

Cumberland



MSA county designation: Metropolitan

AHEC Region: Southern Regional

■ 2005 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS*■

Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	470
Primary Care Physicians	209
<i>Family Practice</i>	66
<i>General Practice</i>	6
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	66
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	28
<i>Pediatrics</i>	43
Other Specialties	261
Physicians per 10,000 Population	15.0
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	6.7
Federal Physicians**	156

Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	119
Dental Hygienists	151

Nurses

Registered Nurses	2,222
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	77
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	8
Licensed Practical Nurses	886

Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	25
Optometrists	28
Pharmacists	200
Physical Therapists	94
Physical Therapist Assistants	85
Physician Assistants	147
Podiatrists	9
Practicing Psychologists	38
Psychological Associates	25
Respiratory Therapists	122

■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Projected Population 2005

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	179,076	49,035	112,759	17,282
Nonwhite	133,924	45,932	79,470	8,522
Total	313,000	94,967	192,229	25,804
% of Pop.	100.0%	30.3%	61.4%	8.2%

Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2005	129,684
Employed 2005	122,345
Unemployed 2005	7,339
Unemployment Rate 2005 (%)	5.7
Per Capita Income 2004	\$29,425
Medicaid Eligibles 2004 (unduplicated count)	57,442

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2004

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	5,226	Total Pregnancies	7,012	Total Pregnancy Rate	97.9
Resident Deaths	1,986	Teen Pregnancies (ages 15-19)	859	Teen Pregnancy Rate (ages 15-19)	74.3
% Births <2500 gms	10.2				

Infant Mortality Rates 2004

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total	10.7	White	7.1	Nonwhite	16.1
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Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2004 [†]	26,154	General Hospital Beds 2005 ^{††}	506	Nursing Facility Beds 2005	939
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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.