

Hertford



MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan

AHEC Region: Eastern AHEC

■ 2009 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS*■

Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	42
Primary Care Physicians	20
<i>Family Practice</i>	8
<i>General Practice</i>	0
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	8
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	1
<i>Pediatrics</i>	3
Other Specialties	22
Physicians per 10,000 Population	17.5
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	8.3
Federal Physicians**	1

Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	8
Dental Hygienists	2

Nurses

Registered Nurses	303
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	9
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	0
Licensed Practical Nurses	81

Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	3
Occupational Therapists	1
Occupational Therapy Assistants	2
Optometrists	2
Pharmacists	16
Physical Therapists	3
Physical Therapist Assistants	14
Physician Assistants	7
Podiatrists	0
Practicing Psychologists	1
Psychological Associates	4
Respiratory Therapists	17

■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Projected Population 2009

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	8,519	1,601	5,157	1,761
Nonwhite	15,441	4,647	8,758	2,036
Total	23,960	6,248	13,915	3,797
% of Pop.	100.0%	26.1%	58.1%	15.8%

Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2009	10,602
Employed 2009	9,613
Unemployed 2009	989
Unemployment Rate 2009 (%)	9.3
Per Capita Income 2008	\$26,985
Medicaid Eligibles 2009	7,290

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2008

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	334	Total Pregnancies	408	Total Pregnancy Rate	81.8
Resident Deaths	287	Teen Pregnancies	75	Teen Pregnancy Rate	76.5
% Births <2500 gms	12.6	(ages 15-19)		(ages 15-19)	

Infant Mortality Rates 2008

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total	24.0	White	20.2	Nonwhite	25.5
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Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2008 ⁺	2,809	General Hospital Beds 2009 ⁺⁺	86	Nursing Facility Beds 2009	151
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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.