# **Johnston**

MSA county designation: Metropolitan AHEC Region: Wake AHEC



### ■ 2001 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS\* ■

Physicians		Nurses	
Non-Federal Physicians	91	Registered Nurses	501
Primary Care Physicians	56	Nurse Practitioners Certified Nurse Midwives	18 0
Family Practice	34	Licensed Practical Nurses	185
General Practice Internal Medicine Obstatuica/Cyrosology	3 13	Other Health Professionals	103
Obstetrics/Gynecology Pediatrics	5	Chiropractors	11
Other Specialties	35	Optometrists	12
Physicians per 10,000 Population	7.1	Pharmacists Physical Therapists	82 23
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	4.4	Physical Therapist Assistants	8
Federal Physicians**	2	Physician Assistants Podiatrists	19 0
Dentists and Dental Hygienists		Practicing Psychologists	3
Dentists	19	Psychological Associates	13
Dental Hygienists	34	, 5	_

#### ■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Ponul	ation	Estimates	200	71

	Total	Ages 0-18	Ages 19-64	Ages 65+
White	106,324	28,225	67,540	10,559
Nonwhite	21,460	7,063	12,664	1,733
Total	127,784	35,288	80,204	12,292
% of Pop.	100.0%	27.6%	62.8%	9.6%

## Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2001	61,415
Employed 2001	59,243
Unemployed 2001	2,172
Unemployment Rate 2001 (%)	3.5
Per Capita Income 2000	\$24,851
Medicaid Eligibles 2001 (unduplicated count)	21,063

### ■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

### Vital Statistics 2000

(Rates are per 1,000 population)					
Resident Births	2,121	Total Pregnancies	2,507	Total Pregnancy Rate	91.6
Resident Deaths	964	Teen Pregnancies	300	Teen Pregnancy Rate	87.3
% Births <2500 gms	8.1	(ages 15-19)		(ages 15-19)	
Infant Mortality Rates 2000					
(Rates are per 1,000 population)		3371 °.	5.0	37 12	12.0
Total	6.6	White	5.2	Nonwhite	13.2
Hospital/Facility Data					
General Hospital Discharges 2000 <sup>+</sup>	14.393	General Hospital Beds 2001 <sup>++</sup>	160	Nursing Facility Beds 2001	450

<sup>\*</sup>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.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Includes NC Medical Board licensed federal physicians in the armed services, US Public Health Service, Indian Health Service, and the Department of Veterans Affairs.

<sup>+</sup>Counts are for discharges of county residents from acute-care, short-stay hospitals; numbers exclude normal newborns.

<sup>++</sup>Counts of hospital beds in acute care short stay hospitals in county.