians per 10,000 Population**	22.6
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population**	10.9
Federal Physicians***	2

Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	49
Dental Hygienists	75

Nurses

Registered Nurses	986
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	37
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	6
Licensed Practical Nurses	223

Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	25
Occupational Therapists	38
Occupational Therapy Assistants	13
Optometrists	8
Pharmacists	93
Physical Therapists	68
Physical Therapist Assistants	50
Physician Assistants	41
Podiatrists	6
Practicing Psychologists	11
Psychological Associates	3
Respiratory Therapists	40

■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Projected Population 2009

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	99,511	22,078	53,987	23,446
Nonwhite	5,735	1,747	3,255	733
Total	105,246	23,825	57,242	24,179
% of Pop.	100.0%	22.6%	54.4%	23.0%

Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2010	49,305
Employed 2010	45,165
Unemployed 2010	4,140
Unemployment Rate 2010 (%)	8.4
Per Capita Income 2008	\$35,901
Medicaid Eligibles 2009	16,065

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2009

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	1,237	Total Pregnancies	1,315	Total Pregnancy Rate	76.3
Resident Deaths	1,293	Teen Pregnancies	153	Teen Pregnancy Rate	53.0
% Births <2500 gms	8.3	(ages 15-19)		(ages 15-19)	

Infant Mortality Rates 2009

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total	4.2	White	4.5	Nonwhite	0.0
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Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2009 ⁺	12,630	General Hospital Beds 2010 ⁺⁺	263	Nursing Facility Beds 2010	912
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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.

** Rates are based on 2010 population data.

*** Includes NC 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.