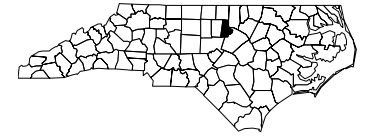


# Durham



MSA county designation: Metropolitan

AHEC Region: Wake

## ■ 2004 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS\*■

### Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	1,651
Primary Care Physicians	524
<i>Family Practice</i>	87
<i>General Practice</i>	5
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	232
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	78
<i>Pediatrics</i>	122
Other Specialties	1,127
Physicians per 10,000 Population	68.9
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	21.9
Federal Physicians**	93

### Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	148
Dental Hygienists	126

### Nurses

Registered Nurses	4,874
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	210
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	6
Licensed Practical Nurses	640

### Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	34
Optometrists	21
Pharmacists	622
Physical Therapists	211
Physical Therapist Assistants	22
Physician Assistants	230
Podiatrists	8
Practicing Psychologists	191
Psychological Associates	15
Respiratory Therapists	168

## ■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

### Projected Population 2004

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
<b>White</b>	129,452	30,236	84,045	15,171
<b>Nonwhite</b>	110,210	35,405	67,597	7,208
<b>Total</b>	<b>239,662</b>	<b>65,641</b>	<b>151,642</b>	<b>22,379</b>
<b>% of Pop.</b>	100.0%	27.4%	63.3%	9.3%

### Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2004	128,080
Employed 2004	122,364
Unemployed 2004	5,716
Unemployment Rate 2004 (%)	4.5
Per Capita Income 2003	\$31,129
Medicaid Eligibles 2003 (unduplicated count)	36,865

## ■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

### Vital Statistics 2003

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	3,867	Total Pregnancies	5,116	Total Pregnancy Rate	88.0
Resident Deaths	1,711	Teen Pregnancies (ages 15-19)	479	Teen Pregnancy Rate (ages 15-19)	59.7
% Births <2500 gms	9.3				

### Infant Mortality Rates 2003

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total	4.7	White	2.7	Nonwhite	7.4
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### Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2003 <sup>†</sup>	23,292	General Hospital Beds 2004 <sup>††</sup>	1,264	Nursing Facility Beds 2004	1,314
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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 2004; 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.

<sup>†</sup>Counts are for discharges of county residents from acute-care, short-stay hospitals; numbers exclude normal newborns.

<sup>††</sup>Counts of hospital beds in acute care short stay hospitals in county.