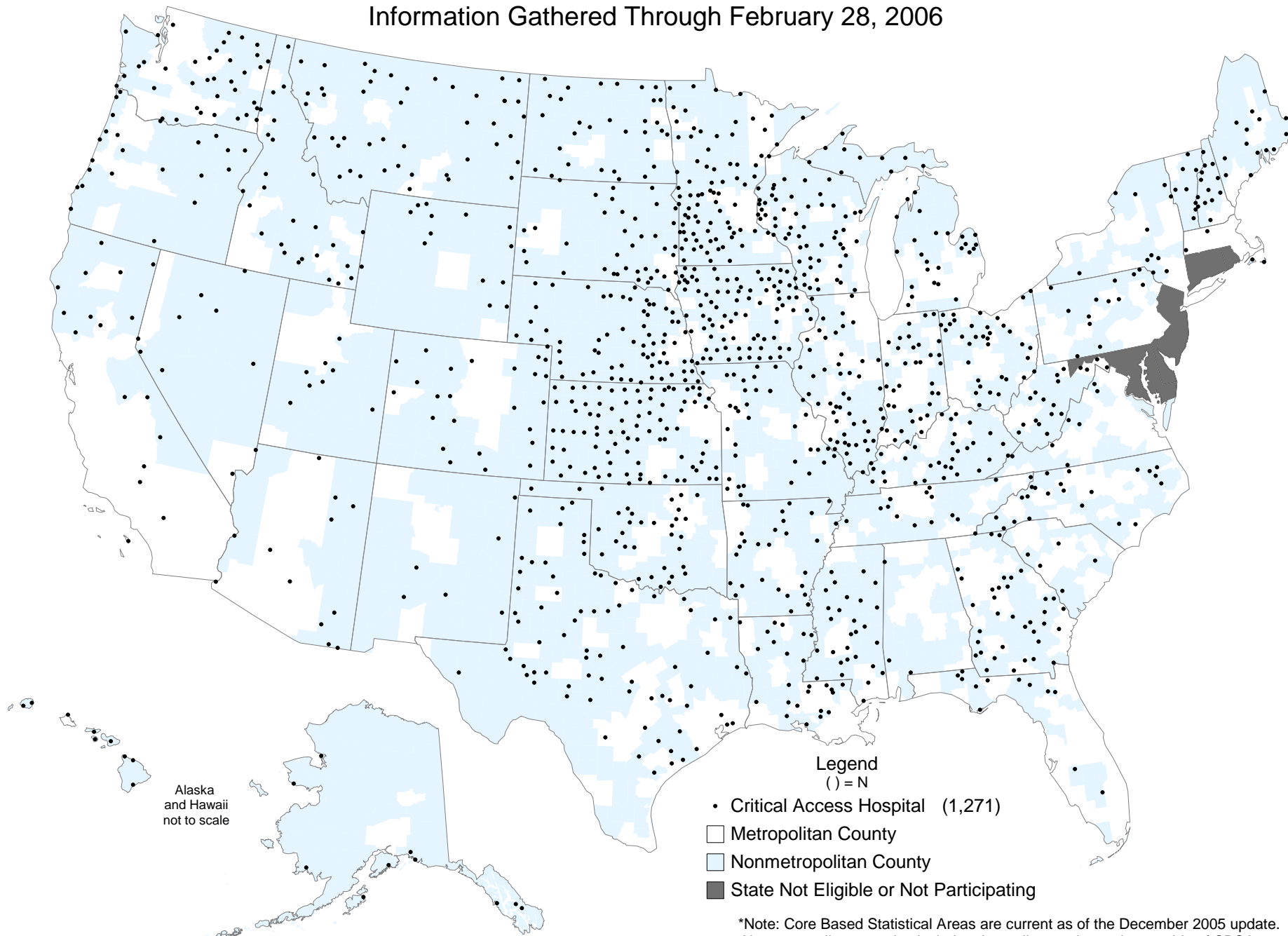


# Location of Critical Access Hospitals

Information Gathered Through February 28, 2006



Sources: US Census Bureau, 2005; CMS Regional Office, ORHP, and State Offices Coordinating with MRHFP, 2005 & 2006.

\*Note: Core Based Statistical Areas are current as of the December 2005 update. Nonmetropolitan counties include micropolitan and counties outside of CBSAs. Produced By: North Carolina Rural Health Research and Policy Analysis Center, Cecil G. Sheps Center for Health Services Research, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.