Beaufort

MSA county designation: Nonmetropolitan  AHEC Region: Eastern AHEC

2008 ACTIVE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS*

Physicians

Non-Federal Physicians 61
Primary Care Physicians 31
  Family Practice 15
  General Practice 1
  Internal Medicine 9
  Obstetrics/Gynecology 3
  Pediatrics 3
Other Specialties 30
Physicians per 10,000 Population 13.1
Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population 6.7
Federal Physicians** 0

Nurses

Registered Nurses 415
  Nurse Practitioners 17
  Certified Nurse Midwives 1
Licensed Practical Nurses 98

Other Health Professionals

Chiropractors 10
Occupational Therapists 6
Occupational Therapy Assistants 10
Optometrists 7
Pharmacists 32
Physical Therapists 13
Physical Therapist Assistants 19
Physician Assistants 8
Podiatrists 5
Practicing Psychologists 1
Psychological Associates 5
Respiratory Therapists 21

DEMOGRAPHICS

Projected Population 2008

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<th>Ages 0-19</th>
<th>Ages 20-64</th>
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<td>White</td>
<td>32,395</td>
<td>7,646</td>
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<td>Nonwhite</td>
<td>14,205</td>
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<td>46,600</td>
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HEALTH-RELATED STATISTICS

Vital Statistics 2007

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Resident Births ................. 604  Total Pregnancies ............... 682  Total Pregnancy Rate ........... 85.0
Resident Deaths ................. 490  Teen Pregnancies (ages 15-19) .... 97  Teen Pregnancy Rate (ages 15-19) ... 73.5
% Births <2500 gms ............. 10.3
Infant Mortality Rates 2007

(Rates are per 1,000 population)

Total .......................... 3.3  White .......................... 5.1  Nonwhite ....................... 0.0

Hospital/Facility Data

General Hospital Discharges 2008*  . . 6,215  General Hospital Beds 2008**  . . 159  Nursing Facility Beds 2008. . . 290

* Numbers reported include those active within the profession and those newly licensed in 2008 with unknown activity status; inactives 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.

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