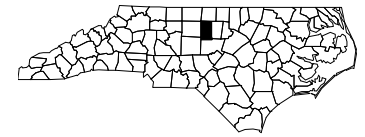


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MSA county designation: Metropolitan

AHEC Region: Greensboro AHEC

■ 2006 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS*■

Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	208
Primary Care Physicians	97
<i>Family Practice</i>	32
<i>General Practice</i>	1
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	31
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	10
<i>Pediatrics</i>	23
Other Specialties	111
Physicians per 10,000 Population	14.9
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	6.9
Federal Physicians**	0

Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	64
Dental Hygienists	67

Nurses

Registered Nurses	855
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	25
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	6
Licensed Practical Nurses	183

Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	20
Occupational Therapists	30
Occupational Therapy Assistants	6
Optometrists	17
Pharmacists	109
Physical Therapists	70
Physical Therapist Assistants	12
Physician Assistants	21
Podiatrists	4
Practicing Psychologists	11
Psychological Associates	4
Respiratory Therapists	25

■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Projected Population 2006

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	110,461	29,516	65,326	15,619
Nonwhite	29,325	9,098	17,344	2,883
Total	139,786	38,614	82,670	18,502
% of Pop.	100.0%	27.6%	59.1%	13.2%

Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2006	69,955
Employed 2006	66,089
Unemployed 2006	3,866
Unemployment Rate 2006 (%)	5.5
Per Capita Income 2005	\$27,551
Medicaid Eligibles 2006	24,606

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2005

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	1,820	Total Pregnancies	2,277	Total Pregnancy Rate	76.5
Resident Deaths	1,359	Teen Pregnancies	337	Teen Pregnancy Rate	64.2
% Births <2500 gms	10.7	(ages 15-19)		(ages 15-19)	

Infant Mortality Rates 2006

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total	11.0	White	9.5	Nonwhite	17.2
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Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2005 ⁺	16,070	General Hospital Beds 2006 ⁺⁺	182	Nursing Facility Beds 2006	872
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* Numbers reported include those active within the profession and those newly licensed in 2006 with unknown activity status; inactives 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.