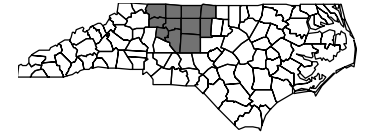


# Piedmont HSA II



Number of Counties in Region: 11

## 2008 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS\*

### Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	3,342
Primary Care Physicians	1,396
Family Practice	453
General Practice	18
Internal Medicine	503
Obstetrics/Gynecology	158
Pediatrics	264
Other Specialties	1,940
Physicians per 10,000 Population	21.3
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	8.9
Federal Physicians **	34

### Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	632
Dental Hygienists	892

### Nurses

Registered Nurses	15,059
Nurse Practitioners	542
Certified Nurse Midwives	29
Licensed Practical Nurses	2,886

### Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	171
Occupational Therapists	361
Occupational Therapy Assistants	139
Optometrists	173
Pharmacists	1,405
Physical Therapists	754
Physical Therapist Assistants	291
Physician Assistants	596
Podiatrists	48
Practicing Psychologists	210
Psychological Associates	104
Respiratory Therapists	695

## DEMOGRAPHICS

### Projected Population 2008

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-64	Ages 65+
White	1,205,586	303,446	725,223	176,917
Nonwhite	366,812	112,474	221,907	32,431
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,572,398</b>	<b>415,920</b>	<b>947,130</b>	<b>209,348</b>
% of Pop.	100.0%	26.5%	60.2%	13.3%

### Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2008	801,265
Employed 2008	749,298
Unemployed 2008	51,967
Unemployment Rate 2008 (%)	6.5
Per Capita Income 2007	\$33,085
Medicaid Eligibles 2008	226,298

## HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS

### Vital Statistics 2007

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	20,851	Total Pregnancies	26,122	Total Pregnancy Rate	81.5
Resident Deaths	13,916	Teen Pregnancies	3,337	Teen Pregnancy Rate	59.4
% Births <2500 gms	9.7	(ages 15-19)		(ages 15-19)	

### Infant Mortality Rates 2007

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total	10.4	White	8.2	Nonwhite	16.6
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### Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2008 <sup>+</sup>	176,186	General Hospital Beds 2008 <sup>++</sup>	3,741	Nursing Facility Beds 2008	8,194
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\* Numbers reported include those active within the profession and those newly licensed in 2008 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.