MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan

# ■ 2001 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS\*

| Physicians                       |      |
|----------------------------------|------|
| Non-Federal Physicians           | 76   |
| Primary Care Physicians          | 31   |
| Family Practice                  | 15   |
| General Practice                 | 4    |
| Internal Medicine                | 5    |
| Obstetrics/Gynecology            | 5    |
| Pediatrics                       | 2    |
| Other Specialties                | 45   |
| Physicians per 10,000 Population | 15.3 |
| Primary Care Physicians          | 6.2  |
| per 10,000 Population            |      |
| Federal Physicians**             | 6    |
| Dentists and Dental Hygienists   |      |
| Dentists                         | 11   |
| Dental Hygienists                | 14   |

### Nurses **Registered Nurses** 488 Nurse Practitioners 9 Certified Nurse Midwives 1 Licensed Practical Nurses 190 Other Health Professionals 1 Chiropractors Optometrists 4 Pharmacists 38 Physical Therapists 14 Physical Therapist Assistants 8 **Physician Assistants** 10 Podiatrists 1 Practicing Psychologists 35 **Psychological Associates** 24

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# ■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

## Population Estimates 2001

|           | Total  | Ages 0-18 | Ages 19-64 | Ages 65+ |
|-----------|--------|-----------|------------|----------|
| White     | 31,619 | 7,829     | 20,143     | 3,647    |
| Nonwhite  | 18,052 | 4,582     | 11,470     | 2,000    |
| Total     | 49,671 | 12,411    | 31,613     | 5,647    |
| % of Pop. | 100.0% | 25.0%     | 63.6%      | 11.4%    |

# HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS

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| Vital Statistics 2000   |       |  |     |                            |      |
|---|-------|--|-----|----------------------------|------|
| (Rates are per 1,000 population)                                |       |  |     |                            |      |
| Resident Births   | 599   | Total Pregnancies                        | 757 | Total Pregnancy Rate       | 78.8 |
| Resident Deaths   | 445   | Teen Pregnancies                         | 108 | Teen Pregnancy Rate        | 85.6 |
| % Births <2500 gms  | 6.2   | (ages 15-19)                             |     | (ages 15-19)               |      |
| Infant Mortality Rates 2000<br>(Rates are per 1,000 population) |       |  |     |                            |      |
| Total   | 6.7   | White                                    | 7.3 | Nonwhite                   | 5.3  |
| Hospital/Facility Data  |       |  |     |                            |      |
| General Hospital Discharges 2000 <sup>+</sup>                   | 5,007 | General Hospital Beds 2001 <sup>++</sup> | 62  | Nursing Facility Beds 2001 | 240  |

\*Numbers reported include those who are active within the profession and those with unknown activity status who were newly licensed in 2001; inactive 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.

## Employment and Income Data

| Labor Force 2001                             | 23,088   |
|--|----------|
| Employed 2001                                | 21,707   |
| Unemployed 2001                              | 1,381    |
| Unemployment Rate 2001 (%)                   | 6.0      |
| Per Capita Income 2000                       | \$21,850 |
| Medicaid Eligibles 2001 (unduplicated count) | 7,599    |