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MSA county designation: Metropolitan AHEC Region: Greensboro



■ 2003 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS*■

Physicians		Nurses	
Non-Federal Physicians	1,130	Registered Nurses	2,401
Primary Care Physicians	424	Nurse Practitioners Certified Nurse Midwives	110 11
Family Practice	94	Licensed Practical Nurses	142
General Practice Internal Medicine	3 168		142
Obstetrics/Gynecology	58	Other Health Professionals	
Pediatrics Pediatrics	101	Chiropractors	19
Other Specialties	706	Optometrists	15
Physicians per 10,000 Population	90.1	Pharmacists	232
Primary Care Physicians	33.8	Physical Therapists	126
per 10,000 Population	33.6	Physical Therapist Assistants	16
Federal Physicians**	13	Physician Assistants	40
		Podiatrists	4
Dentists and Dental Hygienists		Practicing Psychologists	192
Dentists	135	Psychological Associates	25
Dental Hygienists	85	, .	

■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Projected Population 2003

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	100,961	26,621	65,648	8,692
Nonwhite	24,411	7,492	15,112	1,807
Total	125,372	34,113	80,760	10,499
% of Pop.	100.0%	27.2%	64.4%	8.4%

Employment and Income Data

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Labor Force 2003	66,116
Employed 2003	64,059
Unemployed 2003	2,057
Unemployment Rate 2003 (%)	3.1
Per Capita Income 2002	\$33,375
Medicaid Eligibles 2002 (unduplicated count)	10,098

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2002

(Rates are per 1,000 population)					
Resident Births	1,356	Total Pregnancies	1,874	Total Pregnancy Rate	46.3
Resident Deaths	678	Teen Pregnancies	171	Teen Pregnancy Rate(ages 15-19)	24.5
% Births <2500 gms	9.7	(ages 15-19)			
Infant Mortality Rates 2002					
(Rates are per 1,000 population)					
Total	5.9	White	5.8	Nonwhite	6.2
Hospital/Facility Data					
General Hospital Discharges 2002 ⁺	8,699	General Hospital Beds 2003 ⁺⁺	582	Nursing Facility Beds 2003	478

^{*}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.