

Scotland



MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan

AHEC Region: Southern Regional

■ 2005 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS*■

Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	63
Primary Care Physicians	31
<i>Family Practice</i>	10
<i>General Practice</i>	1
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	9
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	4
<i>Pediatrics</i>	7
Other Specialties	32
Physicians per 10,000 Population	17.0
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	8.4
Federal Physicians**	1

Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	8
Dental Hygienists	9

Nurses

Registered Nurses	334
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	5
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	2
Licensed Practical Nurses	108

Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	5
Optometrists	4
Pharmacists	25
Physical Therapists	9
Physical Therapist Assistants	7
Physician Assistants	15
Podiatrists	0
Practicing Psychologists	3
Psychological Associates	2
Respiratory Therapists	23

■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Projected Population 2005

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	18,777	4,487	11,515	2,775
Nonwhite	18,283	6,337	10,424	1,522
Total	37,060	10,824	21,939	4,297
% of Pop.	100.0%	29.2%	59.2%	11.6%

Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2005	15,053
Employed 2005	13,570
Unemployed 2005	1,483
Unemployment Rate 2005 (%)	9.9
Per Capita Income 2004	\$21,722
Medicaid Eligibles 2004 (unduplicated count)	12,293

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2004

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	482	Total Pregnancies	594	Total Pregnancy Rate	75.2
Resident Deaths	349	Teen Pregnancies (ages 15-19)	100	Teen Pregnancy Rate (ages 15-19)	76.0
% Births <2500 gms	10.0				

Infant Mortality Rates 2004

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total	20.7	White	13.5	Nonwhite	27.0
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Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2004 [†]	5,751	General Hospital Beds 2005 ^{††}	97	Nursing Facility Beds 2005	207
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* Numbers reported include those who are active within the profession and those with unknown activity status who were newly licensed in 2005; inactive 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.