

# Hertford



MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan

AHEC Region: Eastern AHEC

## ■ 2008 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS\*■

### Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	41
Primary Care Physicians	19
<i>Family Practice</i>	9
<i>General Practice</i>	0
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	5
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	2
<i>Pediatrics</i>	3
Other Specialties	22
Physicians per 10,000 Population	17.3
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	8.0
Federal Physicians**	0

### Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	10
Dental Hygienists	3

### Nurses

Registered Nurses	277
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	10
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	0
Licensed Practical Nurses	80

### Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	3
Occupational Therapists	3
Occupational Therapy Assistants	3
Optometrists	2
Pharmacists	19
Physical Therapists	2
Physical Therapist Assistants	15
Physician Assistants	8
Podiatrists	0
Practicing Psychologists	1
Psychological Associates	4
Respiratory Therapists	18

## ■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

### Projected Population 2008

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
<b>White</b>	8,591	1,608	5,256	1,727
<b>Nonwhite</b>	15,106	4,454	8,752	1,900
<b>Total</b>	<b>23,697</b>	<b>6,062</b>	<b>14,008</b>	<b>3,627</b>
<b>% of Pop.</b>	100.0%	25.6%	59.1%	15.3%

### Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2008	9,733
Employed 2008	9,070
Unemployed 2008	663
Unemployment Rate 2008 (%)	6.8
Per Capita Income 2007	\$24,923
Medicaid Eligibles 2008	5,768

## ■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

### Vital Statistics 2007

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	293	Total Pregnancies	365	Total Pregnancy Rate	77.3
Resident Deaths	282	Teen Pregnancies	72	Teen Pregnancy Rate	76.9
% Births <2500 gms	9.9	(ages 15-19)		(ages 15-19)	

### Infant Mortality Rates 2007

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total	17.1	White	11.9	Nonwhite	19.1
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### Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2008 <sup>+</sup>	2,809	General Hospital Beds 2008 <sup>++</sup>	86	Nursing Facility Beds 2008	151
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\* 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.