



MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan

AHEC Region: Charlotte AHEC

## ■ 2012 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS\*■

### Physicians<sup>§</sup>

|   |     |
|---|-----|
| Non-Federal Physicians                          | 20  |
| Primary Care Physicians                         | 11  |
| <i>Family Practice</i>                          | 6   |
| <i>General Practice</i>                         | 0   |
| <i>Internal Medicine</i>                        | 2   |
| <i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>                    | 1   |
| <i>Pediatrics</i>                               | 2   |
| Other Specialties                               | 9   |
| Physicians per 10,000 Population**              | 7.5 |
| Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population** | 4.1 |
| Federal Physicians***                           | 2   |
| <b>Dentists and Dental Hygienists</b>           |     |
| Dentists  | 4   |
| Dental Hygienists                               | 3   |

### Nurses

|                                   |     |
|-----------------------------------|-----|
| Registered Nurses                 | 118 |
| <i>Nurse Practitioners</i>        | 1   |
| <i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>   | 0   |
| Licensed Practical Nurses         | 65  |
| <b>Other Health Professionals</b> |     |
| Chiropractors                     | 1   |
| Occupational Therapists           | 5   |
| Occupational Therapy Assistants   | 5   |
| Optometrists                      | 1   |
| Pharmacists                       | 11  |
| Physical Therapists               | 7   |
| Physical Therapist Assistants     | 4   |
| Physician Assistants              | 2   |
| Podiatrists                       | 0   |
| Practicing Psychologists          | 3   |
| Psychological Associates          | 4   |
| Respiratory Therapists            | 6   |

## ■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

### Projected Population 2012

|                  | Total         | Ages 0-19    | Ages 20-64    | Ages 65+     |
|------------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| <b>White</b>     | 12,785        | 2,620        | 7,577         | 2,588        |
| <b>Nonwhite</b>  | 13,841        | 3,793        | 8,635         | 1,413        |
| <b>Total</b>     | <b>26,626</b> | <b>6,413</b> | <b>16,212</b> | <b>4,001</b> |
| <b>% of Pop.</b> | 100.0%        | 24.1%        | 60.9%         | 15.0%        |

### Employment and Income Data

|                            |          |
|----------------------------|----------|
| Labor Force 2012           | 10,914   |
| Employed 2012              | 9,619    |
| Unemployed 2012            | 1,295    |
| Unemployment Rate 2012 (%) | 11.9     |
| Per Capita Income 2012     | \$26,409 |
| Medicaid Eligibles 2012    | 7,635    |

## ■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

### Vital Statistics 2012

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

|                           |     |                   |     |                      |      |
|---------------------------|-----|-------------------|-----|----------------------|------|
| Resident Births           | 283 | Total Pregnancies | 289 | Total Pregnancy Rate | 65.0 |
| Resident Deaths           | 260 | Teen Pregnancies  | 39  | Teen Pregnancy Rate  | 48.4 |
| % Births <2500 gms (2012) | 9.8 | (ages 15-19)      |     | (ages 15-19)         |      |

### Infant Mortality Rates 2012

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

|       |      |       |     |          |      |
|-------|------|-------|-----|----------|------|
| Total | 16.4 | White | 0.0 | Nonwhite | 25.3 |
|-------|------|-------|-----|----------|------|

### Hospital/Facility Data

|   |       |  |    |                            |    |
|---|-------|--|----|----------------------------|----|
| General Hospital Discharges 2012 <sup>+</sup> | 3,015 | General Hospital Beds 2012 <sup>++</sup> | 52 | Nursing Facility Beds 2012 | 66 |
|---|-------|--|----|----------------------------|----|

§ Please refer to page 4 of this book for an explanation of the change in physician numbers.

\* Numbers reported include those active within the profession and those newly licensed in 2012 with unknown activity status; inactives are excluded

\*\* Rates are based on 2012 population data.

\*\*\* Includes NC licensed federal physicians in the armed services, US Public Health Service, Indian Health Service, and the Department of Veteran 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.