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MSA county designation: Metropolitan AHEC Region: Greensboro AHEC



■ 2001 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS* ■

Physicians		Nurses	
Non-Federal Physicians	1,070	Registered Nurses	2,330
Primary Care Physicians	385	Nurse Practitioners Certified Nurse Midwives	89 10
Family Practice	78		
General Practice	4	Licensed Practical Nurses	163
Internal Medicine	149	Other Health Professionals	
Obstetrics/Gynecology	49		17
Pediatrics	105	Chiropractors	17
Other Specialties	685	Optometrists	15
Physicians per 10,000 Population	88.5	Pharmacists	224
Primary Care Physicians	31.8	Physical Therapists	130
per 10,000 Population	31.0	Physical Therapist Assistants	17
1	12	Physician Assistants	33
Federal Physicians**	13	Podiatrists	1
Dentists and Dental Hygienists		Practicing Psychologists	191
Dentists	146	Psychological Associates	23
Dental Hygienists	82	, ,	

■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Population Estimates 2001

	Total	Ages 0-18	Ages 19-64	Ages 65+
White	97,438	21,514	67,545	8,379
Nonwhite	23,514	6,323	15,452	1,739
Total	120,952	27,837	82,997	10,118
% of Pop.	100.0%	23.0%	68.6%	8.4%

Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2001	64,302
Employed 2001	62,889
Unemployed 2001	1,413
Unemployment Rate 2001 (%)	2.2
Per Capita Income 2000	\$28,864
Medicaid Eligibles 2001	9,262

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2000

(Rates are per 1,000 population)					
Resident Births	1,260	Total Pregnancies	1,809	Total Pregnancy Rate	53.2
Resident Deaths	695	Teen Pregnancies	163	Teen Pregnancy Rate	24.1
% Births <2500 gms	7.5	(ages 15-19)		(ages 15-19)	
Infant Mortality Rates 2000					
(Rates are per 1,000 population) Total	3.2	W/la:4a	2.1	Nonwhite	
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Hospital/Facility Data					
General Hospital Discharges 2000	9,025	General Hospital Beds 2001 ⁺⁺	578	Nursing Facility Beds 2001	478

^{*}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.