



MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan

AHEC Region: Eastern AHEC

■ 2001 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS* ■

Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians	1
Primary Care Physicians	1
<i>Family Practice</i>	1
<i>General Practice</i>	0
<i>Internal Medicine</i>	0
<i>Obstetrics/Gynecology</i>	0
<i>Pediatrics</i>	0
Other Specialties	0
Physicians per 10,000 Population	2.4
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population	2.4
Federal Physicians**	0

Dentists and Dental Hygienists

Dentists	0
Dental Hygienists	0

Nurses

Registered Nurses	12
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	1
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	0
Licensed Practical Nurses	4

Other Health Professionals

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

■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Population Estimates 2001

	Total	Ages 0-18	Ages 19-64	Ages 65+
White	2,417	521	1,443	453
Nonwhite	1,731	447	1,068	216
Total	4,148	968	2,511	669
% of Pop.	100.0%	23.3%	60.5%	16.1%

Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2001	1,843
Employed 2001	1,680
Unemployed 2001	163
Unemployment Rate 2001 (%)	8.7
Per Capita Income 2000	\$19,257
Medicaid Eligibles 2001 <i>(unduplicated count)</i>	1,062

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2000

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	46	Total Pregnancies	48	Total Pregnancy Rate	65.0
Resident Deaths	40	Teen Pregnancies	8	Teen Pregnancy Rate	60.6
% Births <2500 gms	17.4	<i>(ages 15-19)</i>		<i>(ages 15-19)</i>	

Infant Mortality Rates 2000

(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 2000 [†]	451	General Hospital Beds 2001 ^{††}		Nursing Facility Beds 2001	0
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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 2001; 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.