



MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan

AHEC Region: Greensboro AHEC

■ 2001 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS* ■

Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	14
Primary Care Physicians	13
<i>Family Practice</i>	9
<i>General Practice</i>	0
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	3
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	0
<i>Pediatrics</i>	1
Other Specialties	1
Physicians per 10,000 Population	5.9
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	5.5
Federal Physicians**	0

Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	3
Dental Hygienists	1

Nurses

Registered Nurses	79
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	4
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	0
Licensed Practical Nurses	42

Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	0
Optometrists	1
Pharmacists	7
Physical Therapists	3
Physical Therapist Assistants	3
Physician Assistants	1
Podiatrists	1
Practicing Psychologists	0
Psychological Associates	1

■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Population Estimates 2001

	Total	Ages 0-18	Ages 19-64	Ages 65+
White	14,888	3,555	9,313	2,020
Nonwhite	8,830	2,168	5,558	1,104
Total	23,718	5,723	14,871	3,124
% of Pop.	100.0%	24.1%	62.7%	13.2%

Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2001	12,839
Employed 2001	12,145
Unemployed 2001	694
Unemployment Rate 2001 (%)	5.4
Per Capita Income 2000	\$19,494
Medicaid Eligibles 2001 <i>(unduplicated count)</i>	4,448

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2000

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	262	Total Pregnancies	310	Total Pregnancy Rate	68.5
Resident Deaths	216	Teen Pregnancies	37	Teen Pregnancy Rate	52.3
% Births <2500 gms	11.8	<i>(ages 15-19)</i>		<i>(ages 15-19)</i>	

Infant Mortality Rates 2000

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total	15.3	White	17.0	Nonwhite	11.6
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Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2000 [†]	1,181	General Hospital Beds 2001 ^{††}	Nursing Facility Beds 2001	137
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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.

[†]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.