

# Burke



MSA county designation: Metropolitan

AHEC Region: Northwest AHEC

## ■ 2001 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS\* ■

### Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	162
Primary Care Physicians	67
<i>Family Practice</i>	36
<i>General Practice</i>	4
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	13
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	8
<i>Pediatrics</i>	6
Other Specialties	95
Physicians per 10,000 Population	18.2
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	7.5
Federal Physicians**	1

### Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	25
Dental Hygienists	28

### Nurses

Registered Nurses	950
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	11
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	4
Licensed Practical Nurses	171

### Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	9
Optometrists	4
Pharmacists	79
Physical Therapists	35
Physical Therapist Assistants	32
Physician Assistants	18
Podiatrists	1
Practicing Psychologists	32
Psychological Associates	46

## ■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

### Population Estimates 2001

	Total	Ages 0-18	Ages 19-64	Ages 65+
<b>White</b>	78,505	18,581	48,717	11,207
<b>Nonwhite</b>	10,523	4,113	5,640	770
<b>Total</b>	<b>89,028</b>	<b>22,694</b>	<b>54,357</b>	<b>11,977</b>
<b>% of Pop.</b>	100.0%	25.5%	61.1%	13.5%

### Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2001	44,462
Employed 2001	41,513
Unemployed 2001	2,949
Unemployment Rate 2001 (%)	6.6
Per Capita Income 2000	\$21,729
Medicaid Eligibles 2001 <i>(unduplicated count)</i>	15,047

## ■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

### Vital Statistics 2000

*(Rates are per 1,000 population)*

Resident Births	1,167	Total Pregnancies	1,336	Total Pregnancy Rate	75.0
Resident Deaths	849	Teen Pregnancies <i>(ages 15-19)</i>	241	Teen Pregnancy Rate <i>(ages 15-19)</i>	94.0
% Births <2500 gms	9.6				

### Infant Mortality Rates 2000

*(Rates are per 1,000 population)*

Total	10.3	White	8.9	Nonwhite	19.1
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### Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2000 <sup>†</sup>	11,140	General Hospital Beds 2001 <sup>††</sup>	354	Nursing Facility Beds 2001	466
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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 2001; 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.