



MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan

AHEC Region: Eastern AHEC

## ■ 2008 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS\*■

### Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	25
Primary Care Physicians	18
<i>Family Practice</i>	1
<i>General Practice</i>	0
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	16
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	0
<i>Pediatrics</i>	1
Other Specialties	7
Physicians per 10,000 Population	24.3
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	17.5
Federal Physicians**	0

### Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	1
Dental Hygienists	2

### Nurses

Registered Nurses	53
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	4
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	0
Licensed Practical Nurses	30

### Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	2
Occupational Therapists	0
Occupational Therapy Assistants	1
Optometrists	0
Pharmacists	3
Physical Therapists	4
Physical Therapist Assistants	4
Physician Assistants	0
Podiatrists	0
Practicing Psychologists	0
Psychological Associates	0
Respiratory Therapists	2

## ■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

### Projected Population 2008

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	6,649	1,576	3,952	1,121
Nonwhite	3,645	921	2,151	573
<b>Total</b>	<b>10,294</b>	<b>2,497</b>	<b>6,103</b>	<b>1,694</b>
% of Pop.	100.0%	24.3%	59.3%	16.5%

### Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2008	4,707
Employed 2008	4,395
Unemployed 2008	312
Unemployment Rate 2008 (%)	6.6
Per Capita Income 2007	\$28,860
Medicaid Eligibles 2008	1,830

## ■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

### Vital Statistics 2007

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	96	Total Pregnancies	116	Total Pregnancy Rate	67.1
Resident Deaths	123	Teen Pregnancies	20	Teen Pregnancy Rate	61.3
% Births <2500 gms	13.5	(ages 15-19)		(ages 15-19)	

### Infant Mortality Rates 2007

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total	20.8	White	0.0	Nonwhite	71.4
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### Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2008 <sup>+</sup>	1,669	General Hospital Beds 2008 <sup>++</sup>	0	Nursing Facility Beds 2008	80
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\* Numbers reported include those active within the profession and those newly licensed in 2008 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.