

# Haywood



MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan

AHEC Region: Mountain

## ■ ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS\* ■

### Physicians 2000

Non-Federal Physicians	84
Primary Care Physicians	37
<i>Family Practice</i>	22
<i>General Practice</i>	1
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	7
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	3
<i>Pediatrics</i>	4
Other Specialties	47
Physicians per 10,000 Population	15.5
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	6.8
Federal Physicians**	2

### Dentists and Dental Hygienists 1999<sup>‡</sup>

Dentists	22
Dental Hygienists	28

### Nurses 2000

Registered Nurses	362
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	11
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	5
Licensed Practical Nurses	161

### Other Health Professionals 2000

Chiropractors	11
Optometrists	4
Pharmacists	43
Physical Therapists	18
Physical Therapist Assistant	15
Physician Assistants	6
Podiatrists	3
Practicing Psychologists	1
Psychological Associates	7

## ■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

### Population Estimates 2000

	Total	Ages 0-18	Ages 19-64	Ages 65+
<b>White</b>	52,330	11,195	31,032	10,103
<b>Nonwhite</b>	1,703	543	991	169
<b>Total</b>	<b>54,033</b>	<b>11,738</b>	<b>32,023</b>	<b>10,272</b>
<b>% of Pop.</b>	100.0%	21.7%	59.3%	19.0%

### Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2000	23,280
Employed 2000	22,362
Unemployed 2000	918
Unemployment Rate 2000 (%)	3.9
Per Capita Income 1999	\$22,301
Medicaid Eligible 2000 (unduplicated count)	8,797

## ■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

### Vital Statistics 1999

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	553	Total Pregnancies	674	Total Pregnancy Rate	72.8
Resident Deaths	682	Teen Pregnancies (ages 15-19)	95	Teen Pregnancy Rate (ages 15-19)	75.0
% Births <2500 gms.	7.1				

### Infant Mortality Rates 1999

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total	3.6	White	3.7	Nonwhite	0.0
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### Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2000 <sup>+</sup>	7,448	General Hospital Beds 2000 <sup>++</sup>	178	Nursing Facility Beds 2000	475
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\*Numbers reported include those who are active within the profession and those with unknown activity status; 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> 2000 dentist and hygienist data will be released in a separate supplement that will follow this report. See <http://www.shepscenter.unc.edu/hp>.

<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.