



MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan

AHEC Region: Eastern

■ 2002 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	14
<i>Nurse Practitioners</i>	1
<i>Certified Nurse Midwives</i>	0
Licensed Practical Nurses	5

Other Health Professionals

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

■ DEMOGRAPHICS ■

Projected Population 2002

	Total	Ages 0-19	Ages 20-6	Ages 65+
White	2,436	544	1,441	451
Nonwhite	1,748	462	1,073	213
Total	4,184	1,006	2,514	664
% of Pop.	100.0%	24.0%	60.1%	15.9%

Employment and Income Data

Labor Force 2002	2,121
Employed 2002	1,919
Unemployed 2002	202
Unemployment Rate 2002 (%)	9.5
Per Capita Income 2001	\$18,490
Medicaid Eligibles 2001 (unduplicated count)	985

■ HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS ■

Vital Statistics 2001

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births	46	Total Pregnancies	57	Total Pregnancy Rate	80.3
Resident Deaths	53	Teen Pregnancies (ages 15-19)	8	Teen Pregnancy Rate (ages 15-19)	64.5
% Births <2500 gms	2.2				

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 [†]	426	General Hospital Beds 2002 ^{††}	0	Nursing Facility Beds 2002	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 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.