



MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan

AHEC Region: Wake AHEC

■ 2006 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS*■

Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	3
Primary Care Physicians	3
<i>Family Practice</i>	1
<i>General Practice</i>	1
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	1
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	0
<i>Pediatrics</i>	0
Other Specialties	0
Physicians per 10,000 Population	1.5
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	1.5
Federal Physicians**	0

Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	5
Dental Hygienists	6

Nurses

Registered Nurses	35
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	2
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	0
Licensed Practical Nurses	25

Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	0
Occupational Therapists	2
Occupational Therapy Assistants	1
Optometrists	0
Pharmacists	10
Physical Therapists	2
Physical Therapist Assistants	1
Physician Assistants	0
Podiatrists	1
Practicing Psychologists	0
Psychological Associates	0
Respiratory Therapists	0

■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Projected Population 2006

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	8,097	1,526	4,865	1,706
Nonwhite	11,872	3,334	6,844	1,694
Total	19,969	4,860	11,709	3,400
% of Pop.	100.0%	24.3%	58.6%	17.0%

Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2006	7,903
Employed 2006	7,391
Unemployed 2006	512
Unemployment Rate 2006 (%)	6.5
Per Capita Income 2005	\$20,368
Medicaid Eligibles 2006	5,787

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2005

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	205	Total Pregnancies	247	Total Pregnancy Rate	70.0
Resident Deaths	229	Teen Pregnancies	42	Teen Pregnancy Rate	70.7
% Births <2500 gms	17.1	(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 ⁺	1,961	General Hospital Beds 2006 ⁺⁺	0	Nursing Facility Beds 2006	140
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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.