

MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan AHEC Region: Eastern AHEC

■ 2010 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS*■

Physicians		<u>Nurses</u>	
Non-Federal Physicians	39	Registered Nurses	306
Primary Care Physicians Family Practice	20 7	Nurse Practitioners Certified Nurse Midwives	9 1
General Practice	0	Licensed Practical Nurses	77
Internal Medicine	9	Other Health Professionals	
Obstetrics/Gynecology Pediatrics	3	Chiropractors	3
Other Specialties	19	Occupational Therapists	1
Physicians per 10,000 Population**	15.8	Occupational Therapy Assistants	3
• •		Optometrists	2
Primary Care Physicians	8.1	Pharmacists	20
per 10,000 Population**		Physical Therapists	3
Federal Physicians***	0	Physical Therapist Assistants	14
Dentists and Dental Hygienists		Physician Assistants	9
Dentists	6	Podiatrists	0
Dental Hygienists	2	Practicing Psychologists	2
	_	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

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Labor Force 2010	9,814			
Employed 2010	8,845			
Unemployed 2010	969			
Unemployment Rate 2010 (%)	9.9			
Per Capita Income 2008	\$26,985			
Medicaid Eligibles 2009	7,290			

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2009

(Rates are per 1,000 population) Resident Births Resident Deaths	287			Total Pregnancy Rate 83.2 Teen Pregnancy Rate 88.2 (ages 15-19)
% Births <2500 gms Infant Mortality Rates 2009 (Rates are per 1,000 population)	17.0	(ages 15-17)		(uges 13-19)
Total	20.0	White	0.0	Nonwhite
General Hospital Discharges 2009.	2,884	General Hospital Beds 2010	86	Nursing Facility Beds 2010 151

^{*} 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.