

Harnett



MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan

AHEC Region: Southern Regional

■ 2002 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS* ■

Physicians

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| Non-Federal Physicians | 63 |
| Primary Care Physicians | 41 |
| <i>Family Practice</i> | 17 |
| <i>General Practice</i> | 2 |
| <i>Internal Medicine</i> | 14 |
| <i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i> | 2 |
| <i>Pediatrics</i> | 6 |
| Other Specialties | 22 |
| Physicians per 10,000 Population | 6.5 |
| Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population | 4.3 |
| Federal Physicians ** | 2 |

Dentists and Dental Hygienists

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| Dentists | 19 |
| Dental Hygienists | 26 |

Nurses

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| Registered Nurses | 333 |
| <i>Nurse Practitioners</i> | 6 |
| <i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i> | 0 |
| Licensed Practical Nurses | 159 |

Other Health Professionals

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| Chiropractors | 5 |
| Optometrists | 10 |
| Pharmacists | 62 |
| Physical Therapists | 17 |
| Physical Therapist Assistants | 12 |
| Physician Assistants | 21 |
| Podiatrists | 1 |
| Practicing Psychologists | 4 |
| Psychological Associates | 5 |

■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Projected Population 2002

| | Total | Ages 0-19 | Ages 20-6 | Ages 65+ |
|------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|
| White | 72,017 | 20,465 | 43,699 | 7,853 |
| Nonwhite | 24,276 | 8,661 | 13,774 | 1,841 |
| Total | 96,293 | 29,126 | 57,473 | 9,694 |
| % of Pop. | 100.0% | 30.2% | 59.7% | 10.1% |

Employment and Income Data

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| Labor Force 2002 | 37,715 |
| Employed 2002 | 34,440 |
| Unemployed 2002 | 3,275 |
| Unemployment Rate 2002 (%) | 8.7 |
| Per Capita Income 2001 | \$20,081 |
| Medicaid Eligibles 2001 (unduplicated count) | 18,831 |

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2001

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

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|--------------------|-------|----------------------------------|-------|-------------------------------------|------|
| Resident Births | 1,504 | Total Pregnancies | 1,779 | Total Pregnancy Rate | 83.2 |
| Resident Deaths | 738 | Teen Pregnancies (ages 15-19) | 271 | Teen Pregnancy Rate (ages 15-19) | 79.1 |
| % Births <2500 gms | 8.6 | | | | |

Infant Mortality Rates 2001

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

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|-------|-----|-------|-----|----------|-----|
| Total | 3.3 | White | 2.7 | Nonwhite | 5.1 |
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Hospital/Facility Data

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|---|--------|--|-----|----------------------------|-----|
| General Hospital Discharges 2001 [†] | 10,348 | General Hospital Beds 2002 ^{††} | 151 | Nursing Facility Beds 2002 | 431 |
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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 2002; 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.