



MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan

AHEC Region: Eastern

## ■ 2002 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS\* ■

### Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	20
Primary Care Physicians	15
<i>Family Practice</i>	1
<i>General Practice</i>	0
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	13
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	0
<i>Pediatrics</i>	1
Other Specialties	5
Physicians per 10,000 Population	19.3
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	14.4
Federal Physicians **	0

### Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	0
Dental Hygienists	0

### Nurses

Registered Nurses	40
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	3
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	0
Licensed Practical Nurses	27

### Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	1
Optometrists	0
Pharmacists	2
Physical Therapists	2
Physical Therapist Assistants	1
Physician Assistants	2
Podiatrists	0
Practicing Psychologists	0
Psychological Associates	0

## ■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

### Projected Population 2002

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-6	Ages 65+
<b>White</b>	6,564	1,642	3,868	1,054
<b>Nonwhite</b>	3,820	1,128	2,089	603
<b>Total</b>	<b>10,384</b>	<b>2,770</b>	<b>5,957</b>	<b>1,657</b>
<b>% of Pop.</b>	100.0%	26.7%	57.4%	16.0%

### Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2002	4,862
Employed 2002	4,539
Unemployed 2002	323
Unemployment Rate 2002 (%)	6.6
Per Capita Income 2001	\$20,419
Medicaid Eligibles 2001 <i>(unduplicated count)</i>	2,299

## ■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

### Vital Statistics 2001

*(Rates are per 1,000 population)*

Resident Births	98	Total Pregnancies	119	Total Pregnancy Rate	61.7
Resident Deaths	114	Teen Pregnancies <i>(ages 15-19)</i>	33	Teen Pregnancy Rate <i>(ages 15-19)</i>	100.0
% Births <2500 gms	8.2				

### Infant Mortality Rates 2001

*(Rates are per 1,000 population)*

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

General Hospital Discharges 2001 <sup>†</sup>	1,528	General Hospital Beds 2002 <sup>††</sup>	0	Nursing Facility Beds 2002	80
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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.