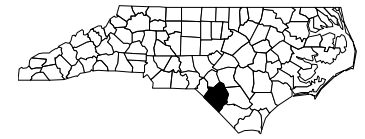


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MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan

AHEC Region: Southern Regional

■ 2006 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS*■

Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	135
Primary Care Physicians	70
<i>Family Practice</i>	24
<i>General Practice</i>	2
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	28
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	7
<i>Pediatrics</i>	9
Other Specialties	65
Physicians per 10,000 Population	10.5
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	5.4
Federal Physicians**	0

Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	23
Dental Hygienists	34

Nurses

Registered Nurses	810
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	24
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	5
Licensed Practical Nurses	266

Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	13
Occupational Therapists	6
Occupational Therapy Assistants	8
Optometrists	13
Pharmacists	72
Physical Therapists	32
Physical Therapist Assistants	21
Physician Assistants	47
Podiatrists	2
Practicing Psychologists	3
Psychological Associates	6
Respiratory Therapists	52

■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Projected Population 2006

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	45,565	12,272	27,117	6,176
Nonwhite	83,489	28,309	48,386	6,794
Total	129,054	40,581	75,503	12,970
% of Pop.	100.0%	31.4%	58.5%	10.1%

Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2006	54,231
Employed 2006	50,854
Unemployed 2006	3,377
Unemployment Rate 2006 (%)	6.2
Per Capita Income 2005	\$20,429
Medicaid Eligibles 2006	45,137

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2005

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	2,097	Total Pregnancies	2,406	Total Pregnancy Rate	88.2
Resident Deaths	1,126	Teen Pregnancies	475	Teen Pregnancy Rate	99.9
% Births <2500 gms	11.0	(ages 15-19)		(ages 15-19)	

Infant Mortality Rates 2006

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total	10.5	White	11.9	Nonwhite	9.7
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Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2005 ⁺	20,894	General Hospital Beds 2006 ⁺⁺	255	Nursing Facility Beds 2006	525
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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.