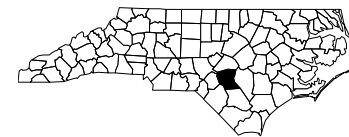


Cumberland



MSA county designation: Metropolitan

AHEC Region: Southern Regional

■ 2006 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS*■

Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	486
Primary Care Physicians	230
<i>Family Practice</i>	70
<i>General Practice</i>	4
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	75
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	33
<i>Pediatrics</i>	48
Other Specialties	256
Physicians per 10,000 Population	15.9
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	7.5
Federal Physicians**	167

Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	120
Dental Hygienists	165

Nurses

Registered Nurses	2,282
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	75
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	12
Licensed Practical Nurses	902

Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	23
Occupational Therapists	61
Occupational Therapy Assistants	21
Optometrists	32
Pharmacists	199
Physical Therapists	102
Physical Therapist Assistants	95
Physician Assistants	146
Podiatrists	8
Practicing Psychologists	42
Psychological Associates	25
Respiratory Therapists	129

■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Projected Population 2006

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	172,785	47,323	108,444	17,018
Nonwhite	133,760	45,777	79,287	8,696
Total	306,545	93,100	187,731	25,714
% of Pop.	100.0%	30.4%	61.2%	8.4%

Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2006	130,734
Employed 2006	123,533
Unemployed 2006	7,201
Unemployment Rate 2006 (%)	5.5
Per Capita Income 2005	\$33,192
Medicaid Eligibles 2006	60,289

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2005

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	5,529	Total Pregnancies	6,844	Total Pregnancy Rate	97.7
Resident Deaths	2,056	Teen Pregnancies	812	Teen Pregnancy Rate	69.8
% Births <2500 gms	8.9	(ages 15-19)		(ages 15-19)	

Infant Mortality Rates 2006

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total	12.1	White	8.2	Nonwhite	18.0
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Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2005 ⁺	27,868	General Hospital Beds 2006 ⁺⁺	394	Nursing Facility Beds 2006	939
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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.