

Southern Piedmont HSA III



Number of Counties in Region: 8

2010 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS*

Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	4,175
Primary Care Physicians	1,841
Family Practice	564
General Practice	11
Internal Medicine	644
Obstetrics/Gynecology	246
Pediatrics	376
Other Specialties	2,334
Physicians per 10,000 Population**	21.4
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population **	9.4
Federal Physicians ***	108

Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	955
Dental Hygienists	1,128

Nurses

Registered Nurses	18,459
Nurse Practitioners	665
Certified Nurse Midwives	36
Licensed Practical Nurses	2,874

Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	445
Occupational Therapists	588
Occupational Therapy Assistants	259
Optometrists	213
Pharmacists	1,781
Physical Therapists	1,053
Physical Therapist Assistants	484
Physician Assistants	616
Podiatrists	58
Practicing Psychologists	320
Psychological Associates	146
Respiratory Therapists	784

DEMOGRAPHICS

Projected Population 2009

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	1,421,215	374,807	879,465	166,943
Nonwhite	484,521	155,748	295,871	32,902
Total	1,905,736	530,555	1,175,336	199,845
% of Pop.	100.0%	27.8%	61.7%	10.5%

Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2010	951,846
Employed 2010	843,744
Unemployed 2010	108,102
Unemployment Rate 2010 (%)	11.4
Per Capita Income 2008	\$38,742
Medicaid Eligibles 2009	311,057

HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS

Vital Statistics 2009

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	28,556	Total Pregnancies	33,370	Total Pregnancy Rate	81.2
Resident Deaths	13,618	Teen Pregnancies	3,473	Teen Pregnancy Rate	53.7
% Births <2500 gms	9.0	(ages 15-19)		(ages 15-19)	

Infant Mortality Rates 2009

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total	6.6	White	4.0	Nonwhite	13.0
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Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2009 ⁺	205,157	General Hospital Beds 2010 ⁺⁺	3,817	Nursing Facility Beds 2010	7,566
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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 Veteran 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.