

# Craven



MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan

AHEC Region: Eastern AHEC

## ■ 2001 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS\* ■

### Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	182
Primary Care Physicians	71
<i>Family Practice</i>	14
<i>General Practice</i>	3
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	30
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	10
<i>Pediatrics</i>	14
Other Specialties	111
Physicians per 10,000 Population	19.8
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	7.7
Federal Physicians**	12

### Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	41
Dental Hygienists	47

### Nurses

Registered Nurses	890
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	23
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	1
Licensed Practical Nurses	272

### Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	14
Optometrists	13
Pharmacists	57
Physical Therapists	28
Physical Therapist Assistants	21
Physician Assistants	19
Podiatrists	3
Practicing Psychologists	13
Psychological Associates	18

## ■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

### Population Estimates 2001

	Total	Ages 0-18	Ages 19-64	Ages 65+
<b>White</b>	66,364	15,539	40,722	10,103
<b>Nonwhite</b>	25,605	8,166	15,072	2,367
<b>Total</b>	<b>91,969</b>	<b>23,705</b>	<b>55,794</b>	<b>12,470</b>
<b>% of Pop.</b>	100.0%	25.8%	60.7%	13.6%

### Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2001	36,783
Employed 2001	34,851
Unemployed 2001	1,932
Unemployment Rate 2001 (%)	5.2
Per Capita Income 2000	\$25,342
Medicaid Eligibles 2001 (unduplicated count)	16,258

## ■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

### Vital Statistics 2000

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	1,652	Total Pregnancies	1,934	Total Pregnancy Rate	103.2
Resident Deaths	826	Teen Pregnancies (ages 15-19)	299	Teen Pregnancy Rate (ages 15-19)	103.7
% Births <2500 gms	8.5				

### Infant Mortality Rates 2000

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total	6.7	White	2.6	Nonwhite	16.7
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### Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2000 <sup>†</sup>	12,413	General Hospital Beds 2001 <sup>††</sup>	270	Nursing Facility Beds 2001	461
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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.