

# Scotland



MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan

AHEC Region: Southern Regional

## ■ 2002 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS\* ■

### Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	56
Primary Care Physicians	30
<i>Family Practice</i>	11
<i>General Practice</i>	1
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	9
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	3
<i>Pediatrics</i>	6
Other Specialties	26
Physicians per 10,000 Population	15.6
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	8.3
Federal Physicians **	0

### Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	7
Dental Hygienists	13

### Nurses

Registered Nurses	311
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	5
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	3
Licensed Practical Nurses	111

### Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors	3
Optometrists	5
Pharmacists	26
Physical Therapists	9
Physical Therapist Assistants	9
Physician Assistants	9
Podiatrists	0
Practicing Psychologists	3
Psychological Associates	1

## ■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

### Projected Population 2002

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-6	Ages 65+
<b>White</b>	18,607	4,675	11,292	2,640
<b>Nonwhite</b>	17,384	6,212	9,700	1,472
<b>Total</b>	<b>35,991</b>	<b>10,887</b>	<b>20,992</b>	<b>4,112</b>
<b>% of Pop.</b>	100.0%	30.2%	58.3%	11.4%

### Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2002	18,555
Employed 2002	16,709
Unemployed 2002	1,846
Unemployment Rate 2002 (%)	9.9
Per Capita Income 2001	\$20,660
Medicaid Eligibles 2001 (unduplicated count)	11,172

## ■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

### Vital Statistics 2001

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	449	Total Pregnancies	575	Total Pregnancy Rate	73.2
Resident Deaths	343	Teen Pregnancies (ages 15-19)	117	Teen Pregnancy Rate (ages 15-19)	85.5
% Births <2500 gms	11.4				

### Infant Mortality Rates 2001

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total	17.8	White	15.6	Nonwhite	19.5
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### Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2001 <sup>†</sup>	4,863	General Hospital Beds 2002 <sup>††</sup>	97	Nursing Facility Beds 2002	207
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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.

<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.