

Haywood



MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan

AHEC Region: Mountain

■ 2005 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS*■

Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	100
Primary Care Physicians	43
<i>Family Practice</i>	24
<i>General Practice</i>	0
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	12
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	2
<i>Pediatrics</i>	5
Other Specialties	57
Physicians per 10,000 Population	17.5
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	7.5
Federal Physicians**	0

Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	22
Dental Hygienists	43

Nurses

Registered Nurses	411
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	10
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	2
Licensed Practical Nurses	135

Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	10
Optometrists	5
Pharmacists	38
Physical Therapists	24
Physical Therapist Assistants	23
Physician Assistants	11
Podiatrists	3
Practicing Psychologists	3
Psychological Associates	8
Respiratory Therapists	21

■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Projected Population 2005

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	55,671	12,153	32,577	10,941
Nonwhite	1,426	422	855	149
Total	57,097	12,575	33,432	11,090
% of Pop.	100.0%	22.0%	58.6%	19.4%

Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2005	27,593
Employed 2005	26,398
Unemployed 2005	1,195
Unemployment Rate 2005 (%)	4.3
Per Capita Income 2004	\$25,346
Medicaid Eligibles 2004 (unduplicated count)	11,071

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2004

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	530	Total Pregnancies	610	Total Pregnancy Rate	59.5
Resident Deaths	660	Teen Pregnancies (ages 15-19)	95	Teen Pregnancy Rate (ages 15-19)	59.0
% Births <2500 gms	11.7				

Infant Mortality Rates 2004

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total	5.7	White	5.8	Nonwhite	0.0
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Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2004 [†]	7,436	General Hospital Beds 2005 ^{††}	170	Nursing Facility Beds 2005	475
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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.