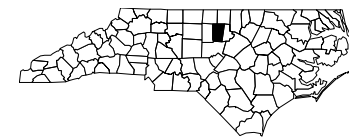


# Orange



MSA county designation: Metropolitan

AHEC Region: Greensboro

## ■ ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS\* ■

### Physicians 2000

Non-Federal Physicians	1,030
Primary Care Physicians	379
<i>Family Practice</i>	80
<i>General Practice</i>	5
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	137
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	52
<i>Pediatrics</i>	105
Other Specialties	651
Physicians per 10,000 Population	87.1
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	32.1
Federal Physicians**	14

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

Dentists	133
Dental Hygienists	77

### Nurses 2000

Registered Nurses	2,199
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	90
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	9
Licensed Practical Nurses	189

### Other Health Professionals 2000

Chiropractors	17
Optometrists	13
Pharmacists	210
Physical Therapists	114
Physical Therapist Assistant	12
Physician Assistants	35
Podiatrists	1
Practicing Psychologists	177
Psychological Associates	18

## ■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

### Population Estimates 2000

	Total	Ages 0-18	Ages 19-64	Ages 65+
<b>White</b>	92,272	19,897	64,174	8,201
<b>Nonwhite</b>	25,955	7,069	17,156	1,730
<b>Total</b>	<b>118,227</b>	<b>26,966</b>	<b>81,330</b>	<b>9,931</b>
<b>% of Pop.</b>	100.0%	22.8%	68.8%	8.4%

### Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2000	64,448
Employed 2000	63,598
Unemployed 2000	850
Unemployment Rate 2000 (%)	1.3
Per Capita Income 1999	\$29,500
Medicaid Eligible 2000 (unduplicated count)	8,284

## ■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

### Vital Statistics 1999

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	1,122	Total Pregnancies	1,672	Total Pregnancy Rate	53.3
Resident Deaths	755	Teen Pregnancies (ages 15-19)	186	Teen Pregnancy Rate (ages 15-19)	35.9
% Births <2500 gms.	7.5				

### Infant Mortality Rates 1999

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total	5.3	White	5.6	Nonwhite	4.2
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### Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2000 <sup>+</sup>	9,025	General Hospital Beds 2000 <sup>++</sup>	578	Nursing Facility Beds 2000	443
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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.