

Washington



MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan

AHEC Region: Eastern

■ 2005 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS*■

Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	7
Primary Care Physicians	6
<i>Family Practice</i>	0
<i>General Practice</i>	3
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	3
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	0
<i>Pediatrics</i>	0
Other Specialties	1
Physicians per 10,000 Population	5.2
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	4.5
Federal Physicians**	0

Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	3
Dental Hygienists	3

Nurses

Registered Nurses	71
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	2
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	0
Licensed Practical Nurses	28

Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	0
Optometrists	2
Pharmacists	6
Physical Therapists	1
Physical Therapist Assistants	3
Physician Assistants	3
Podiatrists	0
Practicing Psychologists	0
Psychological Associates	0
Respiratory Therapists	4

■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Projected Population 2005

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	6,547	1,342	3,824	1,381
Nonwhite	6,881	2,175	3,893	813
Total	13,428	3,517	7,717	2,194
% of Pop.	100.0%	26.2%	57.5%	16.3%

Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2005	6,051
Employed 2005	5,629
Unemployed 2005	422
Unemployment Rate 2005 (%)	7.0
Per Capita Income 2004	\$22,983
Medicaid Eligibles 2004 <i>(unduplicated count)</i>	4,077

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2004

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	185	Total Pregnancies	220	Total Pregnancy Rate	88.1
Resident Deaths	157	Teen Pregnancies	51	Teen Pregnancy Rate	120.0
% Births <2500 gms	8.6	<i>(ages 15-19)</i>		<i>(ages 15-19)</i>	

Infant Mortality Rates 2004

(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 2004 [†]	1,793	General Hospital Beds 2005 ^{††}	49	Nursing Facility Beds 2005	114
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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.