



MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan

AHEC Region: Eastern

■ 2003 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS*■

Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	2
Primary Care Physicians	2
Family Practice	2
General Practice	0
Internal Medicine	0
Obstetrics/Gynecology	0
Pediatrics	0
Other Specialties	0
Physicians per 10,000 Population	3.4
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	3.4
Federal Physicians**	0

Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	0
Dental Hygienists	0

Nurses

Registered Nurses	21
Nurse Practitioners	1
Certified Nurse Midwives	0
Licensed Practical Nurses	6

Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	0
Optometrists	0
Pharmacists	0
Physical Therapists	1
Physical Therapist Assistants	1
Physician Assistants	0
Podiatrists	0
Practicing Psychologists	0
Psychological Associates	0

■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Projected Population 2003

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	3,673	749	2,263	661
Nonwhite	2,157	469	1,387	301
Total	5,830	1,218	3,650	962
% of Pop.	100.0%	20.9%	62.6%	16.5%

Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2003	3,105
Employed 2003	2,876
Unemployed 2003	229
Unemployment Rate 2003 (%)	7.4
Per Capita Income 2002	\$19,420
Medicaid Eligibles 2002 (unduplicated count)	1,419

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2002

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	60	Total Pregnancies	67	Total Pregnancy Rate	67.1
Resident Deaths	64	Teen Pregnancies	6	Teen Pregnancy Rate	39.0
% Births <2500 gms	11.7	(ages 15-19)		(ages 15-19)	

Infant Mortality Rates 2002

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total	0.0	White	0.0	Nonwhite	0.0
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Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2002 ⁺	646	General Hospital Beds 2003 ⁺⁺	0	Nursing Facility Beds 2003	80
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*Numbers reported include those who are active within the profession and those with unknown activity status who were newly licensed in 2003; 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.