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| Cherokee | 7 | 5,355 | 1.31 | 4 | 5,222 | 0.77 | 1 | 4,960 | 0.20 | -59% | -58% |
| Clay | 1 | 1,799 | 0.56 | 1 | 1,748 | 0.57 | 3 | 1,648 | 1.82 | 100% | 111% |
| Graham | 3 | 1,785 | 1.68 | 3 | 1,762 | 1.70 | 1 | 1,811 | 0.55 | -33% | -33% |
| Haywood | 34 | 11,238 | 3.03 | 39 | 11,134 | 3.50 | 40 | 11,186 | 3.58 | 9% | 9% |
| Jackson | 24 | 6,896 | 3.48 | 27 | 6,949 | 3.89 | 11 | 6,794 | 1.62 | -23% | -23% |
| Macon | 15 | 6,602 | 2.27 | 20 | 6,742 | 2.97 | 20 | 6,601 | 3.03 | 17% | 16% |
| Swain | 17 | 3,309 | 5.14 | 9 | 3,319 | 2.71 | 4 | 3,250 | 1.23 | -51% | -51% |
| Region A Totals | 101 | 36,984 | 2.73 | 103 | 36,876 | 2.79 | 80 | 36,250 | 2.21 | -10% | -9% |
| Buncombe | 249 | 48,087 | 5.18 | 84 | 48,474 | 1.73 | 131 | 47,556 | 2.75 | -5% | -4% |
| Henderson | 84 | 21,551 | 3.90 | 38 | 21,934 | 1.73 | 40 | 21,537 | 1.86 | -25% | -24% |
| Madison | 23 | 4,204 | 5.47 | 8 | 4,224 | 1.89 | 11 | 4,163 | 2.64 | -14% | -13% |
| Transylvania | 31 | 5,724 | 5.42 | 24 | 5,734 | 4.19 | 23 | 5,555 | 4.14 | -13% | -12% |
| Region B Totals | 387 | 79,566 | 4.86 | 154 | 80,366 | 1.92 | 205 | 78,811 | 2.60 | -14% | -12% |
| Cleveland | 107 | 23,273 | 4.60 | 107 | 23,170 | 4.62 | 87 | 23,156 | 3.76 | -9% | -9% |
| McDowell | 50 | 9,708 | 5.15 | 41 | 9,717 | 4.22 | 38 | 9,717 | 3.91 | -13% | -13% |
| Polk | 10 | 3,602 | 2.78 | 9 | 3,550 | 2.54 | 5 | 3,509 | 1.42 | -27% | -26% |
| Rutherford | 41 | 14,540 | 2.82 | 44 | 14,584 | 3.02 | 59 | 14,504 | 4.07 | 21% | 21% |
| Region C Totals | 208 | 51,123 | 4.07 | 201 | 51,021 | 3.94 | 189 | 50,886 | 3.71 | -5% | -4% |
| Alleghany | 1 | 2,087 | 0.48 | 3 | 2,058 | 1.46 | 2 | 2,065 | 0.97 | 83% | 85% |
| Ashe | 8 | 5,041 | 1.59 | 9 | 5,101 | 1.76 | 4 | 5,096 | 0.78 | -22% | -22% |
| Avery | 3 | 3,384 | 0.89 | 4 | 3,383 | 1.18 | 8 | 3,200 | 2.50 | 67% | 72% |
| Mitchell | 20 | 3,117 | 6.42 | 10 | 3,102 | 3.22 | 15 | 3,086 | 4.86 | 0% | 1% |
| Watauga | 7 | 6,670 | 1.05 | 8 | 6,757 | 1.18 | 3 | 6,718 | 0.45 | -24% | -25% |
| Wilkes | 35 | 14,890 | 2.35 | 32 | 14,906 | 2.15 | 43 | 14,895 | 2.89 | 13% | 13% |
| Yancey | 12 | 3,693 | 3.25 | 7 | 3,674 | 1.91 | 20 | 3,609 | 5.54 | 72% | 75% |
| Region D Totals | 86 | 38,882 | 2.21 | 73 | 38,981 | 1.87 | 95 | 38,669 | 2.46 | 8% | 8% |

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| Alexander | 30 | 8,358 | 3.59 | 32 | 8,366 | 3.83 | 42 | 8,388 | 5.01 | 19% | 19% |
| Burke | 51 | 19,724 | 2.59 | 43 | 19,769 | 2.18 | 64 | 19,510 | 3.28 | 17% | 17% |
| Caldwell | 69 | 17,944 | 3.85 | 68 | 17,935 | 3.79 | 84 | 17,823 | 4.71 | 11% | 11% |
| Catawba | 144 | 36,579 | 3.94 | 120 | 36,836 | 3.26 | 158 | 36,915 | 4.28 | 8% | 7% |
| Region E Totals | 294 | 82,605 | 3.56 | 263 | 82,906 | 3.17 | 348 | 82,636 | 4.21 | 11% | 11% |
| Anson | 48 | 6,061 | 7.92 | 49 | 5,983 | 8.19 | 25 | 5,944 | 4.21 | -23% | -23% |
| Cabarrus | 127 | 41,776 | 3.04 | 131 | 43,220 | 3.03 | 103 | 45,455 | 2.27 | -9% | -13% |
| Gaston | 346 | 48,444 | 7.14 | 360 | 49,183 | 7.32 | 238 | 49,195 | 4.84 | -15% | -16% |
| Iredell | 144 | 36,871 | 3.91 | 136 | 37,361 | 3.64 | 130 | 38,382 | 3.39 | -5% | -7% |
| Lincoln | 62 | 17,006 | 3.65 | 68 | 17,246 | 3.94 | 44 | 17,500 | 2.51 | -13% | -14% |
| Mecklenburg | 876 | 224,098 | 3.91 | 909 | 228,229 | 3.98 | 487 | 227,687 | 2.14 | -21% | -22% |
| Rowan | 131 | 31,893 | 4.11 | 138 | 32,142 | 4.29 | 116 | 32,426 | 3.58 | -5% | -6% |
| Stanly | 71 | 13,760 | 5.16 | 97 | 13,693 | 7.08 | 95 | 13,609 | 6.98 | 17% | 18% |
| Union | 106 | 48,300 | 2.19 | 92 | 49,945 | 1.84 | 119 | 53,094 | 2.24 | 8% | 3% |
| Region F Totals | 1,911 | 468,209 | 4.08 | 1,980 | 477,002 | 4.15 | 1,357 | 483,292 | 2.81 | -14% | -15% |
| Alamance | 66 | 33,591 | 1.96 | 71 | 34,206 | 2.08 | 65 | 34,901 | 1.86 | 0% | -2% |
| Caswell | 18 | 4,885 | 3.68 | 15 | 4,719 | 3.18 | 16 | 4,608 | 3.47 | -5% | -2% |
| Davidson | 153 | 36,097 | 4.24 | 139 | 36,413 | 3.82 | 108 | 36,799 | 2.93 | -16% | -17% |
| Guilford | 569 | 108,826 | 5.23 | 535 | 110,277 | 4.85 | 548 | 111,017 | 4.94 | -2% | -3% |
| Montgomery | 57 | 6,830 | 8.35 | 60 | 6,822 | 8.80 | 53 | 6,865 | 7.72 | -3% | -3% |
| Randolph | 218 | 33,352 | 6.54 | 183 | 33,433 | 5.47 | 200 | 33,771 | 5.92 | -3% | -4% |
| Rockingham | 40 | 20,549 | 1.95 | 49 | 20,445 | 2.40 | 44 | 20,396 | 2.16 | 6% | 7% |
| Region G Totals | 1,121 | 244,130 | 4.59 | 1,052 | 246,315 | 4.27 | 1,034 | 248,357 | 4.16 | -4% | -5% |
| Davie | 45 | 9,122 | 4.93 | 33 | 9,113 | 3.62 | 41 | 9,706 | 4.22 | -1% | -5% |
| Forsyth | 402 | 82,453 | 4.88 | 351 | 83,738 | 4.19 | 339 | 84,695 | 4.00 | -8% | -9% |
| Stokes | 55 | 10,247 | 5.37 | 37 | 10,147 | 3.65 | 40 | 10,188 | 3.93 | -12% | -12% |
| Surry | 98 | 16,889 | 5.80 | 95 | 16,824 | 5.65 | 35 | 16,867 | 2.08 | -33% | -33% |
| Yadkin | 62 | 8,872 | 6.99 | 52 | 8,893 | 5.85 | 47 | 8,831 | 5.32 | -13% | -13% |
| Region I Totals | 662 | 127,583 | 5.19 | 568 | 128,715 | 4.41 | 502 | 130,287 | 3.85 | -13% | -14% |

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| Chatham | 8 | 13,122 | 0.61 | 13 | 13,530 | 0.96 | 27 | 12,934 | 2.09 | 85% | 87% |
| Durham | 157 | 63,212 | 2.48 | 153 | 65,754 | 2.33 | 156 | 64,867 | 2.40 | 0% | -1% |
| Johnston | 44 | 40,957 | 1.07 | 32 | 42,220 | 0.76 | 42 | 43,313 | 0.97 | 2% | -1% |
| Lee | 28 | 14,492 | 1.93 | 24 | 14,760 | 1.63 | 22 | 14,962 | 1.47 | -11% | -13% |
| Moore | 100 | 17,896 | 5.59 | 127 | 18,099 | 7.02 | 97 | 17,793 | 5.45 | 2% | 2% |
| Orange | 36 | 24,271 | 1.48 | 39 | 24,435 | 1.60 | 56 | 24,370 | 2.30 | 26% | 26% |
| Wake | 179 | 209,179 | 0.86 | 181 | 216,713 | 0.84 | 206 | 219,183 | 0.94 | 7% | 5% |
| Region J Totals | 552 | 383,129 | 1.44 | 569 | 395,511 | 1.44 | 606 | 397,422 | 1.52 | 5% | 3% |
| Franklin | 39 | 13,430 | 2.90 | 32 | 13,634 | 2.35 | 17 | 13,949 | 1.22 | -32% | -34% |
| Granville | 9 | 12,438 | 0.72 | 11 | 12,381 | 0.89 | 8 | 12,478 | 0.64 | -3% | -3% |
| Person | 30 | 8,628 | 3.48 | 29 | 8,499 | 3.41 | 24 | 8,555 | 2.81 | -10% | -10% |
| Vance | 20 | 11,813 | 1.69 | 10 | 11,734 | 0.85 | 7 | 11,586 | 0.60 | -40% | -39% |
| Warren | 4 | 4,105 | 0.97 | 10 | 3,989 | 2.51 | 8 | 3,877 | 2.06 | 65% | 70% |
| Region K Totals | 102 | 50,414 | 2.02 | 92 | 50,237 | 1.83 | 64 | 50,445 | 1.27 | -20% | -20% |
| Edgecombe | 31 | 13,241 | 2.34 | 28 | 13,217 | 2.12 | 32 | 13,134 | 2.44 | 2% | 3% |
| Halifax | 22 | 13,396 | 1.64 | 18 | 13,136 | 1.37 | 22 | 13,034 | 1.69 | 2% | 3% |
| Nash | 35 | 22,637 | 1.55 | 45 | 22,731 | 1.98 | 37 | 22,977 | 1.61 | 5% | 5% |
| Northampton | 4 | 4,671 | 0.86 | 1 | 4,550 | 0.22 | 6 | 4,424 | 1.36 | 213% | 221% |
| Wilson | 56 | 19,332 | 2.90 | 54 | 19,531 | 2.76 | 7 | 19,765 | 0.35 | -45% | -46% |
| Region L Totals | 148 | 73,277 | 2.02 | 146 | 73,165 | 2.00 | 104 | 73,334 | 1.42 | -15% | -15% |
| Cumberland | 372 | 89,222 | 4.17 | 403 | 90,633 | 4.45 | 399 | 85,972 | 4.64 | 4% | 6% |
| Harnett | 33 | 27,662 | 1.19 | 35 | 28,287 | 1.24 | 49 | 28,629 | 1.71 | 23% | 21% |
| Sampson | 75 | 16,407 | 4.57 | 73 | 16,551 | 4.41 | 69 | 16,482 | 4.19 | -4% | -4% |
| Region M Totals | 480 | 133,291 | 3.60 | 511 | 135,471 | 3.77 | 517 | 131,083 | 3.94 | 4% | 5% |
| Bladen | 32 | 7,879 | 4.06 | 39 | 7,831 | 4.98 | 41 | 7,775 | 5.27 | 14% | 14% |
| Hoke | 27 | 12,779 | 2.11 | 31 | 13,164 | 2.35 | 35 | 13,580 | 2.58 | 14% | 10% |
| Richmond | 78 | 11,732 | 6.65 | 63 | 11,720 | 5.38 | 56 | 11,645 | 4.81 | -15% | -15% |
| Robeson | 204 | 36,511 | 5.59 | 198 | 36,667 | 5.40 | 213 | 36,627 | 5.82 | 2% | 2% |
| Scotland | 62 | 9,575 | 6.48 | 61 | 9,559 | 6.38 | 45 | 9,562 | 4.71 | -14% | -14% |
| Region N Totals | 403 | 78,476 | 5.14 | 392 | 78,941 | 4.97 | 390 | 79,189 | 4.92 | -2% | -2% |

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| Brunswick | 78 | 20,550 | 3.80 | 74 | 21,138 | 3.50 | 88 | 19,082 | 4.61 | 7% | 12% |
| Columbus | 58 | 13,342 | 4.35 | 65 | 13,385 | 4.86 | 81 | 14,171 | 5.72 | 18% | 15% |
| New Hanover | 103 | 40,239 | 2.56 | 122 | 40,649 | 3.00 | 143 | 38,849 | 3.68 | 18% | 20% |
| Pender | 35 | 10,829 | 3.23 | 41 | 11,007 | 3.72 | 35 | 10,617 | 3.30 | 1% | 2% |
| Region O Totals | 274 | 84,960 | 3.23 | 302 | 86,179 | 3.50 | 347 | 82,719 | 4.19 | 13% | 14% |
| Carteret | 25 | 12,024 | 2.08 | 21 | 11,936 | 1.76 | 18 | 11,459 | 1.57 | -15% | -13% |
| Craven | 24 | 25,421 | 0.94 | 15 | 25,952 | 0.58 | 16 | 26,223 | 0.61 | -15% | -17% |
| Duplin | 38 | 13,743 | 2.77 | 42 | 13,865 | 3.03 | 37 | 13,895 | 2.66 | -1% | -1% |
| Greene | 7 | 4,962 | 1.41 | 8 | 4,911 | 1.63 | 5 | 4,931 | 1.01 | -12% | -11% |
| Jones | 4 | 2,224 | 1.80 | 2 | 2,144 | 0.93 | 3 | 2,029 | 1.48 | 0% | 5% |
| Lenoir | 29 | 13,996 | 2.07 | 25 | 13,932 | 1.79 | 23 | 13,713 | 1.68 | -11% | -10% |
| Onslow | 81 | 47,910 | 1.69 | 87 | 50,306 | 1.73 | 93 | 49,597 | 1.88 | 7% | 5% |
| Pamlico | 1 | 2,329 | 0.43 | 1 | 2,267 | 0.44 | 0 | 2,184 | 0.00 | -50% | -49% |
| Wayne | 84 | 29,474 | 2.85 | 68 | 29,596 | 2.30 | 33 | 29,817 | 1.11 | -35% | -36% |
| Region P Totals | 293 | 152,083 | 1.93 | 269 | 154,909 | 1.74 | 228 | 153,848 | 1.48 | -12% | -12% |
| Beaufort | 26 | 10,535 | 2.47 | 9 | 10,639 | 0.85 | 7 | 10,582 | 0.66 | -44% | -44% |
| Bertie | 15 | 4,769 | 3.15 | 10 | 4,739 | 2.11 | 6 | 4,614 | 1.30 | -37% | -36% |
| Hertford | 7 | 5,324 | 1.31 | 12 | 5,245 | 2.29 | 0 | 5,347 | 0.00 | -14% | -13% |
| Martin | 29 | 5,628 | 5.15 | 30 | 5,583 | 5.37 | 21 | 5,741 | 3.66 | -13% | -14% |
| Pitt | 65 | 35,878 | 1.81 | 67 | 36,818 | 1.82 | 50 | 36,449 | 1.37 | -11% | -12% |
| Region Q Totals | 142 | 62,134 | 2.29 | 128 | 63,024 | 2.03 | 84 | 62,733 | 1.34 | -22% | -23% |

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| Camden | 8 | 2,041 | 3.92 | 8 | 2,005 | 3.99 | 4 | 2,019 | 1.98 | -25% | -24% |
| Chowan | 4 | 3,363 | 1.19 | 6 | 3,359 | 1.79 | 7 | 3,300 | 2.12 | 33% | 34% |
| Currituck | 13 | 5,138 | 2.53 | 26 | 4,915 | 5.29 | 24 | 4,953 | 4.85 | 46% | 50% |
| Dare | 10 | 7,010 | 1.43 | 8 | 6,805 | 1.18 | 9 | 6,746 | 1.33 | -4% | -2% |
| Gates | 3 | 2,654 | 1.13 | 6 | 2,490 | 2.41 | 6 | 2,588 | 2.32 | 50% | 55% |
| Hyde | 4 | 1,046 | 3.82 | 3 | 1,057 | 2.84 | 0 | 1,007 | 0.00 | -63% | -63% |
| Pasquotank | 23 | 9,650 | 2.38 | 26 | 9,591 | 2.71 | 27 | 9,206 | 2.93 | 8% | 11% |
| Perquimans | 7 | 2,575 | 2.72 | 7 | 2,574 | 2.72 | 3 | 2,536 | 1.18 | -29% | -28% |
| Tyrrell | 2 | 863 | 2.32 | 3 | 872 | 3.44 | 3 | 823 | 3.65 | 25% | 27% |
| Washington | 10 | 3,197 | 3.13 | 13 | 3,151 | 4.13 | 9 | 3,110 | 2.89 | 0% | 1% |
| Region R Totals | 84 | 37,537 | 2.24 | 106 | 36,819 | 2.88 | 92 | 36,288 | 2.54 | 6% | 8% |
| State Totals | 7,248 | 2,184,383 | 3.32 | 6,909 | 2,216,438 | 3.12 | 6,242 | 2,216,249 | 2.82 | -7% | -8% |

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| Cherokee | 155 | 16,130 | 9.61 | 166 | 16,073 | 10.33 | 286 | 15,280 | 18.72 | 40% | 44% |
| Clay | 41 | 6,286 | 6.52 | 48 | 6,292 | 7.63 | 64 | 5,876 | 10.89 | 25% | 30% |
| Graham | 28 | 4,777 | 5.86 | 63 | 4,726 | 13.33 | 42 | 4,843 | 8.67 | 46% | 46% |
| Haywood | 283 | 34,390 | 8.23 | 353 | 34,502 | 10.23 | 386 | 34,261 | 11.27 | 17% | 17% |
| Jackson | 152 | 24,443 | 6.22 | 142 | 24,441 | 5.81 | 104 | 24,926 | 4.17 | -17% | -17% |
| Macon | 190 | 19,695 | 9.65 | 164 | 20,092 | 8.16 | 160 | 19,227 | 8.32 | -8% | -7% |
| Swain | 71 | 8,456 | 8.40 | 93 | 8,573 | 10.85 | 61 | 8,291 | 7.36 | -2% | -1% |
| Region A Totals | 920 | 114,177 | 8.06 | 1,029 | 114,699 | 8.97 | 1,103 | 112,704 | 9.79 | 10% | 10% |
| Buncombe | 1,485 | 143,052 | 10.38 | 1,632 | 144,831 | 11.27 | 1,540 | 145,997 | 10.55 | 2% | 1% |
| Henderson | 608 | 60,169 | 10.10 | 618 | 61,630 | 10.03 | 669 | 59,530 | 11.24 | 5% | 6% |
| Madison | 123 | 12,877 | 9.55 | 163 | 13,146 | 12.40 | 171 | 12,987 | 13.17 | 19% | 18% |
| Transylvania | 161 | 17,991 | 8.95 | 196 | 18,197 | 10.77 | 148 | 17,584 | 8.42 | -1% | -1% |
| Region B Totals | 2,377 | 234,089 | 10.15 | 2,609 | 237,804 | 10.97 | 2,528 | 236,098 | 10.71 | 3% | 3% |
| Cleveland | 746 | 60,030 | 12.43 | 950 | 60,944 | 15.59 | 758 | 61,249 | 12.38 | 4% | 2% |
| McDowell | 589 | 27,570 | 21.36 | 437 | 27,985 | 15.62 | 406 | 27,839 | 14.58 | -16% | -17% |
| Polk | 105 | 11,205 | 9.37 | 89 | 11,283 | 7.89 | 121 | 11,210 | 10.79 | 10% | 11% |
| Rutherford | 574 | 38,218 | 15.02 | 712 | 38,823 | 18.34 | 727 | 38,785 | 18.74 | 13% | 12% |
| Region C Totals | 2,014 | 137,023 | 14.70 | 2,188 | 139,035 | 15.74 | 2,012 | 139,083 | 14.47 | 0% | -1% |
| Alleghany | 55 | 6,732 | 8.17 | 48 | 6,739 | 7.12 | 59 | 6,671 | 8.84 | 5% | 6% |
| Ashe | 104 | 16,034 | 6.49 | 95 | 16,269 | 5.84 | 119 | 15,957 | 7.46 | 8% | 9% |
| Avery | 109 | 11,986 | 9.09 | 112 | 12,002 | 9.33 | 105 | 11,707 | 8.97 | -2% | -1% |
| Mitchell | 114 | 9,765 | 11.67 | 109 | 9,836 | 11.08 | 136 | 9,595 | 14.17 | 10% | 11% |
| Watauga | 160 | 32,364 | 4.94 | 152 | 32,759 | 4.64 | 136 | 32,611 | 4.17 | -8% | -8% |
| Wilkes | 547 | 41,754 | 13.10 | 526 | 41,805 | 12.58 | 584 | 41,549 | 14.06 | 4% | 4% |
| Yancey | 109 | 11,241 | 9.70 | 133 | 11,287 | 11.78 | 150 | 11,071 | 13.55 | 17% | 18% |
| Region D Totals | 1,198 | 129,876 | 9.22 | 1,175 | 130,697 | 8.99 | 1,289 | 129,161 | 9.98 | 4% | 4% |

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| Alexander | 274 | 23,330 | 11.74 | 325 | 23,552 | 13.80 | 290 | 23,598 | 12.29 | 4% | 3% |
| Burke | 727 | 55,369 | 13.13 | 733 | 56,029 | 13.08 | 746 | 56,102 | 13.30 | 1% | 1% |
| Caldwell | 619 | 49,699 | 12.45 | 792 | 50,186 | 15.78 | 678 | 50,017 | 13.56 | 7% | 6% |
| Catawba | 1,240 | 96,750 | 12.82 | 1,251 | 98,009 | 12.76 | 1,341 | 99,360 | 13.50 | 4% | 3% |
| Region E Totals | 2,860 | 225,148 | 12.70 | 3,101 | 227,776 | 13.61 | 3,055 | 229,077 | 13.34 | 3% | 3% |
| Anson | 205 | 15,640 | 13.11 | 205 | 15,735 | 13.03 | 237 | 15,607 | 15.19 | 8% | 8% |
| Cabarrus | 948 | 103,786 | 9.13 | 1,163 | 108,039 | 10.76 | 1,117 | 110,117 | 10.14 | 9% | 6% |
| Gaston | 1,679 | 126,646 | 13.26 | 2,046 | 129,773 | 15.77 | 1,997 | 130,499 | 15.30 | 10% | 8% |
| Iredell | 966 | 94,852 | 10.18 | 1,168 | 97,838 | 11.94 | 1,270 | 99,241 | 12.80 | 15% | 12% |
| Lincoln | 514 | 46,684 | 11.01 | 642 | 48,093 | 13.35 | 586 | 48,601 | 12.06 | 8% | 6% |
| Mecklenburg | 4,115 | 558,926 | 7.36 | 4,753 | 568,290 | 8.36 | 3,950 | 588,715 | 6.71 | -1% | -3% |
| Rowan | 1,242 | 85,435 | 14.54 | 1,110 | 87,247 | 12.72 | 1,272 | 88,317 | 14.40 | 2% | 0% |
| Stanly | 351 | 36,628 | 9.58 | 454 | 37,154 | 12.22 | 511 | 37,390 | 13.67 | 21% | 20% |
| Union | 650 | 116,530 | 5.58 | 802 | 123,103 | 6.51 | 904 | 125,663 | 7.19 | 18% | 14% |
| Region F Totals | 10,670 | 1,185,127 | 9.00 | 12,343 | 1,215,272 | 10.16 | 11,844 | 1,244,150 | 9.52 | 6% | 3% |
| Alamance | 812 | 89,554 | 9.07 | 786 | 91,883 | 8.55 | 896 | 93,247 | 9.61 | 5% | 3% |
| Caswell | 193 | 15,146 | 12.74 | 193 | 15,091 | 12.79 | 233 | 15,226 | 15.30 | 10% | 10% |
| Davidson | 1,117 | 98,474 | 11.34 | 1,224 | 100,424 | 12.19 | 1,267 | 100,610 | 12.59 | 7% | 5% |
| Guilford | 2,832 | 294,769 | 9.61 | 3,195 | 300,599 | 10.63 | 3,511 | 306,341 | 11.46 | 11% | 9% |
| Montgomery | 221 | 16,676 | 13.25 | 291 | 16,713 | 17.41 | 322 | 16,850 | 19.11 | 21% | 21% |
| Randolph | 811 | 87,616 | 9.26 | 1,001 | 89,100 | 11.23 | 1,027 | 89,702 | 11.45 | 13% | 12% |
| Rockingham | 708 | 56,898 | 12.44 | 762 | 57,107 | 13.34 | 747 | 56,963 | 13.11 | 3% | 3% |
| Region G Totals | 6,694 | 659,133 | 10.16 | 7,452 | 670,917 | 11.11 | 8,003 | 678,939 | 11.79 | 9% | 8% |
| Davie | 272 | 25,466 | 10.68 | 266 | 25,966 | 10.24 | 284 | 25,738 | 11.03 | 2% | 2% |
| Forsyth | 2,240 | 212,350 | 10.55 | 2,426 | 216,033 | 11.23 | 2,891 | 224,976 | 12.85 | 14% | 10% |
| Stokes | 382 | 29,796 | 12.82 | 390 | 30,200 | 12.91 | 326 | 30,032 | 10.86 | -7% | -8% |
| Surry | 558 | 44,618 | 12.51 | 617 | 44,948 | 13.73 | 498 | 44,971 | 11.07 | -4% | -5% |
| Yadkin | 343 | 23,213 | 14.78 | 369 | 23,491 | 15.71 | 350 | 23,238 | 15.06 | 1% | 1% |
| Region I Totals | 3,795 | 335,443 | 11.31 | 4,068 | 340,638 | 11.94 | 4,349 | 348,955 | 12.46 | 7% | 5% |

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PROPOSED AMENDED:Table 12B: Average Annual Rates of Change in Patients and Use Rates per 1,000 Population
2011 SMFP

| Ages 18-64 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|--|--|
| County | Home Health Patients in 2007 | Estimated 2007 Population | Use Rate for 2007 | Home Health Patients in 2008 | Estimated 2008 Population | Use Rate for 2008 | Home Health Patients in 2009 | Estimated 2009 Population | Use Rate for 2009 | Average Annual Rate of Change in Number of Patients | Average Annual Rate of Change in Use Rates per 1000 |
| Chatham | 211 | 37,259 | 5.66 | 208 | 38,606 | 5.39 | 317 | 39,335 | 8.06 | 25% | 22% |
| Durham | 1,418 | 166,316 | 8.53 | 1,367 | 169,595 | 8.06 | 1,634 | 175,760 | 9.30 | 8% | 5% |
| Johnston | 889 | 99,948 | 8.89 | 1,064 | 103,822 | 10.25 | 1,085 | 108,541 | 10.00 | 11% | 6% |
| Lee | 280 | 34,665 | 8.08 | 291 | 35,436 | 8.21 | 346 | 36,045 | 9.60 | 11% | 9% |
| Moore | 468 | 48,078 | 9.73 | 517 | 49,266 | 10.49 | 578 | 48,135 | 12.01 | 11% | 11% |
| Orange | 471 | 90,681 | 5.19 | 418 | 92,356 | 4.53 | 533 | 95,360 | 5.59 | 8% | 5% |
| Wake | 3,253 | 551,416 | 5.90 | 3,623 | 573,690 | 6.32 | 3,838 | 603,990 | 6.35 | 9% | 4% |
| Region J Totals | 6,990 | 1,028,363 | 6.80 | 7,488 | 1,062,771 | 7.05 | 8,331 | 1,107,166 | 7.52 | 9% | 5% |
| Franklin | 483 | 36,550 | 13.21 | 466 | 37,727 | 12.35 | 495 | 38,608 | 12.82 | 1% | -1% |
| Granville | 293 | 36,575 | 8.01 | 293 | 37,107 | 7.90 | 313 | 38,036 | 8.23 | 3% | 1% |
| Person | 290 | 23,720 | 12.23 | 316 | 23,717 | 13.32 | 334 | 24,160 | 13.82 | 7% | 6% |
| Vance | 338 | 26,228 | 12.89 | 394 | 26,255 | 15.01 | 341 | 26,511 | 12.86 | 2% | 1% |
| Warren | 166 | 12,121 | 13.70 | 144 | 12,193 | 11.81 | 153 | 12,204 | 12.54 | -4% | -4% |
| Region K Totals | 1,570 | 135,194 | 11.61 | 1,613 | 136,999 | 11.77 | 1,636 | 139,519 | 11.73 | 2% | 0% |
| Edgecombe | 476 | 31,741 | 15.00 | 433 | 31,782 | 13.62 | 408 | 31,492 | 12.96 | -7% | -7% |
| Halifax | 450 | 33,369 | 13.49 | 368 | 33,575 | 10.96 | 358 | 33,659 | 10.64 | -10% | -11% |
| Nash | 530 | 58,555 | 9.05 | 570 | 59,483 | 9.58 | 529 | 60,429 | 8.75 | 0% | -1% |
| Northampton | 175 | 12,707 | 13.77 | 164 | 12,722 | 12.89 | 142 | 12,752 | 11.14 | -10% | -10% |
| Wilson | 724 | 48,242 | 15.01 | 698 | 48,968 | 14.25 | 238 | 49,263 | 4.83 | -35% | -36% |
| Region L Totals | 2,355 | 184,614 | 12.76 | 2,233 | 186,530 | 11.97 | 1,675 | 187,595 | 8.93 | -15% | -16% |
| Cumberland | 1,483 | 161,043 | 9.21 | 1,672 | 162,648 | 10.28 | 1,610 | 169,440 | 9.50 | 5% | 2% |
| Harnett | 580 | 64,986 | 8.92 | 753 | 67,386 | 11.17 | 808 | 69,985 | 11.55 | 19% | 14% |
| Sampson | 508 | 39,624 | 12.82 | 507 | 40,404 | 12.55 | 521 | 40,159 | 12.97 | 1% | 1% |
| Region M Totals | 2,571 | 265,653 | 9.68 | 2,932 | 270,438 | 10.84 | 2,939 | 279,584 | 10.51 | 7% | 4% |
| Bladen | 386 | 19,606 | 19.69 | 410 | 19,646 | 20.87 | 399 | 19,532 | 20.43 | 2% | 2% |
| Hoke | 264 | 25,149 | 10.50 | 292 | 26,240 | 11.13 | 269 | 27,608 | 9.74 | 1% | -3% |
| Richmond | 348 | 28,482 | 12.22 | 353 | 28,687 | 12.31 | 399 | 28,782 | 13.86 | 7% | 7% |
| Robeson | 1,574 | 79,338 | 19.84 | 1,611 | 80,220 | 20.08 | 1,717 | 80,755 | 21.26 | 4% | 4% |
| Scotland | 482 | 22,860 | 21.08 | 448 | 23,107 | 19.39 | 465 | 22,803 | 20.39 | -2% | -1% |
| Region N Totals | 3,054 | 175,435 | 17.41 | 3,114 | 177,900 | 17.50 | 3,249 | 179,480 | 18.10 | 3% | 2% |

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PROPOSED AMENDED:Table 12B: Average Annual Rates of Change in Patients and Use Rates per 1,000 Population
2011 SMFP

| Ages 18-64 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|--|--|
| County | Home Health Patients in 2007 | Estimated 2007 Population | Use Rate for 2007 | Home Health Patients in 2008 | Estimated 2008 Population | Use Rate for 2008 | Home Health Patients in 2009 | Estimated 2009 Population | Use Rate for 2009 | Average Annual Rate of Change in Number of Patients | Average Annual Rate of Change in Use Rates per 1000 |
| Brunswick | 837 | 61,467 | 13.62 | 843 | 63,757 | 13.22 | 937 | 63,657 | 14.72 | 6% | 4% |
| Columbus | 896 | 33,267 | 26.93 | 987 | 33,550 | 29.42 | 1,150 | 34,103 | 33.72 | 13% | 12% |
| New Hanover | 1,264 | 124,720 | 10.13 | 1,317 | 126,218 | 10.43 | 1,380 | 127,099 | 10.86 | 4% | 4% |
| Pender | 374 | 32,099 | 11.65 | 377 | 33,162 | 11.37 | 501 | 33,736 | 14.85 | 17% | 14% |
| Region O Totals | 3,371 | 251,553 | 13.40 | 3,524 | 256,687 | 13.73 | 3,968 | 258,595 | 15.34 | 9% | 7% |
| Carteret | 453 | 38,746 | 11.69 | 480 | 38,880 | 12.35 | 477 | 38,662 | 12.34 | 3% | 3% |
| Craven | 583 | 50,742 | 11.49 | 655 | 51,602 | 12.69 | 645 | 52,744 | 12.23 | 5% | 3% |
| Duplin | 384 | 32,322 | 11.88 | 441 | 32,663 | 13.50 | 361 | 32,813 | 11.00 | -2% | -2% |
| Greene | 111 | 13,445 | 8.26 | 122 | 13,622 | 8.96 | 148 | 13,702 | 10.80 | 16% | 15% |
| Jones | 57 | 6,370 | 8.95 | 72 | 6,456 | 11.15 | 51 | 6,389 | 7.98 | -1% | -2% |
| Lenoir | 451 | 34,768 | 12.97 | 525 | 34,782 | 15.09 | 559 | 35,093 | 15.93 | 11% | 11% |
| Onslow | 795 | 77,406 | 10.27 | 806 | 81,817 | 9.85 | 799 | 84,146 | 9.50 | 0% | -4% |
| Pamlico | 29 | 7,808 | 3.71 | 57 | 7,804 | 7.30 | 61 | 7,713 | 7.91 | 52% | 52% |
| Wayne | 782 | 67,849 | 11.53 | 758 | 68,306 | 11.10 | 746 | 68,509 | 10.89 | -2% | -3% |
| Region P Totals | 3,645 | 329,456 | 11.06 | 3,916 | 335,932 | 11.66 | 3,847 | 339,771 | 11.32 | 3% | 1% |
| Beaufort | 347 | 27,784 | 12.49 | 369 | 28,165 | 13.10 | 366 | 28,281 | 12.94 | 3% | 2% |
| Bertie | 174 | 12,066 | 14.42 | 184 | 12,204 | 15.08 | 195 | 12,276 | 15.88 | 6% | 5% |
| Hertford | 214 | 14,773 | 14.49 | 219 | 14,825 | 14.77 | 26 | 14,816 | 1.75 | -43% | -43% |
| Martin | 209 | 14,442 | 14.47 | 222 | 14,513 | 15.30 | 210 | 14,398 | 14.59 | 0% | 1% |
| Pitt | 874 | 101,366 | 8.62 | 890 | 103,915 | 8.56 | 878 | 106,574 | 8.24 | 0% | -2% |
| Region Q Totals | 1,818 | 170,431 | 10.67 | 1,884 | 173,622 | 10.85 | 1,675 | 176,345 | 9.50 | -4% | -5% |

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PROPOSED AMENDED:Table 12B: Average Annual Rates of Change in Patients and Use Rates per 1,000 Population
2011 SMFP

| Ages 18-64 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|--|--|
| County | Home Health Patients in 2007 | Estimated 2007 Population | Use Rate for 2007 | Home Health Patients in 2008 | Estimated 2008 Population | Use Rate for 2008 | Home Health Patients in 2009 | Estimated 2009 Population | Use Rate for 2009 | Average Annual Rate of Change in Number of Patients | Average Annual Rate of Change in Use Rates per 1000 |
| Camden | 51 | 6,173 | 8.26 | 52 | 6,296 | 8.26 | 58 | 6,188 | 9.37 | 7% | 7% |
| Chowan | 78 | 8,626 | 9.04 | 89 | 8,652 | 10.29 | 93 | 8,807 | 10.56 | 9% | 8% |
| Currituck | 142 | 15,487 | 9.17 | 144 | 15,425 | 9.34 | 168 | 15,023 | 11.18 | 9% | 11% |
| Dare | 149 | 21,774 | 6.84 | 187 | 21,446 | 8.72 | 177 | 21,181 | 8.36 | 10% | 12% |
| Gates | 86 | 7,462 | 11.53 | 103 | 7,381 | 13.95 | 74 | 7,203 | 10.27 | -4% | -3% |
| Hyde | 14 | 3,429 | 4.08 | 16 | 3,486 | 4.59 | 14 | 3,430 | 4.08 | 1% | 1% |
| Pasquotank | 226 | 25,915 | 8.72 | 253 | 26,223 | 9.65 | 272 | 25,838 | 10.53 | 10% | 10% |
| Perquimans | 90 | 7,663 | 11.74 | 73 | 7,806 | 9.35 | 12 | 7,505 | 1.60 | -51% | -52% |
| Tyrrell | 16 | 2,682 | 5.97 | 15 | 2,686 | 5.58 | 13 | 2,688 | 4.84 | -10% | -10% |
| Washington | 107 | 7,794 | 13.73 | 96 | 7,805 | 12.30 | 98 | 7,634 | 12.84 | -4% | -3% |
| Region R Totals | 959 | 107,005 | 8.96 | 1,028 | 107,206 | 9.59 | 979 | 105,497 | 9.28 | 1% | 2% |
| State Totals | 56,861 | 5,667,720 | 10.03 | 61,697 | 5,784,923 | 10.67 | 62,482 | 5,891,719 | 10.61 | 5% | 3% |

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PROPOSED AMENDED:Table 12B: Average Annual Rates of Change in Patients and Use Rates per 1,000 Population
2011 SMFP

| Ages 65-74 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|--|--|
| County | Home Health Patients in 2007 | Estimated 2007 Population | Use Rate for 2007 | Home Health Patients in 2008 | Estimated 2008 Population | Use Rate for 2008 | Home Health Patients in 2009 | Estimated 2009 Population | Use Rate for 2009 | Average Annual Rate of Change in Number of Patients | Average Annual Rate of Change in Use Rates per 1000 |
| Cherokee | 168 | 3,012 | 55.78 | 167 | 3,084 | 54.15 | 193 | 3,716 | 51.94 | 7% | -4% |
| Clay | 48 | 1,107 | 43.36 | 58 | 1,137 | 51.01 | 59 | 1,454 | 40.58 | 11% | -1% |
| Graham | 12 | 862 | 13.92 | 37 | 894 | 41.39 | 36 | 909 | 39.60 | 103% | 96% |
| Haywood | 291 | 5,929 | 49.08 | 277 | 6,020 | 46.01 | 295 | 6,586 | 44.79 | 1% | -4% |
| Jackson | 110 | 3,061 | 35.94 | 115 | 3,200 | 35.94 | 86 | 3,585 | 23.99 | -10% | -17% |
| Macon | 163 | 3,684 | 44.25 | 162 | 3,728 | 43.45 | 141 | 4,439 | 31.76 | -7% | -14% |
| Swain | 50 | 1,168 | 42.81 | 45 | 1,198 | 37.56 | 28 | 1,335 | 20.97 | -24% | -28% |
| Region A Totals | 842 | 18,823 | 44.73 | 861 | 19,261 | 44.70 | 838 | 22,024 | 38.05 | 0% | -7% |
| Buncombe | 1,045 | 17,358 | 60.20 | 1,100 | 18,007 | 61.09 | 1,068 | 19,162 | 55.74 | 1% | -4% |
| Henderson | 490 | 9,539 | 51.37 | 564 | 9,730 | 57.97 | 560 | 11,767 | 47.59 | 7% | -3% |
| Madison | 116 | 1,835 | 63.22 | 105 | 1,901 | 55.23 | 124 | 2,023 | 61.30 | 4% | -1% |
| Transylvania | 154 | 3,512 | 43.85 | 186 | 3,553 | 52.35 | 150 | 4,080 | 36.76 | 1% | -5% |
| Region B Totals | 1,805 | 32,244 | 55.98 | 1,955 | 33,191 | 58.90 | 1,902 | 37,032 | 51.36 | 3% | -4% |
| Cleveland | 447 | 7,388 | 60.50 | 616 | 7,616 | 80.88 | 396 | 7,807 | 50.72 | 1% | -2% |
| McDowell | 305 | 3,772 | 80.86 | 223 | 3,891 | 57.31 | 209 | 3,990 | 52.38 | -17% | -19% |
| Polk | 91 | 1,913 | 47.57 | 108 | 1,941 | 55.64 | 91 | 2,123 | 42.86 | 1% | -3% |
| Rutherford | 357 | 5,323 | 67.07 | 468 | 5,477 | 85.45 | 385 | 5,537 | 69.53 | 7% | 4% |
| Region C Totals | 1,200 | 18,396 | 65.23 | 1,415 | 18,925 | 74.77 | 1,081 | 19,457 | 55.56 | -3% | -6% |
| Alleghany | 64 | 1,221 | 52.42 | 49 | 1,230 | 39.84 | 61 | 1,343 | 45.42 | 1% | -5% |
| Ashe | 112 | 2,590 | 43.24 | 102 | 2,668 | 38.23 | 111 | 2,928 | 37.91 | 0% | -6% |
| Avery | 90 | 1,599 | 56.29 | 87 | 1,660 | 52.41 | 133 | 1,763 | 75.44 | 25% | 19% |
| Mitchell | 89 | 1,589 | 56.01 | 90 | 1,631 | 55.18 | 136 | 1,705 | 79.77 | 26% | 22% |
| Watauga | 108 | 3,072 | 35.16 | 125 | 3,207 | 38.98 | 118 | 3,379 | 34.92 | 5% | 0% |
| Wilkes | 341 | 5,802 | 58.77 | 363 | 5,971 | 60.79 | 383 | 6,166 | 62.11 | 6% | 3% |
| Yancey | 81 | 1,836 | 44.12 | 119 | 1,877 | 63.40 | 138 | 2,004 | 68.86 | 31% | 26% |
| Region D Totals | 885 | 17,709 | 49.97 | 935 | 18,244 | 51.25 | 1,080 | 19,288 | 55.99 | 11% | 6% |

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2011 SMFP

| Ages 65-74 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|--|--|
| County | Home Health Patients in 2007 | Estimated 2007 Population | Use Rate for 2007 | Home Health Patients in 2008 | Estimated 2008 Population | Use Rate for 2008 | Home Health Patients in 2009 | Estimated 2009 Population | Use Rate for 2009 | Average Annual Rate of Change in Number of Patients | Average Annual Rate of Change in Use Rates per 1000 |
| Alexander | 162 | 2,865 | 56.54 | 161 | 2,965 | 54.30 | 171 | 3,109 | 55.00 | 3% | -1% |
| Burke | 483 | 7,245 | 66.67 | 441 | 7,486 | 58.91 | 477 | 7,679 | 62.12 | 0% | -3% |
| Caldwell | 425 | 6,653 | 63.88 | 539 | 6,868 | 78.48 | 470 | 6,952 | 67.61 | 7% | 4% |
| Catawba | 779 | 10,880 | 71.60 | 835 | 11,324 | 73.74 | 841 | 11,608 | 72.45 | 4% | 1% |
| Region E Totals | 1,849 | 27,643 | 66.89 | 1,976 | 28,643 | 68.99 | 1,959 | 29,348 | 66.75 | 3% | 0% |
| Anson | 123 | 1,805 | 68.14 | 116 | 1,871 | 62.00 | 138 | 1,948 | 70.84 | 7% | 3% |
| Cabarrus | 668 | 10,233 | 65.28 | 751 | 10,896 | 68.92 | 756 | 10,511 | 71.92 | 7% | 5% |
| Gaston | 1,032 | 14,116 | 73.11 | 1,194 | 14,701 | 81.22 | 1,259 | 15,190 | 82.88 | 11% | 7% |
| Iredell | 634 | 10,446 | 60.69 | 709 | 10,990 | 64.51 | 755 | 11,079 | 68.15 | 9% | 6% |
| Lincoln | 297 | 5,160 | 57.56 | 394 | 5,496 | 71.69 | 357 | 5,723 | 62.38 | 12% | 6% |
| Mecklenburg | 2,287 | 43,471 | 52.61 | 2,502 | 46,316 | 54.02 | 2,240 | 43,892 | 51.03 | -1% | -1% |
| Rowan | 570 | 9,549 | 59.69 | 763 | 9,973 | 76.51 | 792 | 10,207 | 77.59 | 19% | 15% |
| Stanly | 296 | 4,543 | 65.16 | 337 | 4,731 | 71.23 | 337 | 4,837 | 69.67 | 7% | 4% |
| Union | 467 | 10,496 | 44.49 | 500 | 11,418 | 43.79 | 601 | 10,589 | 56.76 | 14% | 14% |
| Region F Totals | 6,374 | 109,819 | 58.04 | 7,266 | 116,392 | 62.43 | 7,235 | 113,976 | 63.48 | 7% | 5% |
| Alamance | 523 | 10,006 | 52.27 | 617 | 10,381 | 59.44 | 634 | 10,416 | 60.87 | 10% | 8% |
| Caswell | 130 | 1,917 | 67.81 | 113 | 2,017 | 56.02 | 140 | 2,058 | 68.03 | 5% | 2% |
| Davidson | 759 | 11,960 | 63.46 | 772 | 12,483 | 61.84 | 662 | 12,646 | 52.35 | -6% | -9% |
| Guilford | 1,687 | 29,349 | 57.48 | 1,852 | 30,918 | 59.90 | 1,924 | 31,530 | 61.02 | 7% | 3% |
| Montgomery | 132 | 2,092 | 63.10 | 155 | 2,203 | 70.36 | 196 | 2,291 | 85.55 | 22% | 17% |
| Randolph | 504 | 10,010 | 50.35 | 568 | 10,441 | 54.40 | 640 | 10,756 | 59.50 | 13% | 9% |
| Rockingham | 480 | 7,422 | 64.67 | 510 | 7,628 | 66.86 | 506 | 7,794 | 64.92 | 3% | 0% |
| Region G Totals | 4,215 | 72,756 | 57.93 | 4,587 | 76,071 | 60.30 | 4,702 | 77,491 | 60.68 | 6% | 2% |
| Davie | 187 | 3,210 | 58.26 | 238 | 3,336 | 71.34 | 213 | 3,486 | 61.10 | 8% | 4% |
| Forsyth | 1,386 | 22,556 | 61.45 | 1,550 | 23,411 | 66.21 | 1,575 | 23,856 | 66.02 | 7% | 4% |
| Stokes | 254 | 3,536 | 71.83 | 283 | 3,746 | 75.55 | 246 | 3,930 | 62.60 | -1% | -6% |
| Surry | 377 | 5,970 | 63.15 | 480 | 6,153 | 78.01 | 364 | 6,326 | 57.54 | 2% | -1% |
| Yadkin | 207 | 3,128 | 66.18 | 219 | 3,226 | 67.89 | 244 | 3,295 | 74.05 | 9% | 6% |
| Region I Totals | 2,411 | 38,400 | 62.79 | 2,770 | 39,872 | 69.47 | 2,642 | 40,893 | 64.61 | 5% | 2% |

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| Ages 65-74 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|--|--|
| County | Home Health Patients in 2007 | Estimated 2007 Population | Use Rate for 2007 | Home Health Patients in 2008 | Estimated 2008 Population | Use Rate for 2008 | Home Health Patients in 2009 | Estimated 2009 Population | Use Rate for 2009 | Average Annual Rate of Change in Number of Patients | Average Annual Rate of Change in Use Rates per 1000 |
| Chatham | 172 | 4,318 | 39.83 | 204 | 4,547 | 44.86 | 256 | 5,079 | 50.40 | 22% | 12% |
| Durham | 898 | 12,741 | 70.48 | 847 | 13,586 | 62.34 | 974 | 13,498 | 72.16 | 5% | 2% |
| Johnston | 590 | 9,431 | 62.56 | 733 | 10,061 | 72.86 | 699 | 9,847 | 70.99 | 10% | 7% |
| Lee | 213 | 3,819 | 55.77 | 213 | 3,993 | 53.34 | 243 | 4,097 | 59.31 | 7% | 3% |
| Moore | 387 | 7,911 | 48.92 | 400 | 8,010 | 49.94 | 499 | 9,846 | 50.68 | 14% | 2% |
| Orange | 316 | 6,446 | 49.02 | 378 | 6,915 | 54.66 | 336 | 7,039 | 47.73 | 4% | -1% |
| Wake | 2,024 | 40,479 | 50.00 | 2,330 | 44,466 | 52.40 | 2,479 | 39,723 | 62.41 | 11% | 12% |
| Region J Totals | 4,600 | 85,145 | 54.03 | 5,105 | 91,578 | 55.74 | 5,486 | 89,129 | 61.55 | 9% | 7% |
| Franklin | 285 | 3,643 | 78.23 | 292 | 3,846 | 75.92 | 329 | 3,884 | 84.71 | 8% | 4% |
| Granville | 211 | 3,742 | 56.39 | 223 | 3,889 | 57.34 | 241 | 3,885 | 62.03 | 7% | 5% |
| Person | 176 | 2,827 | 62.26 | 200 | 2,898 | 69.01 | 224 | 3,012 | 74.37 | 13% | 9% |
| Vance | 219 | 2,946 | 74.34 | 222 | 3,004 | 73.90 | 198 | 2,928 | 67.62 | -5% | -5% |
| Warren | 133 | 1,874 | 70.97 | 104 | 1,876 | 55.44 | 130 | 1,895 | 68.60 | 2% | 1% |
| Region K Totals | 1,024 | 15,032 | 68.12 | 1,041 | 15,513 | 67.11 | 1,122 | 15,604 | 71.90 | 5% | 3% |
| Edgecombe | 282 | 3,590 | 78.55 | 278 | 3,628 | 76.63 | 293 | 3,975 | 73.71 | 2% | -3% |
| Halifax | 300 | 4,242 | 70.72 | 260 | 4,279 | 60.76 | 234 | 4,463 | 52.43 | -12% | -14% |
| Nash | 362 | 6,172 | 58.65 | 409 | 6,430 | 63.61 | 391 | 6,832 | 57.23 | 4% | -1% |
| Northampton | 125 | 1,904 | 65.65 | 131 | 1,933 | 67.77 | 117 | 1,882 | 62.17 | -3% | -3% |
| Wilson | 440 | 5,483 | 80.25 | 442 | 5,678 | 77.84 | 180 | 5,953 | 30.24 | -29% | -32% |
| Region L Totals | 1,509 | 21,391 | 70.54 | 1,520 | 21,948 | 69.25 | 1,215 | 23,105 | 52.59 | -10% | -13% |
| Cumberland | 862 | 15,322 | 56.26 | 927 | 15,733 | 58.92 | 945 | 16,833 | 56.14 | 5% | 0% |
| Harnett | 405 | 6,317 | 64.11 | 474 | 6,646 | 71.32 | 547 | 6,602 | 82.85 | 16% | 14% |
| Sampson | 341 | 4,550 | 74.95 | 368 | 4,698 | 78.33 | 367 | 4,770 | 76.94 | 4% | 1% |
| Region M Totals | 1,608 | 26,189 | 61.40 | 1,769 | 27,077 | 65.33 | 1,859 | 28,205 | 65.91 | 8% | 4% |
| Bladen | 207 | 2,572 | 80.48 | 211 | 2,590 | 81.47 | 231 | 2,552 | 90.52 | 6% | 6% |
| Hoke | 170 | 2,061 | 82.48 | 171 | 2,163 | 79.06 | 151 | 2,034 | 74.24 | -6% | -5% |
| Richmond | 256 | 3,444 | 74.33 | 274 | 3,511 | 78.04 | 266 | 3,492 | 76.17 | 2% | 1% |
| Robeson | 714 | 7,575 | 94.26 | 832 | 7,797 | 106.71 | 821 | 7,903 | 103.88 | 8% | 5% |
| Scotland | 226 | 2,430 | 93.00 | 228 | 2,536 | 89.91 | 241 | 2,706 | 89.06 | 3% | -2% |
| Region N Totals | 1,573 | 18,082 | 86.99 | 1,716 | 18,597 | 92.27 | 1,710 | 18,687 | 91.51 | 4% | 3% |

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PROPOSED AMENDED:Table 12B: Average Annual Rates of Change in Patients and Use Rates per 1,000 Population
2011 SMFP

| Ages 65-74 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|--|--|
| County | Home Health Patients in 2007 | Estimated 2007 Population | Use Rate for 2007 | Home Health Patients in 2008 | Estimated 2008 Population | Use Rate for 2008 | Home Health Patients in 2009 | Estimated 2009 Population | Use Rate for 2009 | Average Annual Rate of Change in Number of Patients | Average Annual Rate of Change in Use Rates per 1000 |
| Brunswick | 753 | 10,423 | 72.24 | 790 | 10,846 | 72.84 | 889 | 15,934 | 55.79 | 9% | -11% |
| Columbus | 564 | 4,361 | 129.33 | 639 | 4,424 | 144.44 | 704 | 4,483 | 157.04 | 12% | 10% |
| New Hanover | 864 | 13,474 | 64.12 | 908 | 14,086 | 64.46 | 1,007 | 15,585 | 64.61 | 8% | 0% |
| Pender | 244 | 4,201 | 58.08 | 328 | 4,393 | 74.66 | 330 | 5,077 | 65.00 | 18% | 8% |
| Region O Totals | 2,425 | 32,459 | 74.71 | 2,665 | 33,749 | 78.97 | 2,930 | 41,079 | 71.33 | 10% | -2% |
| Carteret | 346 | 6,376 | 54.27 | 411 | 6,574 | 62.52 | 369 | 7,809 | 47.25 | 4% | -5% |
| Craven | 395 | 6,739 | 58.61 | 466 | 6,765 | 68.88 | 439 | 7,540 | 58.22 | 6% | 1% |
| Duplin | 297 | 3,756 | 79.07 | 346 | 3,821 | 90.55 | 273 | 3,766 | 72.49 | -2% | -3% |
| Greene | 89 | 1,454 | 61.21 | 84 | 1,490 | 56.38 | 82 | 1,523 | 53.84 | -4% | -6% |
| Jones | 61 | 872 | 69.95 | 72 | 877 | 82.10 | 63 | 879 | 71.67 | 3% | 2% |
| Lenoir | 339 | 4,650 | 72.90 | 448 | 4,704 | 95.24 | 358 | 4,613 | 77.61 | 6% | 6% |
| Onslow | 518 | 6,578 | 78.75 | 521 | 6,810 | 76.51 | 533 | 8,018 | 66.48 | 1% | -8% |
| Pamlico | 26 | 1,495 | 17.39 | 58 | 1,514 | 38.31 | 52 | 1,523 | 34.14 | 56% | 55% |
| Wayne | 569 | 7,833 | 72.64 | 594 | 7,947 | 74.75 | 528 | 8,300 | 63.61 | -3% | -6% |
| Region P Totals | 2,640 | 39,753 | 66.41 | 3,000 | 40,502 | 74.07 | 2,697 | 43,971 | 61.34 | 2% | -3% |
| Beaufort | 237 | 4,184 | 56.64 | 261 | 4,289 | 60.85 | 269 | 4,825 | 55.75 | 7% | 0% |
| Bertie | 118 | 1,598 | 73.84 | 120 | 1,604 | 74.81 | 139 | 1,641 | 84.70 | 9% | 7% |
| Hertford | 146 | 1,855 | 78.71 | 137 | 1,896 | 72.26 | 27 | 2,082 | 12.97 | -43% | -45% |
| Martin | 166 | 1,999 | 83.04 | 194 | 2,002 | 96.90 | 197 | 2,147 | 91.76 | 9% | 6% |
| Pitt | 545 | 7,946 | 68.59 | 601 | 8,322 | 72.22 | 612 | 8,382 | 73.01 | 6% | 3% |
| Region Q Totals | 1,212 | 17,582 | 68.93 | 1,313 | 18,113 | 72.49 | 1,244 | 19,077 | 65.21 | 2% | -2% |

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PROPOSED AMENDED:Table 12B: Average Annual Rates of Change in Patients and Use Rates per 1,000 Population
2011 SMFP

| Ages 65-74 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|--|--|
| County | Home Health Patients in 2007 | Estimated 2007 Population | Use Rate for 2007 | Home Health Patients in 2008 | Estimated 2008 Population | Use Rate for 2008 | Home Health Patients in 2009 | Estimated 2009 Population | Use Rate for 2009 | Average Annual Rate of Change in Number of Patients | Average Annual Rate of Change in Use Rates per 1000 |
| Camden | 30 | 759 | 39.53 | 30 | 805 | 37.27 | 39 | 819 | 47.62 | 15% | 11% |
| Chowan | 47 | 1,335 | 35.21 | 55 | 1,350 | 40.74 | 65 | 1,361 | 47.76 | 18% | 16% |
| Currituck | 71 | 1,815 | 39.12 | 81 | 1,893 | 42.79 | 85 | 2,119 | 40.11 | 10% | 2% |
| Dare | 105 | 3,061 | 34.30 | 109 | 3,124 | 34.89 | 138 | 3,583 | 38.52 | 15% | 6% |
| Gates | 59 | 928 | 63.58 | 73 | 949 | 76.92 | 59 | 1,008 | 58.53 | 2% | -1% |
| Hyde | 22 | 501 | 43.91 | 15 | 499 | 30.06 | 16 | 480 | 33.33 | -13% | -10% |
| Pasquotank | 111 | 2,639 | 42.06 | 127 | 2,738 | 46.38 | 145 | 3,266 | 44.40 | 14% | 3% |
| Perquimans | 62 | 1,318 | 47.04 | 65 | 1,377 | 47.20 | 13 | 1,634 | 7.96 | -38% | -41% |
| Tyrrell | 18 | 355 | 50.70 | 19 | 357 | 53.22 | 20 | 364 | 54.95 | 5% | 4% |
| Washington | 54 | 1,149 | 47.00 | 51 | 1,180 | 43.22 | 61 | 1,261 | 48.37 | 7% | 2% |
| Region R Totals | 579 | 13,860 | 41.77 | 625 | 14,272 | 43.79 | 641 | 15,895 | 40.33 | 5% | -2% |
| State Totals | 36,751 | 605,283 | 60.72 | 40,519 | 631,948 | 64.12 | 40,343 | 654,261 | 61.66 | 5% | 1% |

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PROPOSED AMENDED:Table 12B: Average Annual Rates of Change in Patients and Use Rates per 1,000 Population
2011 SMFP

| Ages 75 and Over | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|---|---|
| County | Home Health Patients in 2007 | Estimated 2007 Population | Use Rate for 2007 | Home Health Patients in 2008 | Estimated 2008 Population | Use Rate for 2008 | Home Health Patients in 2009 | Estimated 2009 Population | Use Rate for 2009 | Average Annual Rate of Change in Number of Patients | Average Annual Rate of Change in Use Rates per 1000 |
| Cherokee | 377 | 2,458 | 153.38 | 378 | 2,490 | 151.81 | 372 | 2,842 | 130.89 | -1% | -7% |
| Clay | 127 | 1,103 | 115.14 | 157 | 1,133 | 138.57 | 167 | 1,392 | 119.97 | 15% | 3% |
| Graham | 39 | 696 | 56.03 | 93 | 705 | 131.91 | 45 | 764 | 58.90 | 43% | 40% |
| Haywood | 638 | 5,389 | 118.39 | 580 | 5,464 | 106.15 | 638 | 6,010 | 106.16 | 0% | -5% |
| Jackson | 189 | 2,335 | 80.94 | 217 | 2,408 | 90.12 | 175 | 2,694 | 64.96 | -2% | -8% |
| Macon | 354 | 3,577 | 98.97 | 357 | 3,663 | 97.46 | 355 | 4,213 | 84.26 | 0% | -8% |
| Swain | 123 | 908 | 135.46 | 131 | 892 | 146.86 | 64 | 978 | 65.44 | -22% | -24% |
| Region A Totals | 1,847 | 16,466 | 112.17 | 1,913 | 16,755 | 114.17 | 1,816 | 18,893 | 96.12 | -1% | -7% |
| Buncombe | 2,477 | 16,560 | 149.58 | 2,469 | 16,602 | 148.72 | 2,492 | 17,735 | 140.51 | 0% | -3% |
| Henderson | 1,326 | 10,555 | 125.63 | 1,285 | 10,561 | 121.67 | 1,313 | 12,412 | 105.78 | 0% | -8% |
| Madison | 252 | 1,532 | 164.49 | 244 | 1,543 | 158.13 | 300 | 1,673 | 179.32 | 10% | 5% |
| Transylvania | 497 | 3,454 | 143.89 | 485 | 3,514 | 138.02 | 453 | 3,876 | 116.87 | -5% | -10% |
| Region B Totals | 4,552 | 32,101 | 141.80 | 4,483 | 32,220 | 139.14 | 4,558 | 35,696 | 127.69 | 0% | -5% |
| Cleveland | 984 | 6,187 | 159.04 | 1,197 | 6,223 | 192.35 | 776 | 6,426 | 120.76 | -7% | -8% |
| McDowell | 359 | 2,941 | 122.07 | 446 | 2,977 | 149.82 | 408 | 3,203 | 127.38 | 8% | 4% |
| Polk | 216 | 2,248 | 96.09 | 222 | 2,212 | 100.36 | 266 | 2,503 | 106.27 | 11% | 5% |
| Rutherford | 889 | 4,708 | 188.83 | 712 | 4,679 | 152.17 | 726 | 5,009 | 144.94 | -9% | -12% |
| Region C Totals | 2,448 | 16,084 | 152.20 | 2,577 | 16,091 | 160.15 | 2,176 | 17,141 | 126.95 | -5% | -8% |
| Alleghany | 119 | 1,011 | 117.71 | 106 | 1,048 | 101.15 | 124 | 1,148 | 108.01 | 3% | -4% |
| Ashe | 241 | 2,271 | 106.12 | 259 | 2,287 | 113.25 | 270 | 2,517 | 107.27 | 6% | 1% |
| Avery | 209 | 1,362 | 153.45 | 229 | 1,384 | 165.46 | 299 | 1,631 | 183.32 | 20% | 9% |
| Mitchell | 239 | 1,449 | 164.94 | 230 | 1,465 | 157.00 | 255 | 1,588 | 160.58 | 4% | -1% |
| Watauga | 295 | 2,512 | 117.44 | 298 | 2,602 | 114.53 | 305 | 2,676 | 113.98 | 2% | -1% |
| Wilkes | 857 | 4,551 | 188.31 | 802 | 4,628 | 173.29 | 856 | 4,923 | 173.88 | 0% | -4% |
| Yancey | 233 | 1,717 | 135.70 | 282 | 1,758 | 160.41 | 289 | 1,870 | 154.55 | 12% | 7% |
| Region D Totals | 2,193 | 14,873 | 147.45 | 2,206 | 15,172 | 145.40 | 2,398 | 16,353 | 146.64 | 5% | 0% |

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PROPOSED AMENDED:Table 12B: Average Annual Rates of Change in Patients and Use Rates per 1,000 Population
2011 SMFP

| Ages 75 and Over | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|--|--|
| County | Home Health Patients in 2007 | Estimated 2007 Population | Use Rate for 2007 | Home Health Patients in 2008 | Estimated 2008 Population | Use Rate for 2008 | Home Health Patients in 2009 | Estimated 2009 Population | Use Rate for 2009 | Average Annual Rate of Change in Number of Patients | Average Annual Rate of Change in Use Rates per 1000 |
| Alexander | 324 | 2,001 | 161.92 | 334 | 2,074 | 161.04 | 381 | 2,223 | 171.39 | 9% | 3% |
| Burke | 934 | 5,903 | 158.22 | 917 | 5,990 | 153.09 | 926 | 6,378 | 145.19 | 0% | -4% |
| Caldwell | 956 | 4,941 | 193.48 | 1,064 | 5,049 | 210.73 | 880 | 5,349 | 164.52 | -3% | -7% |
| Catawba | 1,626 | 8,682 | 187.28 | 1,694 | 8,803 | 192.43 | 1,746 | 9,151 | 190.80 | 4% | 1% |
| Region E Totals | 3,840 | 21,527 | 178.38 | 4,009 | 21,916 | 182.93 | 3,933 | 23,101 | 170.25 | 1% | -2% |
| Anson | 314 | 1,796 | 174.83 | 294 | 1,779 | 165.26 | 322 | 1,694 | 190.08 | 2% | 5% |
| Cabarrus | 1,567 | 8,115 | 193.10 | 1,656 | 8,293 | 199.69 | 1,697 | 8,211 | 206.67 | 4% | 3% |
| Gaston | 2,040 | 11,275 | 180.93 | 2,369 | 11,357 | 208.59 | 2,600 | 12,386 | 209.91 | 13% | 8% |
| Iredell | 1,550 | 7,813 | 198.39 | 1,718 | 7,980 | 215.29 | 1,705 | 8,337 | 204.51 | 5% | 2% |
| Lincoln | 671 | 3,647 | 183.99 | 852 | 3,717 | 229.22 | 773 | 3,894 | 198.51 | 9% | 6% |
| Mecklenburg | 5,177 | 33,358 | 155.20 | 5,480 | 34,338 | 159.59 | 4,830 | 34,151 | 141.43 | -3% | -4% |
| Rowan | 1,640 | 9,212 | 178.03 | 1,527 | 9,183 | 166.29 | 1,492 | 9,568 | 155.94 | -5% | -6% |
| Stanly | 570 | 4,129 | 138.05 | 604 | 4,150 | 145.54 | 645 | 4,257 | 151.52 | 6% | 5% |
| Union | 969 | 6,326 | 153.18 | 1,006 | 6,676 | 150.69 | 1,162 | 7,013 | 165.69 | 10% | 4% |
| Region F Totals | 14,498 | 85,671 | 169.23 | 15,506 | 87,473 | 177.27 | 15,226 | 89,511 | 170.10 | 3% | 0% |
| Alamance | 1,486 | 9,483 | 156.70 | 1,565 | 9,555 | 163.79 | 1,620 | 9,797 | 165.36 | 4% | 3% |
| Caswell | 213 | 1,512 | 140.87 | 245 | 1,529 | 160.24 | 287 | 1,572 | 182.57 | 16% | 14% |
| Davidson | 1,561 | 9,398 | 166.10 | 1,510 | 9,577 | 157.67 | 1,576 | 9,932 | 158.68 | 1% | -2% |
| Guilford | 4,084 | 26,255 | 155.55 | 4,469 | 26,645 | 167.72 | 4,224 | 27,150 | 155.58 | 2% | 0% |
| Montgomery | 329 | 1,881 | 174.91 | 326 | 1,918 | 169.97 | 396 | 1,982 | 199.80 | 10% | 7% |
| Randolph | 1,198 | 7,892 | 151.80 | 1,273 | 8,028 | 158.57 | 1,336 | 8,266 | 161.63 | 6% | 3% |
| Rockingham | 987 | 6,524 | 151.29 | 1,041 | 6,520 | 159.66 | 735 | 6,720 | 109.38 | -12% | -13% |
| Region G Totals | 9,858 | 62,945 | 156.61 | 10,429 | 63,772 | 163.54 | 10,174 | 65,419 | 155.52 | 2% | 0% |
| Davie | 523 | 2,508 | 208.53 | 555 | 2,565 | 216.37 | 541 | 2,830 | 191.17 | 2% | -4% |
| Forsyth | 3,544 | 20,253 | 174.99 | 4,161 | 20,604 | 201.95 | 3,887 | 22,113 | 175.78 | 5% | 1% |
| Stokes | 604 | 2,541 | 237.70 | 612 | 2,556 | 239.44 | 509 | 2,648 | 192.22 | -8% | -9% |
| Surry | 967 | 5,462 | 177.04 | 1,184 | 5,467 | 216.57 | 926 | 5,725 | 161.75 | 0% | -1% |
| Yadkin | 396 | 2,521 | 157.08 | 400 | 2,562 | 156.13 | 427 | 2,637 | 161.93 | 4% | 2% |
| Region I Totals | 6,034 | 33,285 | 181.28 | 6,912 | 33,754 | 204.78 | 6,290 | 35,953 | 174.95 | 3% | -1% |

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PROPOSED AMENDED:Table 12B: Average Annual Rates of Change in Patients and Use Rates per 1,000 Population
2011 SMFP

| Ages 75 and Over | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|---|---|
| County | Home Health Patients in 2007 | Estimated 2007 Population | Use Rate for 2007 | Home Health Patients in 2008 | Estimated 2008 Population | Use Rate for 2008 | Home Health Patients in 2009 | Estimated 2009 Population | Use Rate for 2009 | Average Annual Rate of Change in Number of Patients | Average Annual Rate of Change in Use Rates per 1000 |
| Chatham | 443 | 4,158 | 106.54 | 428 | 4,212 | 101.61 | 668 | 5,144 | 129.86 | 26% | 12% |
| Durham | 1,962 | 11,404 | 172.04 | 2,024 | 11,536 | 175.45 | 2,135 | 12,064 | 176.97 | 4% | 1% |
| Johnston | 949 | 6,463 | 146.84 | 1,241 | 6,673 | 185.97 | 1,241 | 6,552 | 189.41 | 15% | 14% |
| Lee | 403 | 3,271 | 123.20 | 510 | 3,322 | 153.52 | 493 | 3,470 | 142.07 | 12% | 9% |
| Moore | 945 | 9,271 | 101.93 | 942 | 9,368 | 100.56 | 1,091 | 10,634 | 102.60 | 8% | 0% |
| Orange | 815 | 5,484 | 148.61 | 775 | 5,613 | 138.07 | 822 | 5,537 | 148.46 | 1% | 0% |
| Wake | 5,262 | 27,680 | 190.10 | 5,770 | 29,049 | 198.63 | 7,169 | 29,047 | 246.81 | 17% | 14% |
| Region J Totals | 10,779 | 67,731 | 159.14 | 11,690 | 69,773 | 167.54 | 13,619 | 72,448 | 187.98 | 12% | 9% |
| Franklin | 550 | 2,654 | 207.23 | 617 | 2,704 | 228.18 | 673 | 2,758 | 244.02 | 11% | 9% |
| Granville | 412 | 2,817 | 146.25 | 400 | 2,877 | 139.03 | 434 | 3,040 | 142.76 | 3% | -1% |
| Person | 405 | 2,381 | 170.10 | 426 | 2,396 | 177.80 | 434 | 2,547 | 170.40 | 4% | 0% |
| Vance | 344 | 2,479 | 138.77 | 388 | 2,504 | 154.95 | 362 | 2,595 | 139.50 | 3% | 1% |
| Warren | 307 | 1,822 | 168.50 | 295 | 1,858 | 158.77 | 334 | 1,957 | 170.67 | 5% | 1% |
| Region K Totals | 2,018 | 12,153 | 166.05 | 2,126 | 12,339 | 172.30 | 2,237 | 12,897 | 173.45 | 5% | 2% |
| Edgecombe | 538 | 3,170 | 169.72 | 498 | 3,184 | 156.41 | 472 | 2,738 | 172.39 | -6% | 1% |
| Halifax | 713 | 4,220 | 168.96 | 610 | 4,228 | 144.28 | 540 | 4,023 | 134.23 | -13% | -11% |
| Nash | 838 | 5,313 | 157.73 | 965 | 5,355 | 180.21 | 880 | 5,576 | 157.82 | 3% | 1% |
| Northampton | 296 | 1,903 | 155.54 | 325 | 1,927 | 168.66 | 290 | 1,942 | 149.33 | 0% | -2% |
| Wilson | 919 | 4,686 | 196.12 | 968 | 4,757 | 203.49 | 397 | 5,041 | 78.75 | -27% | -29% |
| Region L Totals | 3,304 | 19,292 | 171.26 | 3,366 | 19,451 | 173.05 | 2,579 | 19,320 | 133.49 | -11% | -11% |
| Cumberland | 1,422 | 10,992 | 129.37 | 1,660 | 11,354 | 146.20 | 1,673 | 12,299 | 136.03 | 9% | 3% |
| Harnett | 843 | 4,795 | 175.81 | 946 | 4,923 | 192.16 | 1,038 | 5,231 | 198.43 | 11% | 6% |
| Sampson | 646 | 3,700 | 174.59 | 667 | 3,755 | 177.63 | 686 | 4,006 | 171.24 | 3% | -1% |
| Region M Totals | 2,911 | 19,487 | 149.38 | 3,273 | 20,032 | 163.39 | 3,397 | 21,536 | 157.74 | 8% | 3% |
| Bladen | 395 | 2,086 | 189.36 | 408 | 2,117 | 192.73 | 391 | 2,187 | 178.78 | 0% | -3% |
| Hoke | 335 | 1,329 | 252.07 | 341 | 1,397 | 244.09 | 338 | 1,441 | 234.56 | 0% | -4% |
| Richmond | 451 | 2,937 | 153.56 | 442 | 2,935 | 150.60 | 455 | 2,939 | 154.81 | 0% | 0% |
| Robeson | 1,117 | 5,633 | 198.30 | 1,104 | 5,657 | 195.16 | 1,149 | 5,817 | 197.52 | 1% | 0% |
| Scotland | 416 | 1,886 | 220.57 | 432 | 1,870 | 231.02 | 408 | 1,866 | 218.65 | -1% | 0% |
| Region N Totals | 2,714 | 13,871 | 195.66 | 2,727 | 13,976 | 195.12 | 2,741 | 14,250 | 192.35 | 0% | -1% |

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PROPOSED AMENDED:Table 12B: Average Annual Rates of Change in Patients and Use Rates per 1,000 Population
2011 SMFP

| Ages 75 and Over | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|--|--|
| County | Home Health Patients in 2007 | Estimated 2007 Population | Use Rate for 2007 | Home Health Patients in 2008 | Estimated 2008 Population | Use Rate for 2008 | Home Health Patients in 2009 | Estimated 2009 Population | Use Rate for 2009 | Average Annual Rate of Change in Number of Patients | Average Annual Rate of Change in Use Rates per 1000 |
| Brunswick | 1,169 | 6,730 | 173.70 | 1,314 | 7,136 | 184.14 | 1,351 | 8,462 | 159.65 | 8% | -4% |
| Columbus | 935 | 3,375 | 277.04 | 981 | 3,399 | 288.61 | 1,085 | 3,542 | 306.32 | 8% | 5% |
| New Hanover | 2,005 | 11,072 | 181.09 | 2,160 | 11,326 | 190.71 | 2,121 | 12,566 | 168.79 | 3% | -3% |
| Pender | 422 | 3,149 | 134.01 | 473 | 3,272 | 144.56 | 563 | 3,677 | 153.11 | 16% | 7% |
| Region O Totals | 4,531 | 24,326 | 186.26 | 4,928 | 25,133 | 196.08 | 5,120 | 28,247 | 181.26 | 6% | -1% |
| Carteret | 746 | 5,313 | 140.41 | 803 | 5,442 | 147.56 | 782 | 6,091 | 128.39 | 3% | -4% |
| Craven | 758 | 6,227 | 121.73 | 907 | 6,350 | 142.83 | 806 | 6,667 | 120.89 | 4% | 1% |
| Duplin | 554 | 3,045 | 181.94 | 635 | 3,093 | 205.30 | 465 | 3,198 | 145.40 | -6% | -8% |
| Greene | 174 | 1,164 | 149.48 | 192 | 1,187 | 161.75 | 178 | 1,233 | 144.36 | 2% | -1% |
| Jones | 133 | 814 | 163.39 | 163 | 817 | 199.51 | 112 | 856 | 130.84 | -4% | -6% |
| Lenoir | 791 | 4,100 | 192.93 | 967 | 4,117 | 234.88 | 870 | 3,813 | 228.17 | 6% | 9% |
| Onslow | 809 | 4,518 | 179.06 | 908 | 4,697 | 193.31 | 878 | 5,302 | 165.60 | 4% | -3% |
| Pamlico | 25 | 1,271 | 19.67 | 111 | 1,311 | 84.67 | 109 | 1,422 | 76.65 | 171% | 160% |
| Wayne | 1,185 | 6,291 | 188.36 | 1,124 | 6,388 | 175.95 | 1,027 | 6,459 | 159.00 | -7% | -8% |
| Region P Totals | 5,175 | 32,743 | 158.05 | 5,810 | 33,402 | 173.94 | 5,227 | 35,041 | 149.17 | 1% | -2% |
| Beaufort | 529 | 3,419 | 154.72 | 517 | 3,507 | 147.42 | 511 | 3,713 | 137.62 | -2% | -6% |
| Bertie | 280 | 1,499 | 186.79 | 292 | 1,525 | 191.48 | 316 | 1,573 | 200.89 | 6% | 4% |
| Hertford | 376 | 1,716 | 219.11 | 331 | 1,731 | 191.22 | 43 | 1,715 | 25.07 | -49% | -50% |
| Martin | 381 | 1,765 | 215.86 | 416 | 1,775 | 234.37 | 687 | 1,573 | 436.75 | 37% | 47% |
| Pitt | 1,081 | 6,432 | 168.07 | 1,289 | 6,552 | 196.73 | 1,106 | 7,170 | 154.25 | 3% | -2% |
| Region Q Totals | 2,647 | 14,831 | 178.48 | 2,845 | 15,090 | 188.54 | 2,663 | 15,744 | 169.14 | 1% | -2% |

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PROPOSED AMENDED:Table 12B: Average Annual Rates of Change in Patients and Use Rates per 1,000 Population
2011 SMFP

| Ages 75 and Over | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|--|--|
| County | Home Health Patients in 2007 | Estimated 2007 Population | Use Rate for 2007 | Home Health Patients in 2008 | Estimated 2008 Population | Use Rate for 2008 | Home Health Patients in 2009 | Estimated 2009 Population | Use Rate for 2009 | Average Annual Rate of Change in Number of Patients | Average Annual Rate of Change in Use Rates per 1000 |
| Camden | 40 | 517 | 77.37 | 53 | 551 | 96.19 | 51 | 629 | 81.08 | 14% | 4% |
| Chowan | 158 | 1,316 | 120.06 | 173 | 1,327 | 130.37 | 167 | 1,350 | 123.70 | 3% | 2% |
| Currituck | 157 | 1,200 | 130.83 | 151 | 1,253 | 120.51 | 141 | 1,407 | 100.21 | -5% | -12% |
| Dare | 207 | 2,336 | 88.61 | 205 | 2,437 | 84.12 | 230 | 2,743 | 83.85 | 6% | -3% |
| Gates | 101 | 745 | 135.57 | 102 | 764 | 133.51 | 97 | 824 | 117.72 | -2% | -7% |
| Hyde | 34 | 460 | 73.91 | 29 | 470 | 61.70 | 39 | 471 | 82.80 | 10% | 9% |
| Pasquotank | 295 | 2,580 | 114.34 | 292 | 2,626 | 111.20 | 334 | 3,403 | 98.15 | 7% | -7% |
| Perquimans | 105 | 1,145 | 91.70 | 127 | 1,167 | 108.83 | 4 | 1,276 | 3.13 | -38% | -39% |
| Tyrrell | 53 | 365 | 145.21 | 53 | 366 | 144.81 | 39 | 372 | 104.84 | -13% | -14% |
| Washington | 139 | 1,028 | 135.21 | 132 | 1,040 | 126.92 | 107 | 999 | 107.11 | -12% | -11% |
| Region R Totals | 1,289 | 11,692 | 110.25 | 1,317 | 12,001 | 109.74 | 1,209 | 13,474 | 89.73 | -3% | -9% |
| State Totals | 80,638 | 499,078 | 161.57 | 86,117 | 508,350 | 169.40 | 85,363 | 535,024 | 159.55 | 3% | 0% |

* Adjustments for Active Duty Military Personnel have been applied to the Ages 18-64 population.