

Hoke



MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan

AHEC Region: Southern Regional

■ ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS* ■

Physicians 2000

Non-Federal Physicians	15
Primary Care Physicians	15
<i>Family Practice</i>	7
<i>General Practice</i>	2
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	6
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	0
<i>Pediatrics</i>	0
Other Specialties	0
Physicians per 10,000 Population	4.5
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	4.5
Federal Physicians**	0

Dentists and Dental Hygienists 1999[‡]

Dentists	5
Dental Hygienists	13

Nurses 2000

Registered Nurses	103
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	1
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	1
Licensed Practical Nurses	95

Other Health Professionals 2000

Chiropractors	2
Optometrists	1
Pharmacists	15
Physical Therapists	2
Physical Therapist Assistant	7
Physician Assistants	8
Podiatrists	0
Practicing Psychologists	1
Psychological Associates	3

■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Population Estimates 2000

	Total	Ages 0-18	Ages 19-64	Ages 65+
White	14,982	4,057	9,544	1,381
Nonwhite	18,664	6,414	11,033	1,217
Total	33,646	10,471	20,577	2,598
% of Pop.	100.0%	31.1%	61.2%	7.7%

Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2000	12,105
Employed 2000	11,139
Unemployed 2000	966
Unemployment Rate 2000 (%)	8.0
Per Capita Income 1999	\$13,560
Medicaid Eligible 2000 (unduplicated count)	7,154

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 1999

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	662	Total Pregnancies	770	Total Pregnancy Rate	115.7
Resident Deaths	221	Teen Pregnancies (ages 15-19)	145	Teen Pregnancy Rate (ages 15-19)	133.0
% Births <2500 gms.	8.0				

Infant Mortality Rates 1999

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total	6.0	White	5.7	Nonwhite	6.5
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Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2000 ⁺	2,863	General Hospital Beds 2000 ⁺⁺	0	Nursing Facility Beds 2000	132
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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.

[‡] 2000 dentist and hygienist data will be released in a separate supplement that will follow this report. See <http://www.shepscenter.unc.edu/hp>.

⁺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.