



MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan

AHEC Region: Eastern AHEC

## ■ 2006 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS\*■

### Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	6
Primary Care Physicians	6
<i>Family Practice</i>	2
<i>General Practice</i>	2
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	1
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	0
<i>Pediatrics</i>	1
Other Specialties	0
Physicians per 10,000 Population	4.6
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	4.6
Federal Physicians**	0

### Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	5
Dental Hygienists	7

### Nurses

Registered Nurses	45
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	3
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	0
Licensed Practical Nurses	9

### Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	0
Occupational Therapists	2
Occupational Therapy Assistants	0
Optometrists	0
Pharmacists	6
Physical Therapists	2
Physical Therapist Assistants	3
Physician Assistants	0
Podiatrists	0
Practicing Psychologists	1
Psychological Associates	1
Respiratory Therapists	0

## ■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

### Projected Population 2006

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
<b>White</b>	9,772	1,977	5,727	2,068
<b>Nonwhite</b>	3,325	738	2,059	528
<b>Total</b>	<b>13,097</b>	<b>2,715</b>	<b>7,786</b>	<b>2,596</b>
<b>% of Pop.</b>	100.0%	20.7%	59.4%	19.8%

### Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2006	5,859
Employed 2006	5,593
Unemployed 2006	266
Unemployment Rate 2006 (%)	4.5
Per Capita Income 2005	\$28,214
Medicaid Eligibles 2006	2,559

## ■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

### Vital Statistics 2005

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	111	Total Pregnancies	129	Total Pregnancy Rate	65.6
Resident Deaths	169	Teen Pregnancies	26	Teen Pregnancy Rate	86.1
% Births <2500 gms	9.9	(ages 15-19)		(ages 15-19)	

### Infant Mortality Rates 2006

(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 2005 <sup>+</sup>	1,662	General Hospital Beds 2006 <sup>++</sup>	0	Nursing Facility Beds 2006	96
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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.