



MSA county designation: Metropolitan

AHEC Region: Eastern AHEC

■ 2012 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS*■

Physicians[§]

Non-Federal Physicians	11
Primary Care Physicians	8
<i>Family Practice</i>	1
<i>General Practice</i>	0
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	7
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	0
<i>Pediatrics</i>	0
Other Specialties	3
Physicians per 10,000 Population**	10.4
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population**	7.5
Federal Physicians***	0

Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	3
Dental Hygienists	3

Nurses

Registered Nurses	46
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	3
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	0
Licensed Practical Nurses	21

Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	1
Occupational Therapists	2
Occupational Therapy Assistants	1
Optometrists	0
Pharmacists	3
Physical Therapists	5
Physical Therapist Assistants	5
Physician Assistants	1
Podiatrists	0
Practicing Psychologists	0
Psychological Associates	0
Respiratory Therapists	1

■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Projected Population 2012

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	6,947	1,508	4,164	1,275
Nonwhite	3,668	958	2,080	630
Total	10,615	2,466	6,244	1,905
% of Pop.	100.0%	23.2%	58.8%	17.9%

Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2012	4,456
Employed 2012	3,989
Unemployed 2012	467
Unemployment Rate 2012 (%)	10.5
Per Capita Income 2012	\$37,924
Medicaid Eligibles 2012	2,468

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2012

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	118	Total Pregnancies	111	Total Pregnancy Rate	66.3
Resident Deaths	132	Teen Pregnancies	7	Teen Pregnancy Rate	*
% Births <2500 gms (2012)	12.4	(ages 15-19)		(ages 15-19)	

Infant Mortality Rates 2012

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total	0.0	White	0.0	Nonwhite	0.0
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Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2012 ⁺	1,227	General Hospital Beds 2012 ⁺⁺	0	Nursing Facility Beds 2012	80
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§ Please refer to page 4 of this book for an explanation of the change in physician numbers.

* Numbers reported include those active within the profession and those newly licensed in 2012 with unknown activity status; inactives are excluded

** Rates are based on 2012 population data.

*** Includes NC licensed federal physicians in the armed services, US Public Health Service, Indian Health Service, and the Department of Veteran 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.