

# Macon



MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan

AHEC Region: Mountain AHEC

## ■ 2011 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS\*■

### Physicians<sup>§</sup>

Non-Federal Physicians	73
Primary Care Physicians	32
<i>Family Practice</i>	17
<i>General Practice</i>	0
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	9
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	0
<i>Pediatrics</i>	6
Other Specialties	41
Physicians per 10,000 Population**	21.2
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population**	9.3
Federal Physicians***	3
<b>Dentists and Dental Hygienists</b>	
Dentists	15
Dental Hygienists	18

### Nurses

Registered Nurses	214
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	10
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	0
Licensed Practical Nurses	64
<b>Other Health Professionals</b>	
Chiropractors	6
Occupational Therapists	6
Occupational Therapy Assistants	5
Optometrists	4
Pharmacists	26
Physical Therapists	15
Physical Therapist Assistants	21
Physician Assistants	4
Podiatrists	0
Practicing Psychologists	3
Psychological Associates	0
Respiratory Therapists	21

## ■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

### Projected Population 2009<sup>+++</sup>

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
<b>White</b>	33,105	6,851	17,806	8,448
<b>Nonwhite</b>	1,375	438	733	204
<b>Total</b>	<b>34,480</b>	<b>7,289</b>	<b>18,539</b>	<b>8,652</b>
<b>% of Pop.</b>	100.0%	21.1%	53.8%	25.1%

### Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2011	16,026
Employed 2011	14,213
Unemployed 2011	1,813
Unemployment Rate 2011 (%)	11.3
Per Capita Income 2010	\$29,793
Medicaid Eligibles 2011	4,974

## ■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

### Vital Statistics 2010

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	316	Total Pregnancies	345	Total Pregnancy Rate	69
Resident Deaths	416	Teen Pregnancies	46	Teen Pregnancy Rate	49.5
% Births <2500 gms (2009)	2.5	(ages 15-19)		(ages 15-19)	

### Infant Mortality Rates 2010

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total	6.0	White	8.0	Nonwhite	0.0
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### Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2010. <sup>+</sup>	3,272	General Hospital Beds 2011. <sup>++</sup>	83	Nursing Facility Beds 2011.	200
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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 2011 with unknown activity status; inactives are excluded

\*\* Rates are based on 2011 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.

+++ Population data by race/ethnicity and age for 2010 and 2011 were not yet available at the time of publication.