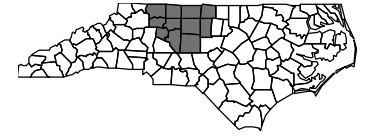


# Piedmont HSA II



Number of Counties in Region: 11

## 2006 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS\*

### Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	3,189
Primary Care Physicians	1,350
Family Practice	434
General Practice	20
Internal Medicine	491
Obstetrics/Gynecology	151
Pediatrics	254
Other Specialties	1,839
Physicians per 10,000 Population	20.9
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	8.8
Federal Physicians **	23

### Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	634
Dental Hygienists	848

### Nurses

Registered Nurses	14,259
Nurse Practitioners	440
Certified Nurse Midwives	26
Licensed Practical Nurses	2,776

### Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	153
Occupational Therapists	335
Occupational Therapy Assistants	118
Optometrists	169
Pharmacists	1,330
Physical Therapists	676
Physical Therapist Assistants	252
Physician Assistants	541
Podiatrists	47
Practicing Psychologists	207
Psychological Associates	109
Respiratory Therapists	615

## DEMOGRAPHICS

### Projected Population 2006

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	1,176,593	299,472	711,650	165,471
Nonwhite	350,403	112,461	209,406	28,536
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,526,996</b>	<b>411,933</b>	<b>921,056</b>	<b>194,007</b>
% of Pop.	100.0%	27.0%	60.3%	12.7%

### Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2006	804,349
Employed 2006	764,880
Unemployed 2006	39,469
Unemployment Rate 2006 (%)	4.9
Per Capita Income 2005	\$30,919
Medicaid Eligibles 2006	276,886

## HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS

### Vital Statistics 2005

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	19,787	Total Pregnancies	24,951	Total Pregnancy Rate	78.4
Resident Deaths	13,872	Teen Pregnancies	3,115	Teen Pregnancy Rate	59.5
% Births <2500 gms	9.7	(ages 15-19)		(ages 15-19)	

### Infant Mortality Rates 2005

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total	9.1	White	7.5	Nonwhite	14.0
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### Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2005 <sup>+</sup>	173,761	General Hospital Beds 2006 <sup>++</sup>	3,730	Nursing Facility Beds 2006	8,563
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\* Numbers reported include those active within the profession and those newly licensed in 2006 with unknown activity status; inactives 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.