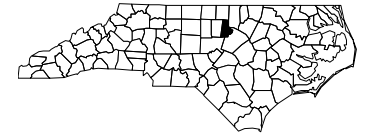


Durham



MSA county designation: Metropolitan

AHEC Region: Wake AHEC

■ 2006 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS*■

Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	1,657
Primary Care Physicians	540
<i>Family Practice</i>	83
<i>General Practice</i>	6
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	252
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	66
<i>Pediatrics</i>	133
Other Specialties	1,117
Physicians per 10,000 Population	67.1
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	21.9
Federal Physicians**	101

Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	167
Dental Hygienists	140

Nurses

Registered Nurses	5,210
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	247
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	8
Licensed Practical Nurses	629

Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	30
Occupational Therapists	113
Occupational Therapy Assistants	26
Optometrists	26
Pharmacists	637
Physical Therapists	236
Physical Therapist Assistants	23
Physician Assistants	235
Podiatrists	7
Practicing Psychologists	226
Psychological Associates	21
Respiratory Therapists	206

■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Projected Population 2006

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	131,685	31,267	85,065	15,353
Nonwhite	115,140	36,387	71,105	7,648
Total	246,825	67,654	156,170	23,001
% of Pop.	100.0%	27.4%	63.3%	9.3%

Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2006	135,753
Employed 2006	130,415
Unemployed 2006	5,338
Unemployment Rate 2006 (%)	3.9
Per Capita Income 2005	\$33,669
Medicaid Eligibles 2006	41,267

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2005

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	4,059	Total Pregnancies	5,375	Total Pregnancy Rate	91.4
Resident Deaths	1,669	Teen Pregnancies	552	Teen Pregnancy Rate	64.7
% Births <2500 gms	9.9	(ages 15-19)		(ages 15-19)	

Infant Mortality Rates 2006

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total	5.9	White	2.9	Nonwhite	10.5
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Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2005 ⁺	24,148	General Hospital Beds 2006 ⁺⁺	1,258	Nursing Facility Beds 2006	1,324
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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.