

Richmond



MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan

AHEC Region: Southern Regional

■ 2006 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS*■

Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	46
Primary Care Physicians	31
<i>Family Practice</i>	15
<i>General Practice</i>	1
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	8
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	4
<i>Pediatrics</i>	3
Other Specialties	15
Physicians per 10,000 Population	9.9
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	6.6
Federal Physicians**	0

Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	12
Dental Hygienists	13

Nurses

Registered Nurses	348
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	10
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	0
Licensed Practical Nurses	98

Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	3
Occupational Therapists	4
Occupational Therapy Assistants	7
Optometrists	3
Pharmacists	30
Physical Therapists	10
Physical Therapist Assistants	12
Physician Assistants	8
Podiatrists	2
Practicing Psychologists	0
Psychological Associates	4
Respiratory Therapists	23

■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Projected Population 2006

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	30,358	7,647	17,802	4,909
Nonwhite	16,341	5,694	9,188	1,459
Total	46,699	13,341	26,990	6,368
% of Pop.	100.0%	28.6%	57.8%	13.6%

Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2006	20,266
Employed 2006	18,711
Unemployed 2006	1,555
Unemployment Rate 2006 (%)	7.7
Per Capita Income 2005	\$22,900
Medicaid Eligibles 2006	13,800

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2005

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	641	Total Pregnancies	750	Total Pregnancy Rate	81.5
Resident Deaths	499	Teen Pregnancies	141	Teen Pregnancy Rate	93.8
% Births <2500 gms	7.6	(ages 15-19)		(ages 15-19)	

Infant Mortality Rates 2006

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total	9.4	White	7.5	Nonwhite	12.4
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Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2005 ⁺	8,696	General Hospital Beds 2006 ⁺⁺	153	Nursing Facility Beds 2006	276
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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.