

Macon



MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan

AHEC Region: Mountain AHEC

■ 2008 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS*■

Physicians

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| Non-Federal Physicians | 66 |
| Primary Care Physicians | 33 |
| <i>Family Practice</i> | 19 |
| <i>General Practice</i> | 0 |
| <i>Internal Medicine</i> | 9 |
| <i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i> | 1 |
| <i>Pediatrics</i> | 4 |
| Other Specialties | 33 |
| Physicians per 10,000 Population | 19.3 |
| Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population | 9.6 |
| Federal Physicians** | 1 |

Dentists and Dental Hygienists

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| Dentists | 16 |
| Dental Hygienists | 17 |

Nurses

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| Registered Nurses | 198 |
| <i>Nurse Practitioners</i> | 6 |
| <i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i> | 0 |
| Licensed Practical Nurses | 74 |

Other Health Professionals

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| Chiropractors | 6 |
| Occupational Therapists | 4 |
| Occupational Therapy Assistants | 4 |
| Optometrists | 4 |
| Pharmacists | 23 |
| Physical Therapists | 13 |
| Physical Therapist Assistants | 18 |
| Physician Assistants | 5 |
| Podiatrists | 0 |
| Practicing Psychologists | 3 |
| Psychological Associates | 0 |
| Respiratory Therapists | 20 |

■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Projected Population 2008

| | Total | Ages 0-19 | Ages 20-64 | Ages 65+ |
|--------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| White | 33,486 | 7,318 | 18,837 | 7,331 |
| Nonwhite | 739 | 282 | 397 | 60 |
| Total | 34,225 | 7,600 | 19,234 | 7,391 |
| % of Pop. | 100.0% | 22.2% | 56.2% | 21.6% |

Employment and Income Data

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| Labor Force 2008 | 16,308 |
| Employed 2008 | 15,321 |
| Unemployed 2008 | 987 |
| Unemployment Rate 2008 (%) | 6.1 |
| Per Capita Income 2007 | \$25,008 |
| Medicaid Eligibles 2008 | 3,698 |

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2007

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

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|--------------------|-----|-------------------|-----|----------------------|------|
| Resident Births | 194 | Total Pregnancies | 452 | Total Pregnancy Rate | 86.3 |
| Resident Deaths | 250 | Teen Pregnancies | 50 | Teen Pregnancy Rate | 60.9 |
| % Births <2500 gms | 8.2 | (ages 15-19) | | (ages 15-19) | |

Infant Mortality Rates 2007

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

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|-------|-----|-------|-----|----------|-----|
| Total | 7.3 | White | 7.6 | Nonwhite | 0.0 |
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Hospital/Facility Data

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|---|-------|--|----|----------------------------|-----|
| General Hospital Discharges 2008 ⁺ | 3,180 | General Hospital Beds 2008 ⁺⁺ | 83 | Nursing Facility Beds 2008 | 200 |
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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.