South Carolina Demographic and Workforce Facts

Racial/Ethnic Demographics, 2014

- White: 64.00%
- Black: 27.00%
- Hispanic: 6.00%
- Asian: 3.00%
- American Indian/Alaska Native: 1.00%
- Two or More Races: 1.00%
- Other: 0.00%


Population Living in Rural Versus Urban Areas, 2010

- Percentage Rural Population: 33.67%
- Percentage Urban Population: 66.33%


Distribution of Total Population by Federal Poverty Level, 2014

- Under 100%: 31%
- 100-199%: 17%
- 200-399%: 20%
- 400%+: 32%


Primary Care Health Professional Shortage Areas (HPSA), 2014

Two factors matter in determining whether an area is short of primary care health professionals: numbers and need. For primary medical care, a shortage is defined as a population-to-physician ratio of at least 3,500 to 1; in communities with unusually high needs, the ratio is 3,000 to 1. Percentage of need met reflects the number of physicians it would take to serve the population—a function of the density of the area, and the population’s needs.

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