

**2003 NC RESIDENT PREGNANCY, FERTILITY, AND ABORTION RATES:  
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<b>RESIDENCE:</b>																		
<b>NORTH CAROLINA</b>	16,834	26.0	12,475	26.2	4,225	24.5	14,070	21.7	11,007	23.1	3,063	17.7	2,636	4.1	1,391	2.9	1,111	6.4
<b>PCR I WESTERN</b>	1,041	21.2	980	21.6	59	16.4	843	17.2	809	17.8	34	9.5	189	3.9	164	3.6	23	6.4
<b>PCR II NORTHWESTERN</b>	3,677	22.8	2,887	22.1	759	24.8	3,098	19.2	2,534	19.4	564	18.5	553	3.4	334	2.6	188	6.2
<b>PCR III SOUTHWESTERN</b>	3,852	31.8	2,818	31.4	993	31.4	3,190	26.3	2,509	28.0	681	21.6	641	5.3	298	3.3	302	9.6
<b>PCR IV NORTHEASTERN</b>	4,502	33.2	3,250	33.9	1,206	30.5	3,814	28.2	2,940	30.6	874	22.1	656	4.8	292	3.0	318	8.1
<b>PCR V SOUTHEASTERN</b>	1,914	21.8	1,289	23.0	618	19.4	1,562	17.8	1,112	19.8	450	14.1	332	3.8	166	3.0	159	5.0
<b>PCR VI EASTERN</b>	1,835	19.6	1,248	21.5	582	16.4	1,563	16.7	1,103	19.0	460	12.9	252	2.7	134	2.3	113	3.2
<b>ALAMANCE</b>	196	19.0	150	19.2	43	17.4	169	16.4	143	18.3	26	10.5	27	2.6	7	0.9	17	6.9
<b>ALEXANDER</b>	49	18.3	45	17.8	3	19.0	43	16.0	41	16.2	2	12.7	6	2.2	4	1.6	1	6.3
<b>ALLEGHANY</b>	8	11.4	8	11.7	0	0.0	8	11.4	8	11.7	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
<b>ANSON</b>	44	25.6	24	29.7	20	21.9	40	23.2	21	26.0	19	20.8	4	2.3	3	3.7	1	1.1
<b>ASHE</b>	27	15.1	27	15.3	0	0.0	21	11.7	21	11.9	0	0.0	6	3.4	6	3.4	0	0.0
<b>AVERY</b>	22	19.7	22	19.9	0	0.0	17	15.2	17	15.4	0	0.0	5	4.5	5	4.5	0	0.0
<b>BEAUFORT</b>	55	17.6	43	20.2	12	12.1	48	15.4	40	18.8	8	8.0	7	2.2	3	1.4	4	4.0
<b>BERTIE</b>	25	16.7	8	16.2	17	16.9	23	15.3	7	14.2	16	15.9	2	1.3	1	2.0	1	1.0
<b>BLADEN</b>	38	15.9	25	18.4	13	12.6	36	15.1	25	18.4	11	10.7	2	0.8	0	0.0	2	1.9
<b>BRUNSWICK</b>	113	20.0	83	17.6	30	31.7	95	16.8	70	14.8	25	26.4	17	3.0	12	2.5	5	5.3
<b>BUNCOMBE</b>	443	27.6	417	28.5	26	18.2	350	21.8	338	23.1	12	8.4	91	5.7	77	5.3	14	9.8
<b>BURKE</b>	95	14.5	80	13.5	15	24.1	86	13.1	74	12.5	12	19.3	8	1.2	5	0.8	3	4.8
<b>CABARRUS</b>	307	26.3	255	25.2	51	32.4	259	22.2	228	22.5	31	19.7	45	3.9	26	2.6	18	11.5
<b>CALDWELL</b>	92	15.6	90	16.2	2	5.9	80	13.6	78	14.1	2	5.9	11	1.9	11	2.0	0	0.0
<b>CAMDEN</b>	9	13.6	7	12.8	2	17.9	8	12.1	7	12.8	1	8.9	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
<b>CARTERET</b>	76	16.7	69	16.7	6	14.4	66	14.5	61	14.8	5	12.0	8	1.8	6	1.5	1	2.4
<b>CASWELL</b>	34	19.6	26	22.9	8	13.2	31	17.8	25	22.0	6	9.9	3	1.7	1	0.9	2	3.3
<b>CATAWBA</b>	275	24.9	239	24.6	35	26.6	235	21.3	210	21.6	25	19.0	37	3.4	26	2.7	10	7.6
<b>CHATHAM</b>	121	29.8	103	30.9	17	23.4	103	25.4	91	27.3	12	16.5	17	4.2	11	3.3	5	6.9
<b>CHEROKEE</b>	24	15.0	21	13.7	3	42.3	21	13.1	19	12.4	2	28.2	2	1.3	2	1.3	0	0.0
<b>CHOWAN</b>	8	7.8	8	13.3	0	0.0	6	5.8	6	10.0	0	0.0	2	1.9	2	3.3	0	0.0
<b>CLAY</b>	13	22.0	13	22.4	0	0.0	13	22.0	13	22.4	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
<b>CLEVELAND</b>	142	19.5	110	20.0	32	18.0	112	15.4	90	16.4	22	12.4	29	4.0	19	3.5	10	5.6

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COLUMBUS	82	20.8	57	22.3	25	18.0	70	17.7	51	19.9	19	13.7	10	2.5	6	2.3	4	2.9
Craven	157	25.2	126	29.4	30	15.3	136	21.8	112	26.2	24	12.3	19	3.0	12	2.8	6	3.1
CUMBERLAND	607	26.0	342	26.6	259	24.6	458	19.6	284	22.1	174	16.5	141	6.0	54	4.2	81	7.7
CURRITUCK	38	21.9	33	20.4	5	41.0	33	19.0	29	18.0	4	32.8	5	2.9	4	2.5	1	8.2
DARE	81	29.8	80	30.4	1	10.6	63	23.1	63	24.0	0	0.0	16	5.9	15	5.7	1	10.6
DAVIDSON	228	18.7	198	18.4	30	21.1	187	15.3	172	16.0	15	10.6	38	3.1	25	2.3	13	9.2
DAVIE	58	20.1	54	20.4	4	16.7	51	17.7	48	18.2	3	12.6	7	2.4	6	2.3	1	4.2
DUPLIN	57	15.9	44	18.0	13	11.5	50	14.0	42	17.2	8	7.1	7	2.0	2	0.8	5	4.4
DURHAM	675	37.2	380	40.9	287	32.4	545	30.0	344	37.1	201	22.7	122	6.7	34	3.7	80	9.0
EDGECOMBE	67	15.5	29	18.2	38	13.8	58	13.4	26	16.3	32	11.7	6	1.4	2	1.3	4	1.5
FORSYTH	707	28.3	537	30.9	157	20.5	596	23.8	478	27.5	118	15.4	107	4.3	57	3.3	37	4.8
FRANKLIN	95	21.7	67	21.7	28	21.9	80	18.3	62	20.0	18	14.1	14	3.2	5	1.6	9	7.0
GASTON	284	19.2	232	18.9	51	20.5	243	16.5	209	17.0	34	13.7	40	2.7	23	1.9	16	6.4
GATES	7	7.5	5	8.6	2	5.6	7	7.5	5	8.6	2	5.6	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
GRAHAM	10	17.9	9	17.8	1	18.5	7	12.5	6	11.9	1	18.5	3	5.4	3	5.9	0	0.0
GRANVILLE	82	20.3	57	21.1	22	16.5	71	17.6	53	19.6	18	13.5	11	2.7	4	1.5	4	3.0
GREENE	24	16.9	17	21.3	7	11.3	23	16.2	16	20.0	7	11.3	1	0.7	1	1.3	0	0.0
GUILFORD	1,024	30.4	636	29.4	378	31.4	849	25.2	568	26.2	281	23.3	170	5.0	66	3.0	94	7.8
HALIFAX	74	17.3	31	18.4	43	16.6	58	13.6	24	14.3	34	13.1	14	3.3	7	4.2	7	2.7
HARNETT	145	19.7	103	18.9	42	21.8	123	16.7	93	17.1	30	15.6	21	2.9	10	1.8	11	5.7
HAYWOOD	84	20.6	81	20.3	3	31.9	69	16.9	66	16.5	3	31.9	15	3.7	15	3.8	0	0.0
HENDERSON	152	23.8	145	24.0	6	17.9	131	20.5	128	21.1	3	8.9	18	2.8	14	2.3	3	8.9
HERTFORD	13	7.1	3	4.9	10	8.2	10	5.4	2	3.3	8	6.5	3	1.6	1	1.6	2	1.6
HOKE	66	23.7	39	29.5	27	18.4	58	20.8	37	28.0	21	14.3	7	2.5	1	0.8	6	4.1
HYDE	5	14.0	3	12.9	2	16.1	5	14.0	3	12.9	2	16.1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
IREDELL	264	24.0	228	24.7	35	20.0	221	20.1	197	21.3	24	13.7	41	3.7	29	3.1	11	6.3
JACKSON	31	14.2	29	15.7	2	6.0	25	11.4	23	12.4	2	6.0	6	2.7	6	3.2	0	0.0
JOHNSTON	254	22.4	212	22.5	42	21.5	223	19.6	190	20.2	33	16.9	30	2.6	22	2.3	8	4.1
JONES	9	11.1	4	7.9	5	16.6	6	7.4	2	3.9	4	13.3	3	3.7	2	3.9	1	3.3
LEE	110	30.3	83	29.7	25	30.0	91	25.1	71	25.4	20	24.0	16	4.4	9	3.2	5	6.0
LENOIR	68	15.3	35	14.0	32	16.5	54	12.2	31	12.4	23	11.8	14	3.2	4	1.6	9	4.6

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LINCOLN	117	22.0	110	22.2	5	13.3	102	19.2	99	20.0	3	8.0	14	2.6	10	2.0	2	5.3
MCDOWELL	46	15.2	44	15.1	2	17.5	39	12.9	37	12.7	2	17.5	6	2.0	6	2.1	0	0.0
MACON	39	18.8	38	18.7	1	23.3	32	15.5	32	15.8	0	0.0	7	3.4	6	3.0	1	23.3
MADISON	27	19.3	26	18.7	1	100.0	23	16.4	22	15.8	1	100.0	4	2.9	4	2.9	0	0.0
MARTIN	26	14.2	15	16.2	11	12.2	24	13.1	13	14.0	11	12.2	2	1.1	2	2.2	0	0.0
MECKLENBURG	2,487	38.9	1,693	40.6	760	34.2	2,028	31.7	1,510	36.2	518	23.3	447	7.0	177	4.2	236	10.6
MITCHELL	17	15.0	17	15.2	0	0.0	16	14.1	16	14.3	0	0.0	1	0.9	1	0.9	0	0.0
MONTGOMERY	26	14.7	19	14.4	7	15.6	21	11.9	18	13.6	3	6.7	5	2.8	1	0.8	4	8.9
MOORE	108	19.8	87	19.9	20	18.8	92	16.9	78	17.8	14	13.2	15	2.8	8	1.8	6	5.6
NASH	146	20.8	95	22.8	50	17.6	124	17.7	88	21.1	36	12.7	21	3.0	7	1.7	13	4.6
NEW HANOVER	365	29.1	314	31.0	51	21.4	304	24.3	267	26.3	37	15.5	59	4.7	45	4.4	14	5.9
NORTHAMPTON	24	15.6	7	12.4	17	17.4	22	14.3	6	10.6	16	16.4	1	0.6	1	1.8	0	0.0
ONSLow	230	23.5	173	24.2	57	21.7	192	19.6	145	20.3	47	17.9	38	3.9	28	3.9	10	3.8
ORANGE	357	40.9	282	41.4	73	38.2	306	35.1	251	36.8	55	28.8	49	5.6	29	4.3	18	9.4
PAMLICO	9	10.6	8	12.8	1	4.5	8	9.4	8	12.8	0	0.0	1	1.2	0	0.0	1	4.5
PASQUOTANK	60	22.5	32	21.2	28	24.2	47	17.6	24	15.9	23	19.9	12	4.5	8	5.3	4	3.5
PENDER	50	15.0	46	17.7	4	5.4	41	12.3	38	14.6	3	4.1	9	2.7	8	3.1	1	1.4
PERQUIMANS	18	22.0	11	19.7	7	26.8	16	19.6	10	18.0	6	23.0	2	2.4	1	1.8	1	3.8
PERSON	63	21.2	46	22.3	17	18.8	52	17.5	39	18.9	13	14.3	11	3.7	7	3.4	4	4.4
PITT	267	26.4	166	27.1	101	25.3	230	22.7	151	24.6	79	19.8	33	3.3	12	2.0	21	5.3
POLK	29	22.6	27	22.5	2	25.0	20	15.6	19	15.8	1	12.5	8	6.2	7	5.8	1	12.5
RANDOLPH	201	19.1	184	18.9	16	20.5	173	16.4	160	16.4	13	16.7	26	2.5	22	2.3	3	3.8
RICHMOND	51	15.3	36	17.3	15	12.0	41	12.3	32	15.4	9	7.2	9	2.7	4	1.9	5	4.0
ROBESON	149	16.5	63	20.1	86	14.5	129	14.2	57	18.2	72	12.2	18	2.0	5	1.6	13	2.2
ROCKINGHAM	116	16.5	91	16.6	24	15.7	98	14.0	79	14.4	19	12.4	18	2.6	12	2.2	5	3.3
ROWAN	177	17.8	133	16.2	42	24.3	141	14.2	107	13.0	34	19.7	34	3.4	24	2.9	8	4.6
RUTHERFORD	69	15.0	57	14.2	11	18.5	54	11.7	47	11.7	7	11.8	14	3.0	10	2.5	3	5.1
SAMPSON	78	17.8	53	18.5	25	16.6	63	14.4	44	15.3	19	12.6	14	3.2	8	2.8	6	4.0
SCOTLAND	36	13.8	22	16.5	14	11.0	31	11.9	18	13.5	13	10.2	5	1.9	4	3.0	1	0.8
STANLY	78	18.0	61	16.3	17	29.0	62	14.3	53	14.2	9	15.3	15	3.5	8	2.1	7	11.9
STOKES	54	14.5	50	14.2	4	21.4	49	13.2	45	12.7	4	21.4	5	1.3	5	1.4	0	0.0

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<b>SURRY</b>	95	18.0	88	17.6	6	20.9	84	15.9	78	15.6	6	20.9	10	1.9	9	1.8	0	0.0
<b>SWAIN</b>	10	10.7	9	13.9	1	3.4	8	8.5	8	12.3	0	0.0	2	2.1	1	1.5	1	3.4
<b>TRANSYLVANIA</b>	29	15.2	29	16.0	0	0.0	19	9.9	19	10.5	0	0.0	10	5.2	10	5.5	0	0.0
<b>TYRRELL</b>	10	34.8	10	58.8	0	0.0	9	31.4	9	52.9	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
<b>UNION</b>	393	32.1	333	31.4	57	34.4	344	28.1	299	28.2	45	27.1	47	3.8	32	3.0	12	7.2
<b>VANCE</b>	62	19.0	31	20.9	31	17.4	47	14.4	25	16.9	22	12.3	14	4.3	6	4.0	8	4.5
<b>WAKE</b>	2,438	39.6	1,806	39.6	605	37.9	2,082	33.9	1,639	36.0	443	27.8	341	5.5	157	3.4	157	9.8
<b>WARREN</b>	15	10.8	7	13.5	8	9.2	14	10.1	7	13.5	7	8.0	1	0.7	0	0.0	1	1.1
<b>WASHINGTON</b>	15	16.1	7	17.1	8	15.3	13	14.0	7	17.1	6	11.5	2	2.1	0	0.0	2	3.8
<b>WATAUGA</b>	62	25.1	59	24.6	3	44.8	51	20.7	49	20.4	2	29.9	10	4.1	9	3.7	1	14.9
<b>WAYNE</b>	154	17.9	113	20.9	41	12.9	137	16.0	106	19.6	31	9.7	17	2.0	7	1.3	10	3.1
<b>WILKES</b>	84	17.1	81	17.3	3	13.3	72	14.6	70	14.9	2	8.9	11	2.2	10	2.1	1	4.4
<b>WILSON</b>	103	18.3	66	21.6	36	14.0	87	15.5	60	19.6	27	10.5	16	2.8	6	2.0	9	3.5
<b>YADKIN</b>	39	13.5	37	13.4	2	15.5	36	12.5	34	12.3	2	15.5	3	1.0	3	1.1	0	0.0
<b>YANCEY</b>	18	14.6	18	14.8	0	0.0	16	13.0	16	13.2	0	0.0	2	1.6	2	1.6	0	0.0

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