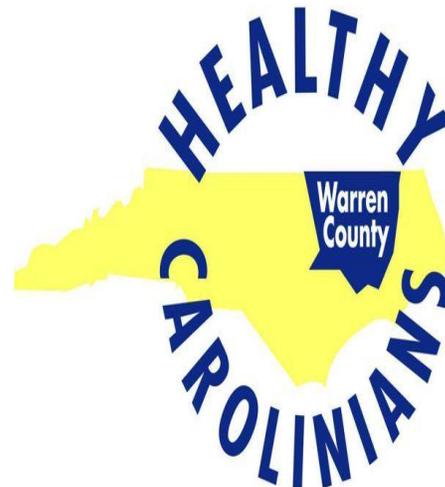


# WARREN COUNTY NORTH CAROLINA

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## COMMUNITY HEALTH ASSESSMENT



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# WARREN COUNTY COMMUNITY ASSESSMENT 2006

## Executive Summary

This document is an assessment of the needs of Warren County. The community assessment is the foundation for improving and promoting the health of community members. The role of community assessment is to identify factors that affect the health of a population and determine the availability of resources within the community to adequately address these factors. Through collaborative efforts forged among community leaders, public health agencies, businesses, hospitals, private practitioners, and academic centers, to name a few. The community can begin to answer key questions such as (a) what are the strengths in our community? (b) What health concerns do community members have? and (c) What resources are available and what do we need in the community to address these concerns?

In a community-based assessment, as is promoted in the North Carolina Community Health Assessment Process, community members take the lead role in forming partnerships, gathering health-related data, determining priority health issues, identifying resources, and planning community health programs. In this framework, the assessment process starts with the people who live in the community and gives the community primary responsibility for determining the focus of assessment activities at every level, including collection and interpretation of data, evaluation of health resources, identification of health problems, and development of strategies for addressing these problems. In this view, community assessment is done by the community rather than on the community.

A committee of thirty community agencies and citizens completed the community assessment of Warren County (see attached list page v-vi). To better understand the areas of history, economy, demographics, education, income, and health indicators the committee was divided into three working groups: primary data, secondary data, and compiling. The qualitative and secondary data gathered from these working groups has been analyzed and included in this document. The team's findings were separated into five major areas:

- **Health Promotion** (Substance Abuse, Obesity, Tobacco & Responsible Sexual Behavior)
- **Chronic Diseases** (Diabetes, Cancer, Heart Disease & Stroke)
- **Injury and Violence Prevention** (Fires, Domestic Violence & Motor Vehicle)
- **Access to Care** (Uninsured/Underinsured, Healthcare Providers, Medicine, & School Nurses)
- **Infectious Diseases** (Sexually Transmitted Diseases (STD) , HIV & AIDS)

In 2006, 800 Warren County Assessment surveys were distributed of which 404 residents of the county completed, that represent 2 percent of the population. This report addresses the top

concerns of the community and the findings of the Warren County Community Assessments have been summarized in this document.

Improvements are essential in Warren County. Warren County officials recognize that the problems exist and county officials in collaboration with established agencies in the county are looking for every opportunity to reduce or eliminate the concerns of its citizens. Recommendations to resolve some of the concerns are discussed in this report.

## **SCENIC WARREN COUNTY**



**HISTORICAL WARREN COUNTY**  
Photography by: Economic Development Commission, Warren County



## **SUNSET AT LAKE GASTON**

**Photography by: Economic Development Commission, Warren County**



## **PEACEFUL PASTURE**

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# INTRODUCTION

- A. BACKGROUND
- B. PHASES OF THE 2006 COMMUNITY HEALTH ASSESSMENT

## A. BACKGROUND

As mandated by the North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services beginning in the year 2002, every public health department will be responsible for conducting a community needs assessment every four years. Listed below is the rationale for this process.

**PURPOSE:** Fulfilling society's interest in assuring conditions in which people can be healthy; creating a safe environment for persons living healthy lives; employing good health practices; and ensuring availability and accessibility for adequate medical care.

**MISSION:** To emphasize preventive health services and healthy lifestyles;  
To reduce health disparities among the disadvantaged;  
To prevent and control disease; and  
To increase the span of life.

**ASSESSMENT:** Assessment, monitoring, surveillance of local problems and needs and of resources for dealing with them; provide programs according to the public health needs of the community.

**POLICY:** To provide policy development and leadership that emphasize local involvement and local needs, advocating equitable distribution of public resources and complementary private activities that are commensurate with community needs.

**ASSURANCE:** Assurance that high-quality health care services, needed for the protection of public health in the community, are available and accessible to the community. That the community is informed about how to obtain public health, including personal health services; and how to comply with public health requirements.

**PROCESS:** Community health assessment is the measurement of the community, every four years, by the local health department to identify, prioritize and report to the state their county's health problems and solution strategies. These problems are summarized at the state level and used by the State Health Director to determine public health's expansion budget requests to the legislature. (In 1974, Dr. B. G. Greenburg was instrumental in the Community Assessment P

**GOAL:** The goal of the community health assessment is to activate the community to work in a collaborative way to identify health problems and develop action plans for improving the health of the community.

## **B. PHASES OF THE 2006 COMMUNITY HEALTH ASSESSMENT**

The following steps were involved in the Warren County Community Assessment:

- Phase I. Establish a Community Assessment Team
- Phase II Collect Community Data
- Phase III. Analyzing County Health Data Book
- Phase IV. Combine Your County's Health Statistics with Your Community Data
- Phase V. Report to the Community
- Phase VI. Select Health Priorities
- Phase VII. Create a Community Assessment Document
- Phase VIII. Develop the Community Health Action Plans

## **OVERVIEW OF WARREN COUNTY**

## Local History

Warren County was formed in 1764 from Granville County and was named Bute in honor of John Stuart, 3rd Earl of Bute, former Prime Minister and Lord of the Treasury.

In 1779 a committee of Bute County patriots petitioned the North Carolina Assembly to divide the county in half naming the northern part Warren after Dr. Joseph Warren who had been killed at Bunker Hill, and the southern part Franklin, in honor of Benjamin Franklin.

After the petition to divide was granted by the legislature, prosperity grew with tobacco, and later cotton, providing Warren County with great wealth. Two physicians were in practice, the first courthouse was built, and churches flourished, most notably Hebron Methodist, founded in 1771. By 1860, Warren was the richest county in North Carolina.

There were three major hot springs that attracted the aristocracy from the coast when the weather became unbearable there. These were Jones White Sulphur Springs Hotel, the Shocco Springs Hotel, and Panacea Springs. All hotels boasted elegant dinners and evenings with dancing and other leisurely pursuits. The springs reached their popular peak from 1830 – 1850 (Sharpe, B. & Zarr, S.B., 1962). It was at the Jones Springs that Annie Carter Lee, daughter of General Robert E. Lee, stayed with her family during the War Between the States.

Orren Randolph Smith, a native of the county, designed the original Stars and Bars at the onset of the War Between the States.

Warren County has provided the state with four governors, six attorney generals, three supreme court justices, four superior court judges, five magnates in the tobacco industry. Also notable is the fact that North Carolina's first African-American Congressman and Congresswoman, John Hyman and Eva Clayton, are natives of Warren County.

During the Civil Rights movement Warren County was chosen as the site of an experimental planned community called Soul City. This was an effort to create improved economic opportunities for Southern Blacks that ultimately failed due to lack of funding.

More recently, the illegal dumping of contaminated waste along local roadsides and the siting of a landfill for the soil brought national attention to the county, along with health concerns from affected residents.

In 1978, 30,000 gallons of PCB-contaminated oil were illegally dumped along 210 miles of highway in 14 North Carolina counties, including Warren. State officials chose a site near the Afton community in the southwestern portion of the county for construction of a landfill to hold the contaminated soil. Afton has a population of about 1,600, 85 percent of which is African-American.

During protests in the early 1980s local leaders spoke out against what was deemed a political decision to build the PCB Landfill in Warren, a low-income, mostly minority county. National civil rights leaders joined them in their efforts to keep the landfill from locating here; protests led from one arrest to another as demonstrators who sought justice placed their bodies in the paths of trucks sent here for construction. These protests are considered the watershed event that brought "environmental justice" to the national level.

Environmental justice, who recognizes the concern that minority and/or low-income populations have borne a disproportionate amount of potentially adverse health and environmental effects, calls for the "fair treatment for people of all races, cultures, and incomes, regarding the development of environmental laws, regulations, and policies."

In 1982, then-Gov. Jim Hunt made a commitment to the people of Warren County that if appropriate and feasible technology became available, the state would explore detoxification of the landfill.

In 1994, a grassroots effort on the part of local leaders led to the formation of a PCB Working Group, including state representation, to study feasibility of detoxification. Base Catalyzed Decomposition was chosen as the most appropriate technology and was approved. Funding from state and federal sources,

including in-kind services, led to the detoxification project moving forward. Site preparation work was completed in December 2001, and soil treatment continued through this past summer. A portion of the funding for completion of the project, including redevelopment, has been allocated by the state in its 2002-03 budgets.

Despite clean-up efforts, many residents who live near the PCB Landfill, some of whom still won't drink the water from their wells, remain concerned about possible health risks.

Warren County is made up of three incorporated towns surrounded by more than half a dozen communities.

### **Warrenton**

The town of Warrenton, the county seat, was established during the fourth year of the American Revolution. On July 22, 1779, 100 acres of land were purchased for the town from Thomas Christmas, and William Christmas drew the first plan of the town with 162 half-acre lots. By the 1920s the town prospered as the center of a plantation region.

Warrenton became an educational center with the Warrenton Academy chartered in 1786 by the Macon brothers, one of whom, Nathaniel, would become one of the greatest speakers of the U.S. House of Representatives. Two additional schools were founded later, the Falkener School for young ladies by 1800, and the Mordecai School by 1809.

Warrenton Academy later became John Graham High School, located on North Main Street, which now houses county offices.

Warrentonians enjoyed fine architecture, music, dancing, art, and horse racing. Beautiful homes were built as centerpieces of the large plantations, and later Jacob Holt townhouses were erected. Prosperity continued to grow thanks to the cotton gin. The town's population by 1800 was 238, and by 1850 it had increased to 700. Today it is just over 800.

Over 90 percent of Warrenton's downtown buildings are listed in the National Register of Historic Places.

### **Norlina**

With a population of over 1,100, Norlina is located just south of the Virginia border, situated on land that was part of a grant to an early John Langford for his service in the Revolutionary War.

In 1900, Robert F. Rose, a descendant of Langford, sold just under five acres of land in Norlina to the Richmond, Petersburg and Carolina Railroad for the building of a depot at the juncture of the Seaboard Air Line Railway and the Raleigh-Gaston Railroad. One of his sons, John Horace Rose, also sold land to the railroad.

Before the town was named Norlina, a combination of "North" and "Carolina," the area was called Mount Regis.

In 1901, a hotel was built to accommodate travelers stopping in the area, many of whom would have dinner on their way through the town.

With the town being a railroad juncture, Norlina grew rapidly. Businesses in the town included a hardware store, a cotton gin, a drug store, the Metropolitan Cafe run by "Jack the Greek," a shoe shop and a hunting club which was turned into a private residence in the year 2000.

Around 1909, The Norlina School was erected and was later moved to the site where the high school campus of Norlina Christian School stands today. The original frame building was used until 1915 when

construction on a new school was begun. The Norlina Graded School opened on Feb. 1, 1916.

Norlina was incorporated in 1913 with citizens agreeing to make the town one square mile with the railroad station as the direct center. The growth of the town was at its peak just before and during the time of World War II with the railroads playing an important part in the war by providing transportation for the troop trains, both north and south, and also to the seaports at Portsmouth and Norfolk, Va.

During the war years there were 18 passenger trains a day running through Norlina, north and south, and four passenger trains daily on the Portsmouth, Va. line. Additional trains carrying freight and troops also ran through the town.

### **Macon**

The smallest of the county's incorporated towns, Macon is located northeast of Warrenton. It was settled in the early 1800s, and its post office was established in 1839.

The area started out as Macon Depot. In the 1880s the name was changed in honor of Nathaniel Macon, a prominent county native who was three times Speaker of the U.S. House of Representatives, and a U.S. Senator from 1815-1828.

He and his brother, John, were both active in 1786 toward founding The Warrenton Academy. Macon is the hometown of present day North Carolina author Reynolds Price.

## **LOCATION**

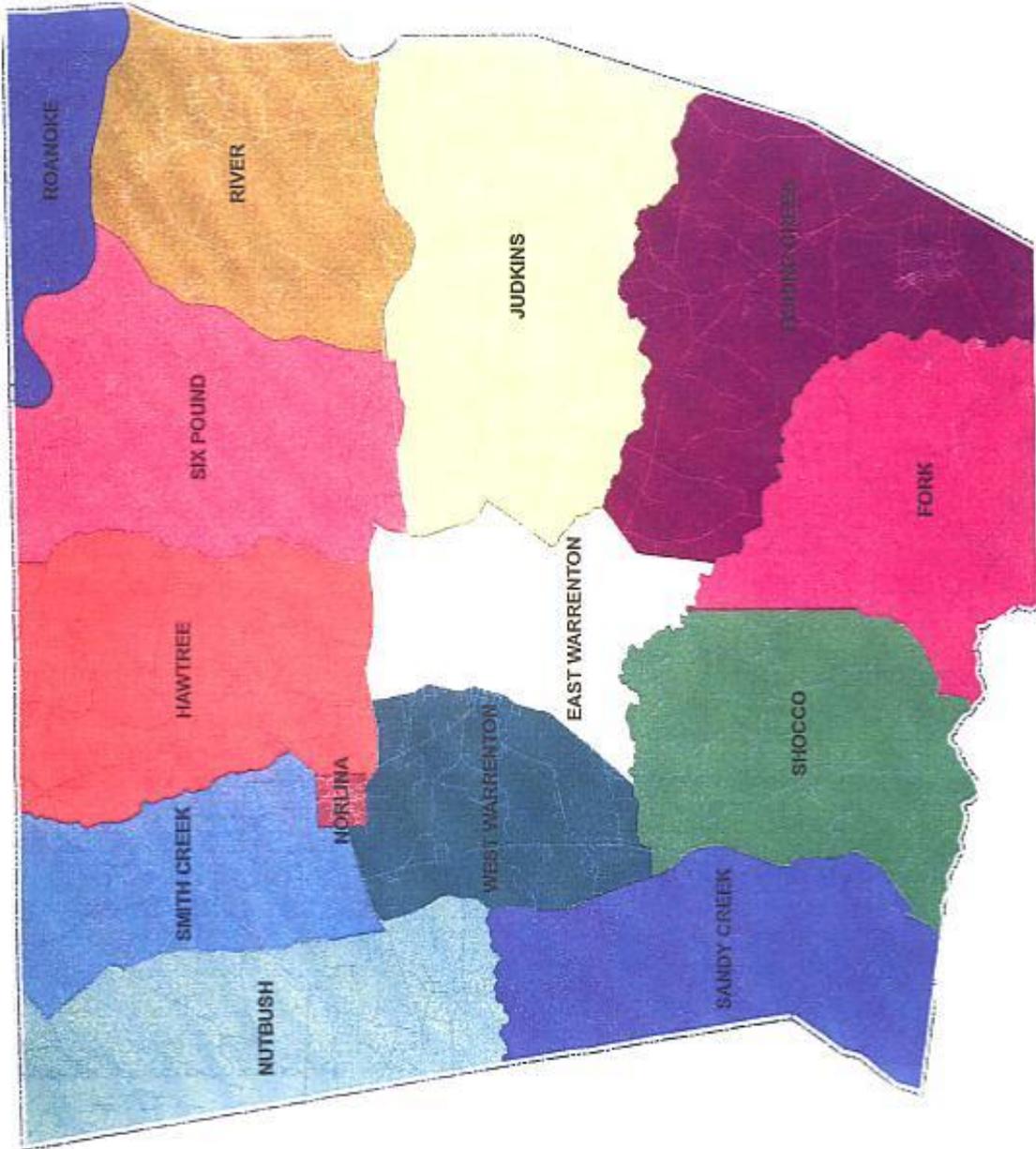
Warren County is located in the northeastern Piedmont Section of North Carolina. The county is bound by Virginia to the north, Northampton and Halifax Counties to the east, Franklin and Nash Counties to the south and southeast, and Vance County to the west. The climate of Warren County is temperate with little variance.

WARREN COUNTY, NC





WARREN COUNTY VOTING PRECINCT MAP



**WARREN COUNTY**  
**POST OFFICES AND ZIP CODES**

Hollister *	27844
Macon	27551
Manson	27553
Norlina	27563
Warrenton	27589
Littleton *	27850
Ridgeway	27570
Wise	27594
Middleburg *	27556
Henrico *	27842

\* = Denotes that Zip Code also includes residents of another county.

## Demographics

Tobacco and cotton were the moneymaking crops in antebellum Warren County, but with all the wealth, county residents were also able to development more high-end pursuits such as horse racing and breeding. Warren County was the “undisputed center of this sport” in the old South (Sharpe, B. & Zarr, S.B.,1962). Agriculture is still a way of life for many county residents. Tobacco crop is still being produced today along with cucumbers, cantaloupes, and grains. Although many Warren County residents make their living from agriculture there are several industries in the county.

According to the County Data Book 2005, Warren County’s total population is 20,074, with 24% under age 20, 18% females between the ages of 15-44, and 16% age 65 and over. Racial breakdown for the total population is 20% white male, 20% white female, 29% minority male and 31% minority female. Based on the data results, Warren County’s non-white population is above the state average of the non-white population. Females represent 51% of the population and male represent 49%.

Bases on 2000 Census data, out of 13,599 residents age 25 and older, only 67.5 percent are graduates of high school or higher, and only 11.6 % hold bachelor’s or higher degrees. In Warren County the per capita income is \$17,971, and it is lower than the state’s average of \$28,071, and the median household income is \$28,351 according to County Profiles-Economic Development. Unemployment is a major factor in such a low per capita income. Bases on statistics from the Employment Security Commission of North Carolina for the month of June 2006, Warren County’s labor force is 7,988 while only 529 are unemployed, and Warren County’s unemployment rate is 6.6% compared to 4.8% for the state.

Total families living in Warren County in poverty is 19.4% in comparison to the state of 12.3% according to the 2000 census. There is a higher level of undeveloped areas of the county, which may be a contributing factor to the poverty percentage.

## **POLITICAL INFORMATION**

As of August 2006, Warren County had 14,072 registered voters, 12,713 active voters and 1,359 inactive voters. Party affiliation is as follows: 10,853 Democrat; 1,724 Republican; and 1,405 unaffiliated. The highest concentration of registered Republicans' reside in District II—River, Sixpound and Roanoke townships—in the northeastern portion of the county bordering Lake Gaston.

## **ECONOMIC INFORMATION**

For the end of the 4<sup>th</sup> quarter of 2005 the unemployment rate in Warren County was 6.1 percent in comparison to the state of 4.7 percent and the county ranked 26.

Also, Temple-Inland Packaging has recently expanded its operation, bringing on additional employees.

In an effort to extend services to its citizenry and provide infrastructure for future development, the county continues with construction of a water and sewer system, with work on the final district under way, and officials earlier this year adopted a countywide Land-Use Plan.

Elberta Crate & Box Company, over the past two years, one of our local industries made a major expansion in both monetary investments and increased employment by one hundred jobs.

We still face a challenge of replacing traditional jobs loss thru NAFTA and the National and Global economy. Good jobs for our citizens remain a crucial need and the challenge is made more difficult through the lack of workers possessing skills for today's job market.

A "shovel-ready," certified, industrial site, located just off Interstate 85 in Oine, in addition to 860 acres in Manson as a certified site is being marketed by the local Economic Development office as well as at the state level by the N.C. Department of Commerce. The 860 acres, Warren Business Park, is the county site for precipitation in the multi-county Kerr-Tar Hub Economic Development Project.

The travel and tourism industry—driven largely by traffic to Lake Gaston, Kerr Lake, and historic Warrenton—generated an economic impact of \$15.81 million in 2001. This was a change of -5.9 percent from the previous year.

The county's largest employer is private industry, representing 64.7 percent of the labor force at the highest average weekly earnings of \$438. This is followed by government (35.3 percent workforce, \$621 average weekly earnings), public administration (18.8 percent workforce, \$520 average weekly earnings), manufacturing (18.3 percent workforce, \$514 average weekly earnings), and education services (16.3 percent workforce, \$511 average weekly earnings) rounding out the top five.

The per capita personal income (based on the year 2003) is \$17,971, which ranks Warren County 99<sup>th</sup> out of the state's 100 counties. The median family income of \$28,351 ranks Warren County 90<sup>th</sup> in the state.

Sources: Employment Security Commission of N.C.; N.C. Department of Commerce; Travel Association of America

## **HEALTH INFORMATION**

## Secondary Data Collection Committee 2006

The purpose of the Secondary Data Collection Committee is to provide Quantitative Assessment Document. Data will include information on the following: Pregnancy/Births, Community Health, Education, Mortality/Morbidity Rate, Population and Unemployment. Charts and graphs will show the comparison between the following counties: Vance, Granville, Franklin and the overall State rate. In addition, the Secondary Committee will summarize the results of the data that describe the TOP TEN concerns of the community.

As one of the 10 poorest counties in the state, Warren County's population density of 47.0 persons per square mile is well below the state average of 177.86 persons per square mile. Warren's population density is half that of neighboring counties. Services within the county are limited and fragmented, with each agency's capacity stretched to the limits due to the many individuals needing assistance and distance and transportation challenges. There is no hospital, no bus service (other than the school systems), no television station, many households without telephone service, and many households still without indoor plumbing.

Due to meager earnings and limited jobs, many residents in the county have daily needs that take precedence over education. Therefore, motivation to complete high school becomes secondary. Health and health care also suffer the same fate.

Networking between present county agencies and services needs to be enhanced to improve the quality of life. The following charts and graphs give quantitative information to show that these **TOP TEN concerns** were chosen using the **ranking process** by the Secondary Data Committee due to the Quality of Life issues in Warren County.

### Top Ten Concerns:

1. Domestic Violence (fires, motor vehicle injury)
2. Uninsured & underinsured (access to healthcare)
3. Infant death rate
4. Unemployment
5. Cancer (colon)
6. HIV/AIDS/ Gonorrhea
7. Cerebrovascular Disease (stroke/heart disease)
8. Substance Abuse (chronic liver disease)
9. Mental Health
10. Diabetes

**WARREN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE  
COMMUNICATIONS DIVISION  
115 West Macon Street  
Warrenton, N. C. 27589**

DATE: JANUARY 1-05- DECEMBER 31-05

INCIDENT	TOTAL
10-50 Accident	530
10-62 Breaking & Entering	463
10-36 Complaint	847
10-59 Escort	378
10-73 Mental Patient	71
S-51 Narcotics	27
10-35 Domestic	566
10-52 Rescue	2743
10-65 Robbery	15
S-40 Murder	4
S-44 Vandalism	132
S-39 Assault	106
S-34 Larceny	270
10-93 Rape	8
10-79 Fire	1383
10-40 Fight	217
10-38 Man w/Gun	42
10-46 Alarm	1337
S-30 Someone Shot	1
10-62 Lake Area	4
Others	12,127
Total	21,271

## Access to Health Care

(Number of Care Providers per Person 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter 2005)

County	# of Physicians	Population Physician Ratio
Warren	9	1:2,254
Franklin	31	1: 1,708
Granville	71	1:751
Vance	64	1: 691

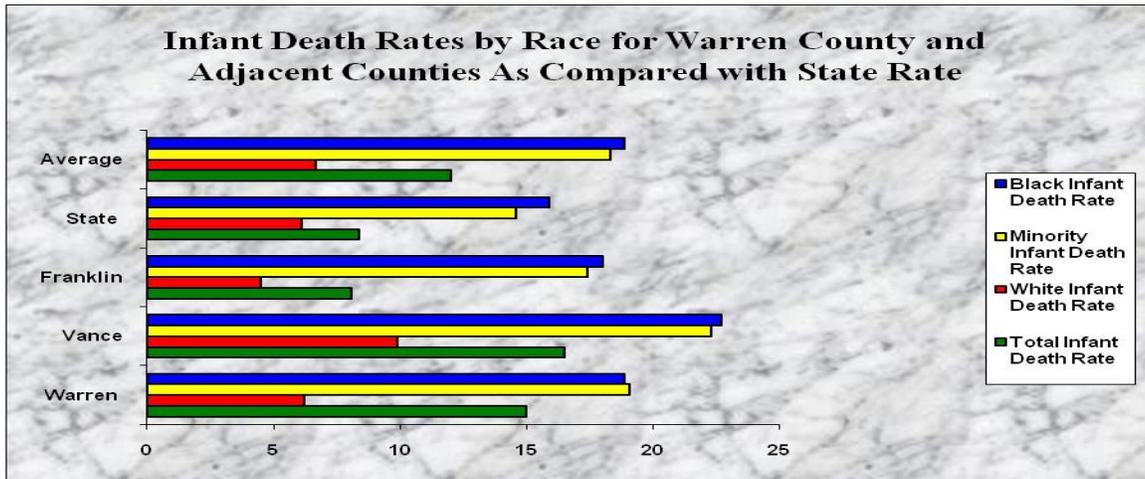
Source: (North Carolina Rural Economic Development, Center Inc.)

The number of physicians in primary care, and total physicians per person for Warren is lower than the surrounding counties.

## Comparison Worksheet Infant for Warren, Vance, Franklin and State for Fetal, Neonatal, Post neonatal, and Infant Death Rates, 2000-2004

Indicator	Warren	Vance	Franklin	State	Average
Total Fetal Death Rate	11.8	11.3	7.7	7.2	9.5
White Fetal Death Rate	12.3	5.5	5.7	5.5	7.25
Minority Fetal Death Rate	11.6	16.2	12.9	11.6	13.075
Total Neonatal Death Rate	12	11.7	6.3	5.9	8.975
White Neonatal Death Rate	3.1	5.5	3.3	4.2	4.025
Minority Neonatal Death Rate	16.2	17	14.2	10.5	14.475
Total Post neonatal Death Rate	3	4.9	1.8	2.6	3.075
White Post neonatal Death Rate	3.1	4.3	1.2	1.9	2.625
Minority Post neonatal Death Rate	3	5.4	3.3	4.2	3.975
Indicator	Warren	Vance	Franklin	State	Average
Total Infant Death Rate	15	16.5	8.1	8.4	12
White Infant Death Rate	6.2	9.9	4.5	6.1	6.675
Minority Infant Death Rate	19.1	22.3	17.4	14.6	18.35
Black Infant Death Rate	18.9	22.7	18	15.9	18.875

(Source: County Health Data Book, North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services, February 2006)



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Warren County's total infant death rates are 6.6% higher than the state, 6.9% higher than Franklin County, however, 1.5% lower than Vance County.

Pregnancy, Fertility, Abortion Rates for Teens Ages 15-17 (year 200-2004)

Number of occurrences per 1,000 populations.

Pregnancy, Fertility, Abortion Rates for Teens Ages 15-17 (Year 2000-2004)

Number of occurrences per 1,000 population

Indicator	Warren Co. Rate	Franklin Co. Rate	Vance Co. Rate	Granville Co. Rate	State Rate
Total Pregnancy Rate	47.2	44.5	70.1	38.8	39
White Pregnancy Rate	31.8	35.9	52.2	32.1	30.9
Minority Pregnancy Rate	53.2	59	81.3	50.6	56.2
Total Fertility Rate	38.3	54.7	89.2	40	46.6
White Fertility Rate	34	42.8	66.9	36.9	41
Minority Fertility Rate	40.6	76.4	102.8	46	59.3

(Source: County Health Data Book, North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services, February 2006)

Pregnancy, Fertility, Abortion Rates For Teens Ages 15-44 ( Year 2000-2004)

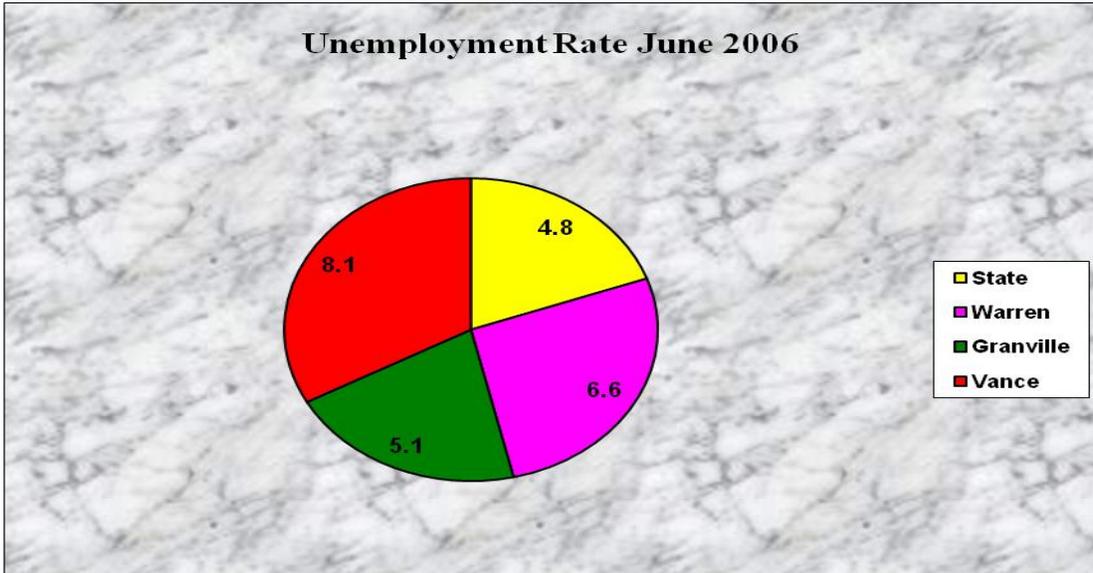
Number of occurrences per 1,000 population

Indicator	Warren Co. Rate	Franklin Co. Rate	Vance Co. Rate	Granville Co. Rate	State Rate
Total Pregnancy Rate	73.7	79.3	94.1	76.6	82
White Pregnancy Rate	56.7	74.7	85.5	71.6	76.5
Minority Pregnancy Rate	82.8	83.1	98.6	84.2	91.1
Total Fertility Rate	53.7	63.5	71.9	61.6	65.5
White Fertility Rate	48.2	65.9	73.1	63.6	66.6
Minority Fertility Rate	56.8	58.1	70.9	57.5	62.9
Total Abortion Rate	18.6	15.1	21.5	14.6	16
White Abortion Rate	6.9	8.2	12.4	7.6	9.6
Minority Abortion Rate	24.6	24.1	26.3	26.3	27.5

(Source: County Health Data Book, North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services, February 2006)

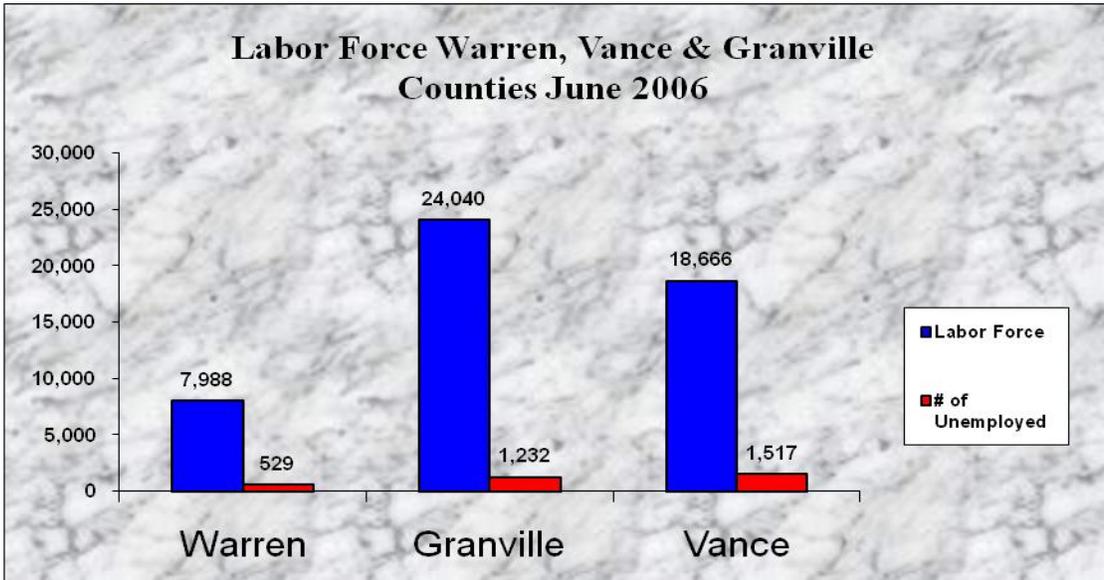
While the total pregnancy rate in Warren County for women ages 15-44 is under the state average, the total pregnancy rate in Warren County for women ages 15-17 exceeds the state average, indicating a need for family planning services and education on teen pregnancy.

## Unemployment & Labor Force Warren, Vance & Granville Counties for June 2006

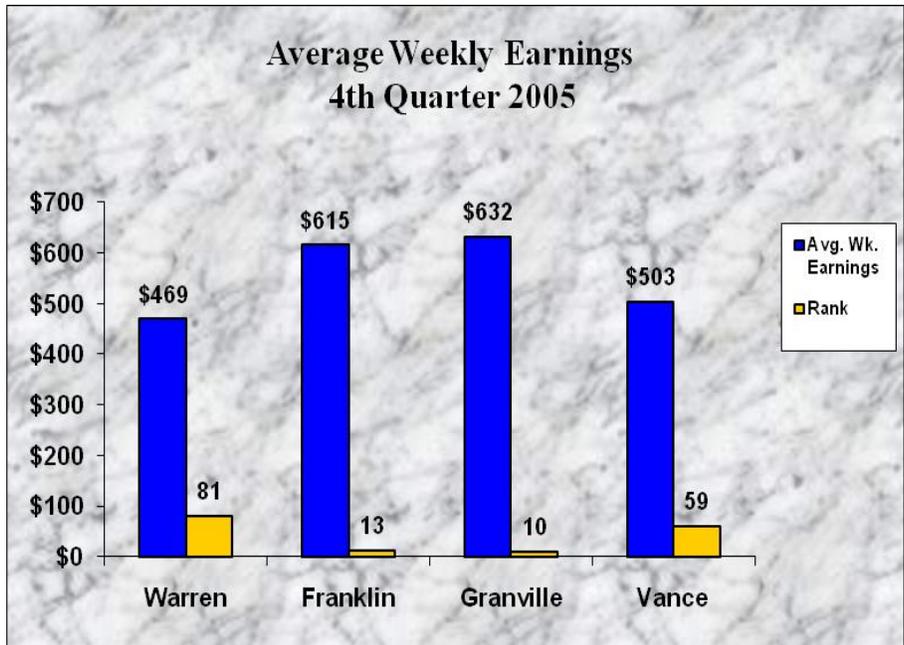


Source: ( Henderson Daily Dispatch Newspaper Sunday, July 30, 2006)

Warren County's unemployment rate is 1.8 % lower than the state, but stands second to Vance County by 1.5 %.



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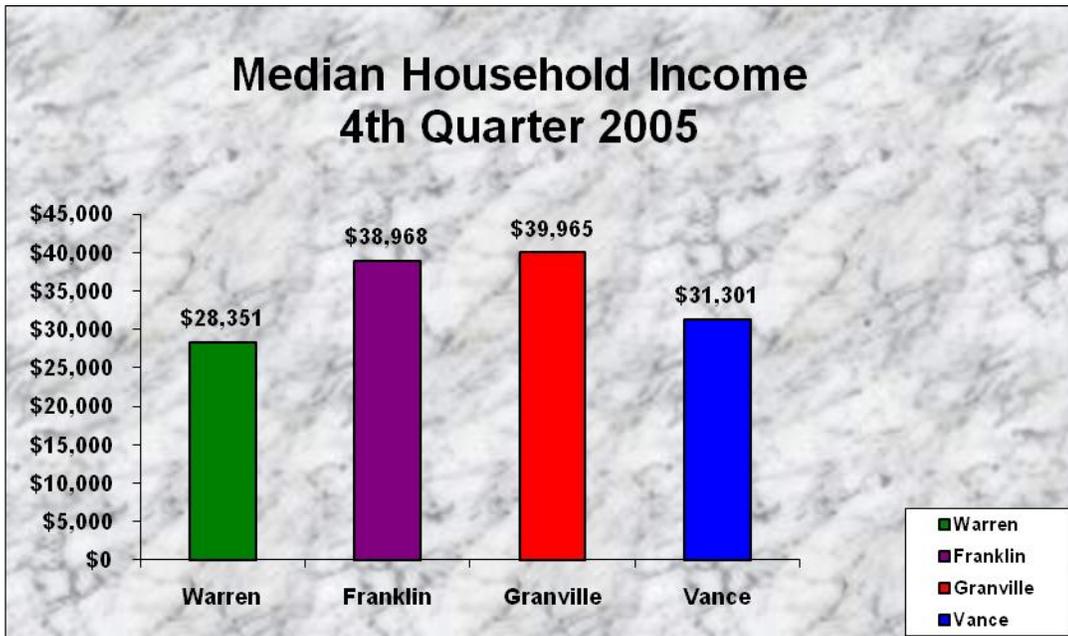


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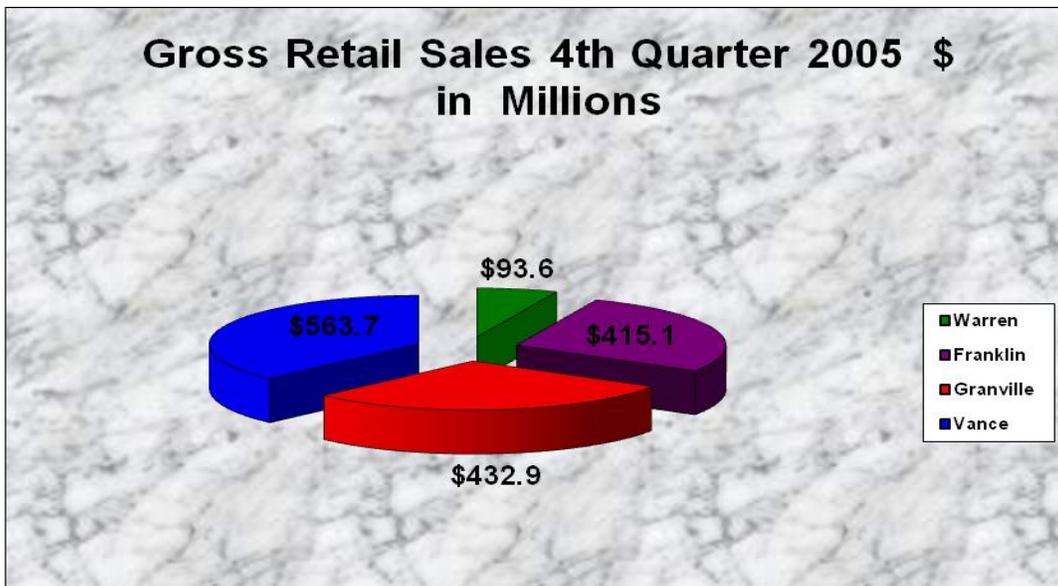


Source: (North Carolina Rural Economic Development, Center Inc.)

Warren County's Average Weekly Income Earnings (\$469) ranked (99) when compared to other counties in North Carolina. When comparing Warren County's Per Capital Household Income(\$17,971) and the average weekly income, Warren County has the lowest income in comparison to surrounding counties.



Source: (North Carolina Rural Economic Development, Center Inc.)



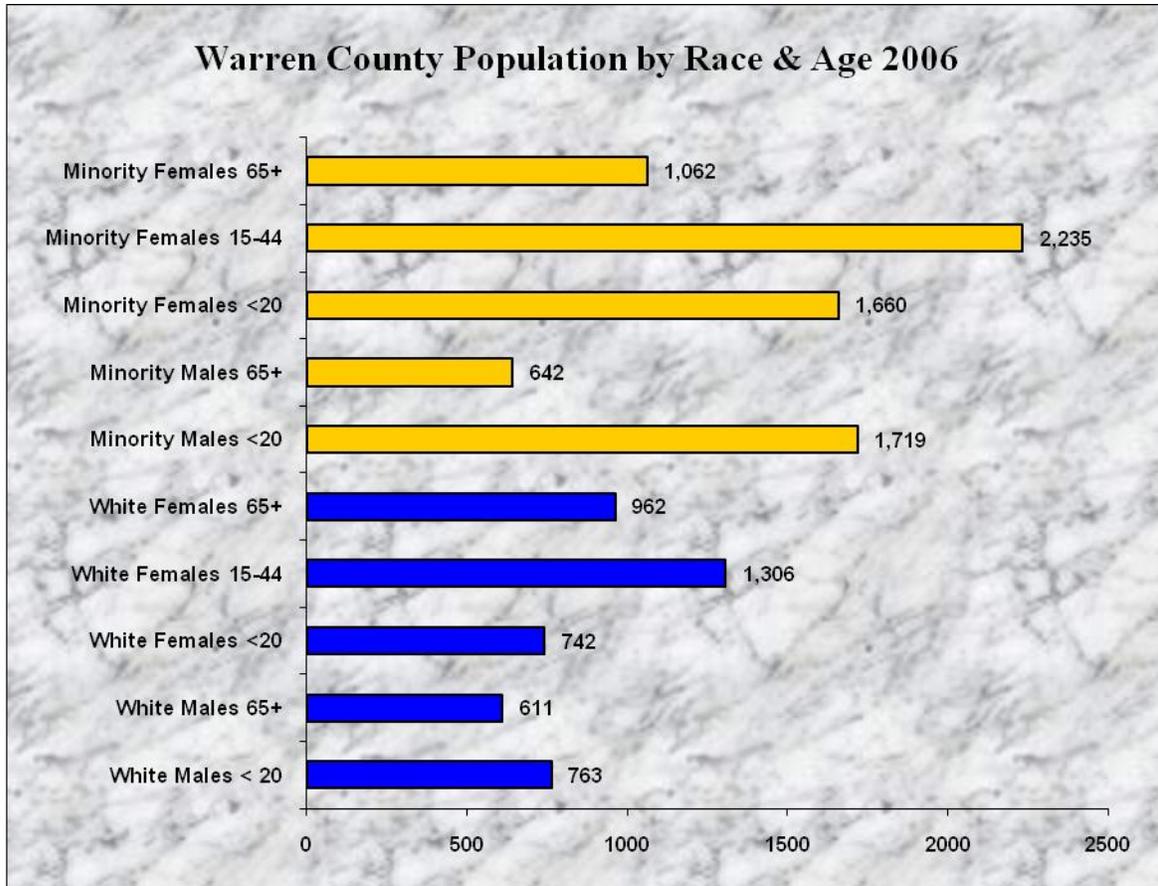
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When Comparing Warren County's Median Household Income (\$28,351) and Gross Retail Sales (\$93.6 m), Warren County has the least amounts, which means its ranking in the named categories are less than surrounding areas listed.



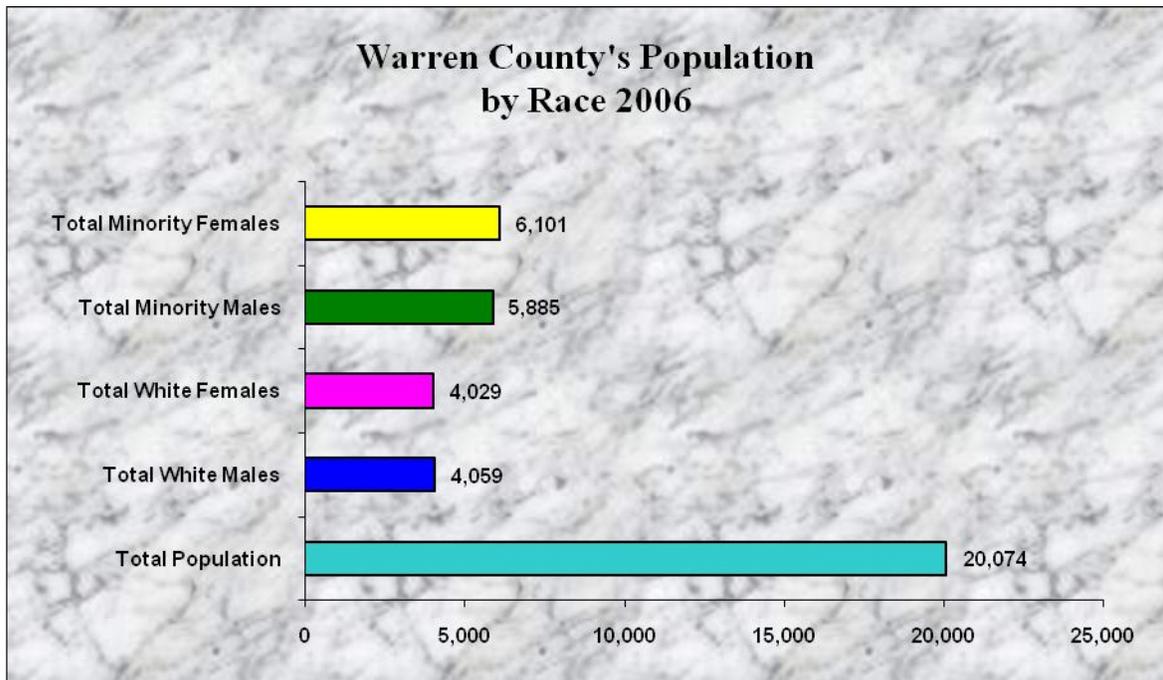
Source: (North Carolina Rural Economic Development, Center Inc.)

Property tax in Warren County(.840) is similar in value as surrounding counties. So few industries could be the reason for Warren Property tax being as high as it is. Warren County's tax value per \$100 is greater than the state as well as Granville and slightly lower than Vance.



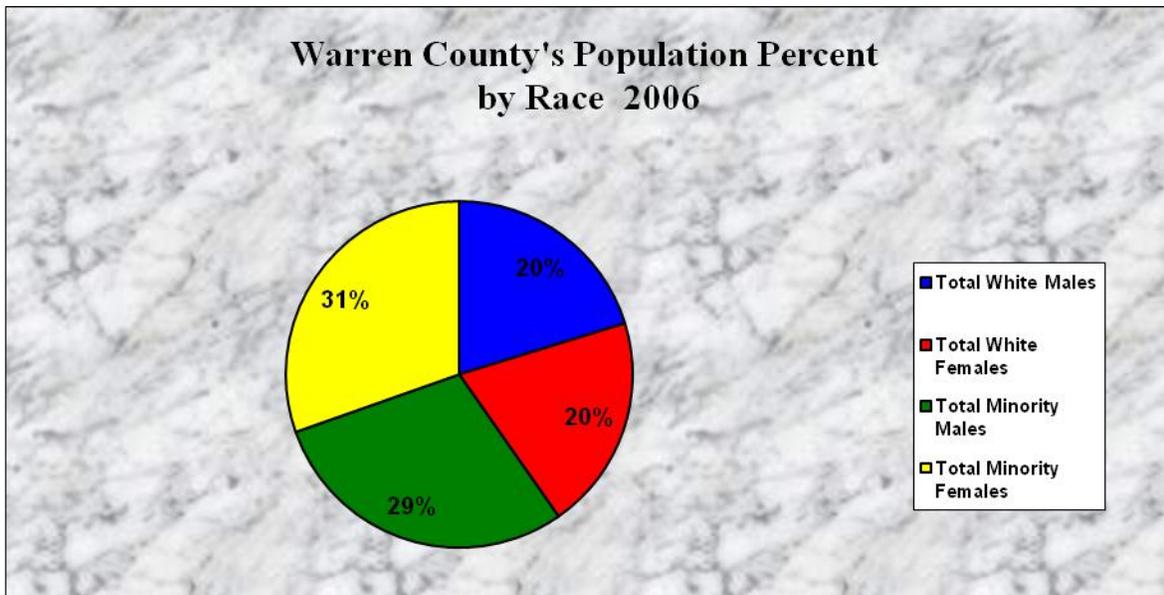
(Source: County Health Data Book, North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services, February 2006)

The minority female and white female ages 15-44 are the dominate age group in the population of Warren County.



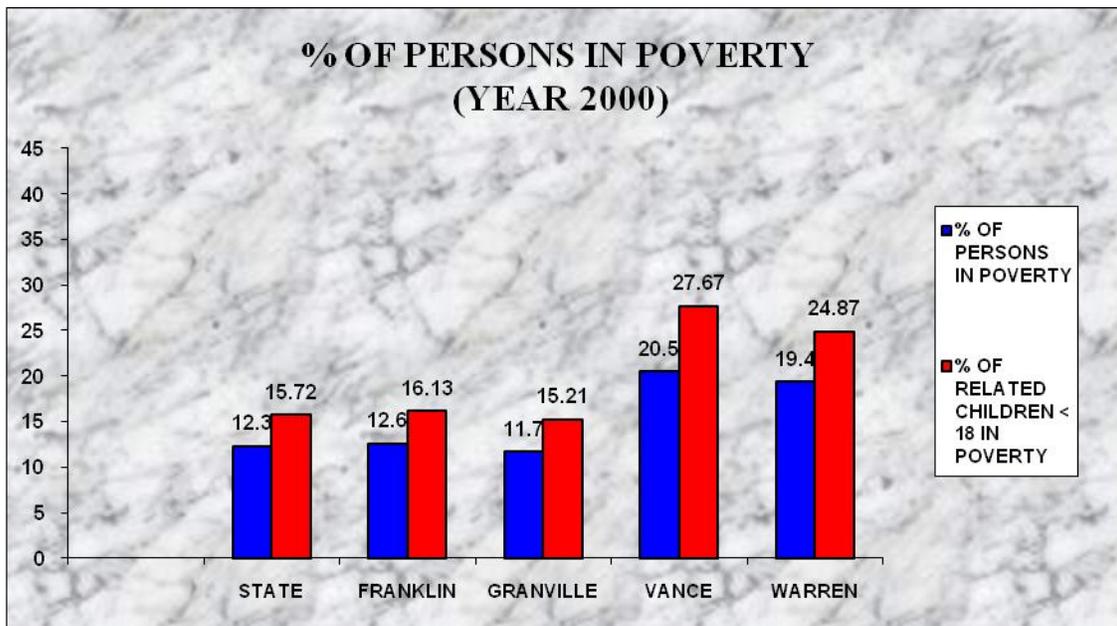
(Source: County Health Data Book, North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services, February 2006)

Warren County's total population is 20,074.

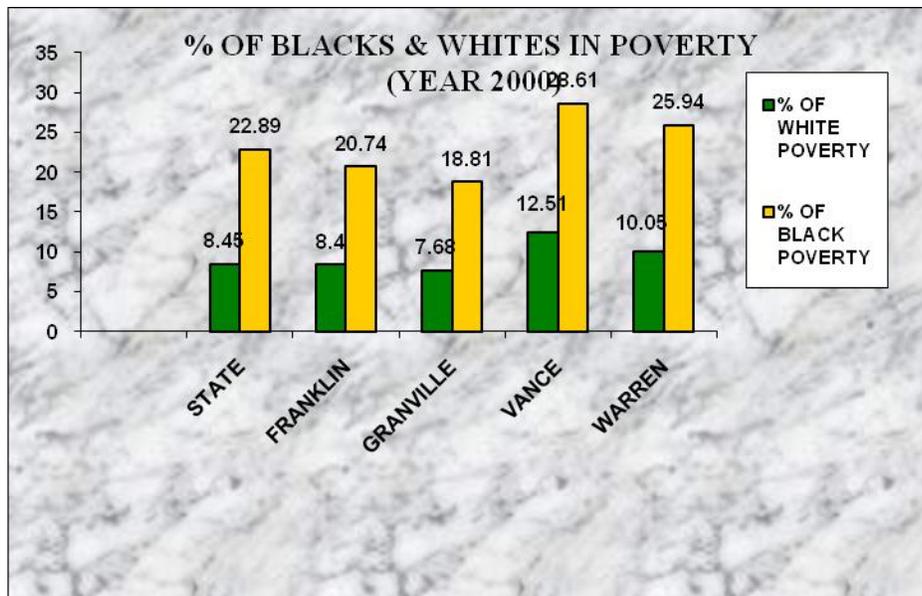


(Source: County Health Data Book, North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services, February 2006)

Warren County has 60% minority population vs 40% white population.

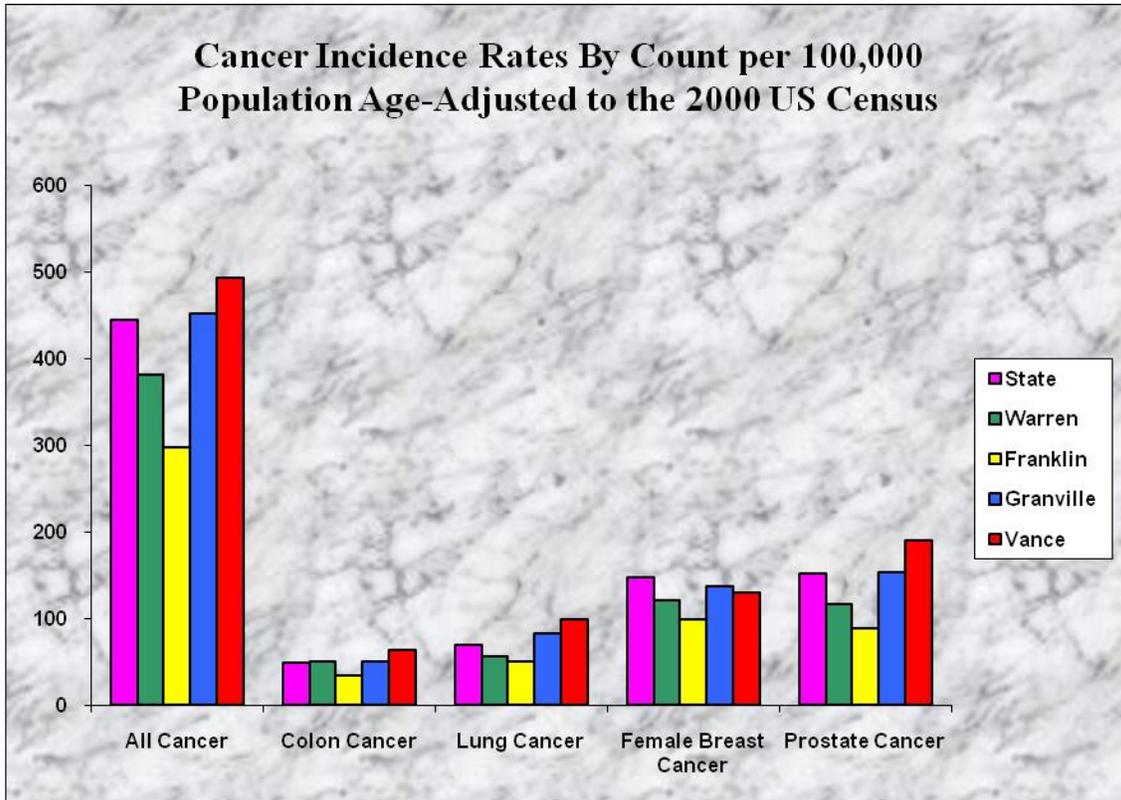


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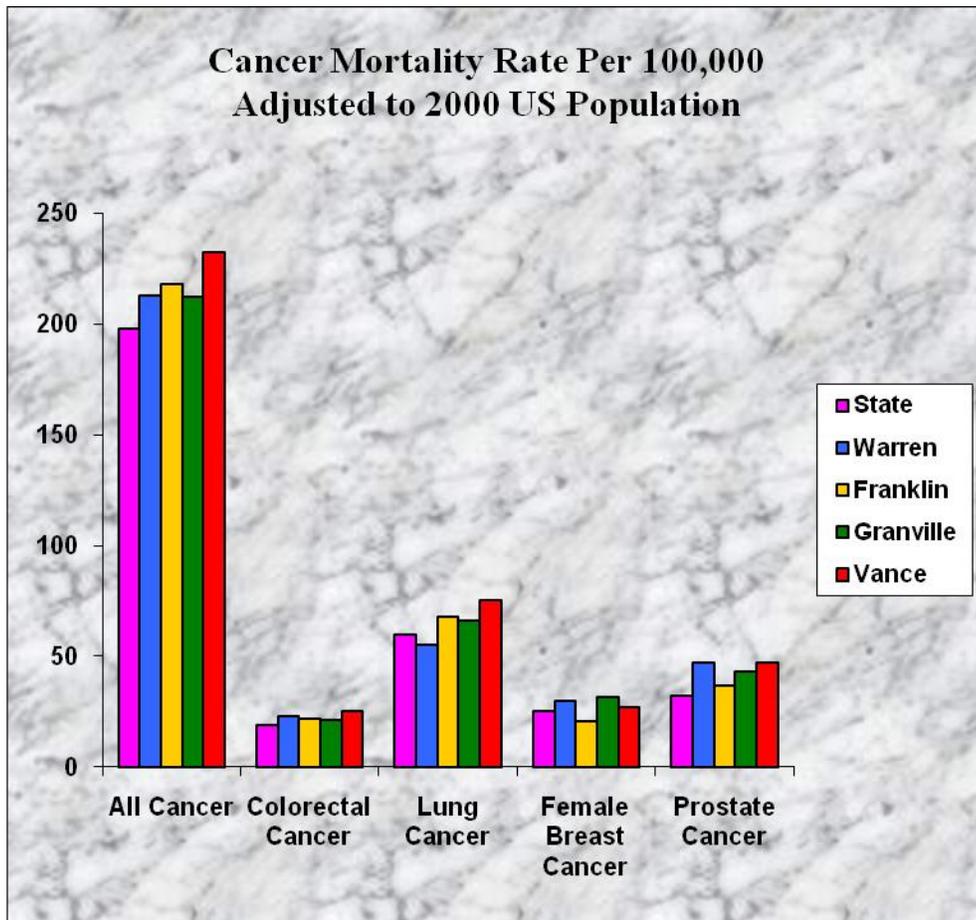
Warren County's percentage of persons in poverty (19.4) exceeds the state (12.3) over 6%. The percentage of Black poverty in Warren County exceeds White poverty in Warren County by more than 15.89%. Warren County has the second highest percentage of related children under 18 in poverty when compared to surrounding counties.



	All Cancer	Colon Cancer	Lung Cancer	Female Breast Cancer	Prostate Cancer
State	444	48.2	69.3	147.3	152
Warren	381	49.9	56.6	121	115.6
Franklin	297.4	33.6	50.2	98.3	89
Granville	451.3	49.6	82.8	136.2	153.4
Vance	493.3	63.8	98.3	129	189.9

(Source: County Health Data Book, North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services, Feb. 2006)

Warren County's cancer rates are lower than the average for the state, with the exception of colon cancer. All other cancer in comparison with the surrounding counties vary, with Vance County with the highest rate for prostate cancer.

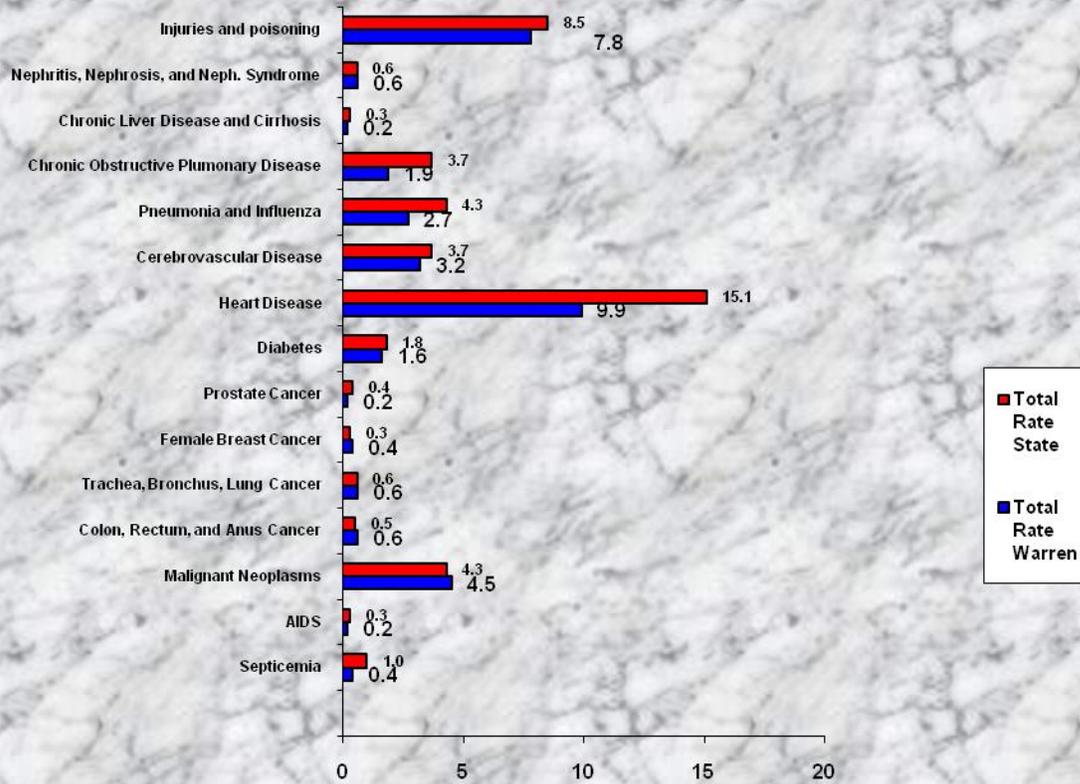


	All Cancer	Colorectal Cancer	Lung Cancer	Female Breast Cancer	Prostate Cancer
State	197.7	18.8	59.7	25.1	31.9
Warren	212.9	23.2	55.1	30	47.1
Franklin	217.8	21.9	67.7	20.5	36.7
Granville	212.5	21	66.1	31.7	43.2
Vance	232.4	25	75.2	26.7	47.3

( Source: North Carolina State Center for Health Statistics, February 2006)

Warren County's cancer rate for all cancers is higher than the state rate with the exception for lung cancer. In comparison with the rates from the surrounding counties, they are about the same with the exception of Vance for all cancer has the highest rate.

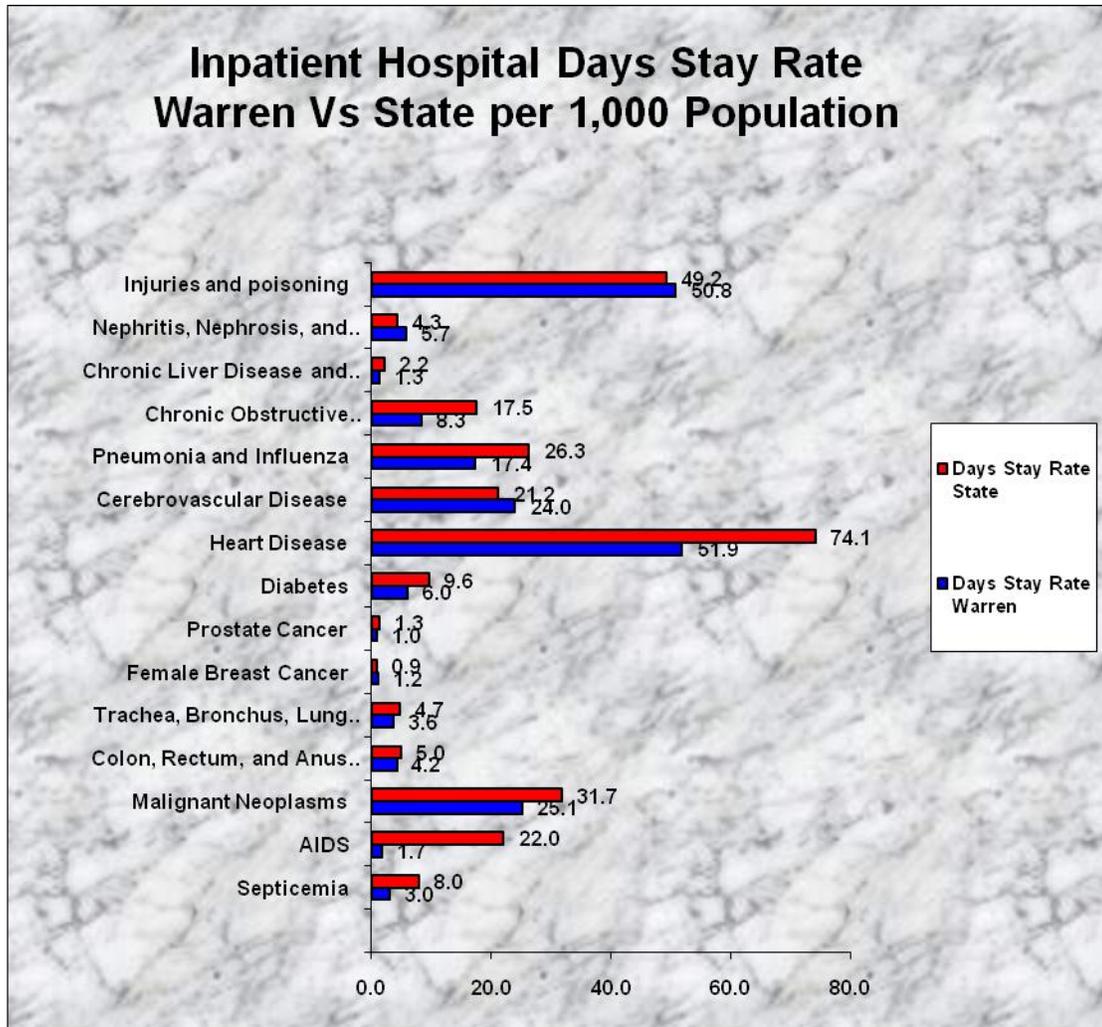
## Inpatient Hospital Discharge Rate Warren Vs State per 1,000 Population



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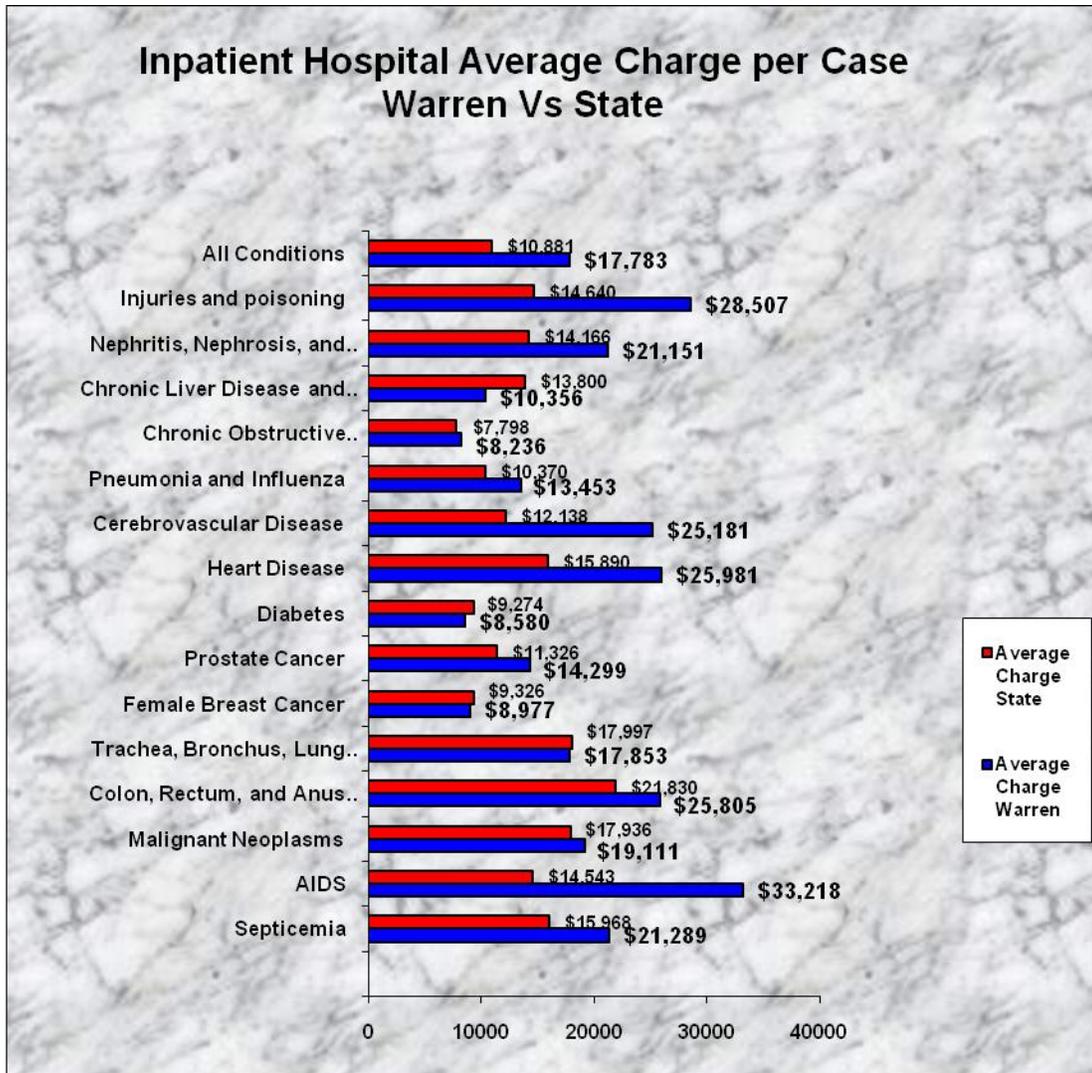
Heart Disease is the leading cause of inpatient hospital stays for residents of Warren County. Injury and poisoning as the second leading cause. The county does not have a hospital. A resident of Warren County has to travel at least 30 minutes to the surrounding hospitals in Vance, Granville, Franklin Counties or South Hill Virginia.

## Inpatient Hospital Days Stay Rate Warren Vs State per 1,000 Population



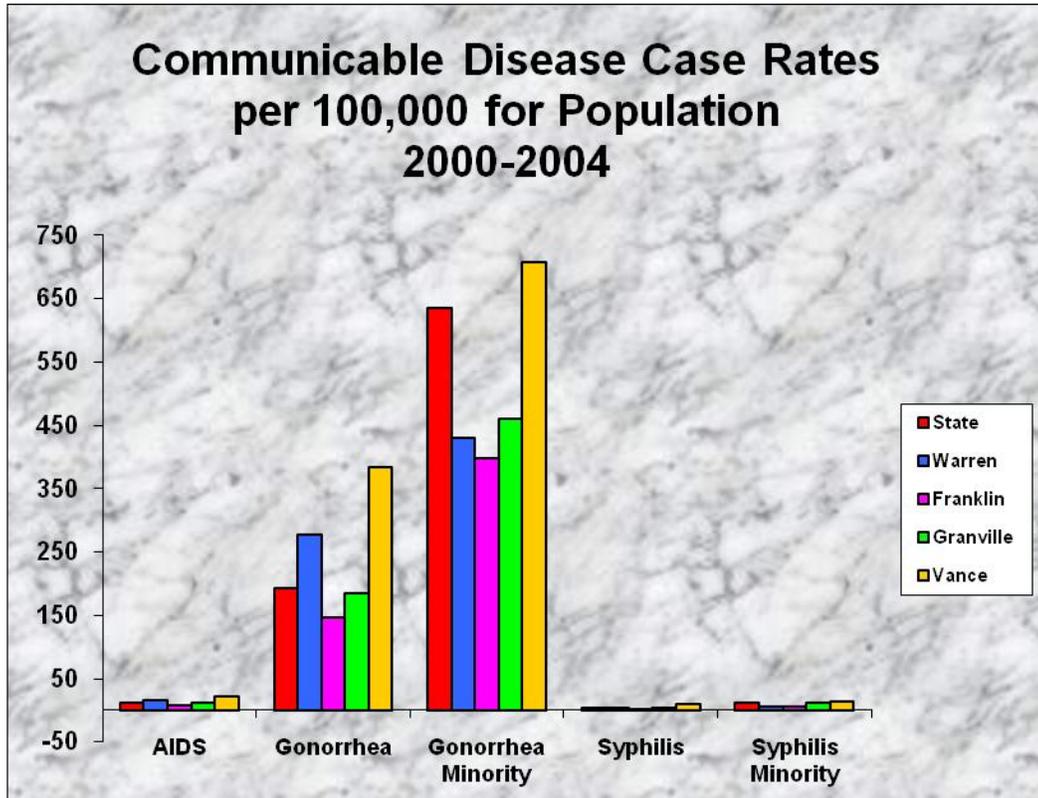
(Source: County Health Data Book, North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services, February 2006)

Heart Disease is the leading cause of 51.9 days stay in the hospital. Injury and poisoning is the second leading cause of 50.8 days stay in the hospital.



(Source: County Health Data Book, North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services, February 2006)

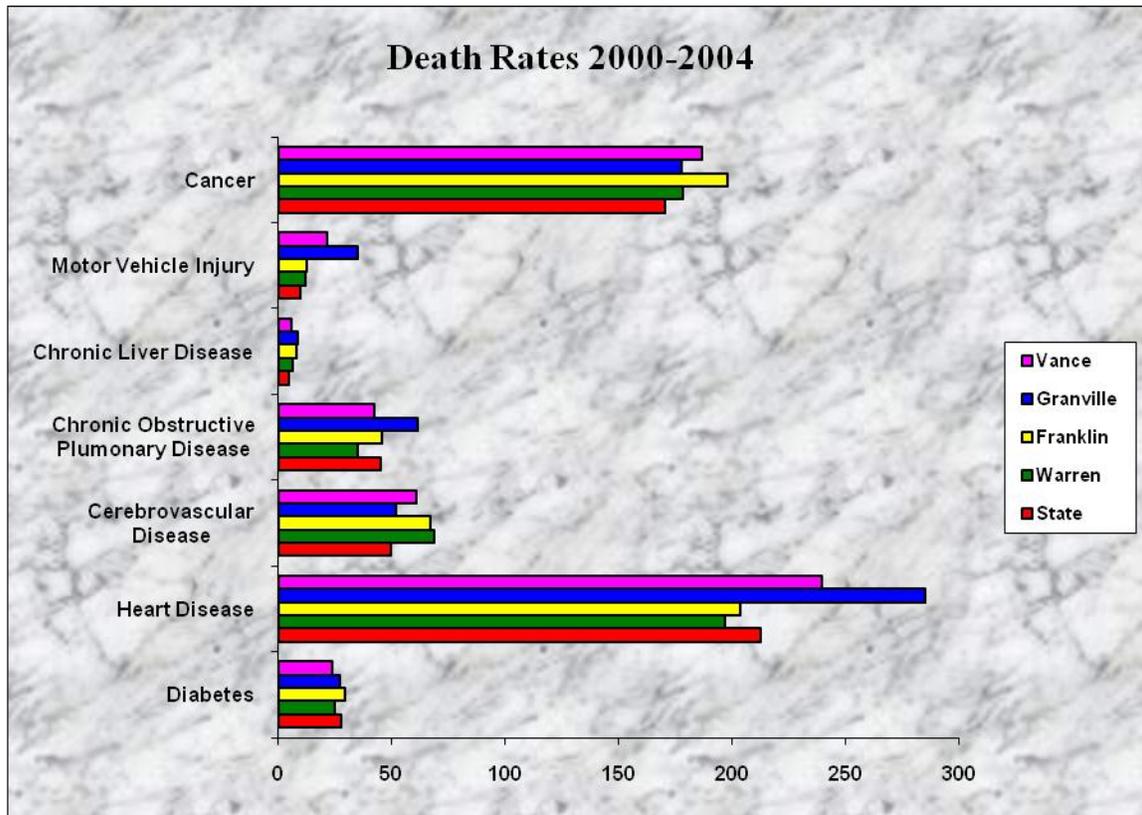
Warren County exceeds State rates in the cost of case per case for AIDS, Injury & poisoning, Heart Disease, Colon, Rectum and Anus Cancer, and Cerebrovascular Disease.



	AIDS	Gonorrhea	Gonorrhea Minority	Syphilis	Syphilis Minority
State	11.4	193.2	635.3	3.7	11.3
Warren	16	276.3	430.2	3	5
Franklin	7.2	145.6	398.6	1.6	5.2
Granville	11.3	184.2	459.9	3.9	10.9
Vance	21.9	384.5	707.9	9.1	13.6

(Source: Community Health Data Book, North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services, February 2006)

Rates for AIDS and syphilis for the state and county are much lower than rates for gonorrhea. Gonorrhea rates across the state are high with Warren County having a significantly higher rate than the state. Of the three surrounding counties, only Vance County has a higher rate of gonorrhea. Although syphilis rates are not as high, Warren County is slightly below the state rate while Vance County is higher.



	Diabetes	Heart Disease	Cerebrovascular Disease	Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease	Chronic Liver Disease	Motor Vehicle Injury	Cancer
State	27.9	212.7	49.6	45.1	4.9	9.9	170.4
Warren	24.9	196.5	68.6	35.1	6.3	12.3	178
Franklin	29.5	203.4	67.3	45.9	8.2	12.6	197.8
Granville	27.4	284.9	51.9	61.7	8.6	34.9	177.6
Vance	23.6	239.4	61.1	42.2	6.1	21.8	186.5

(Source: County Health Data Book, North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services, February 2006)

Death rates reveal major areas of health concern in our county. Warren County exceeded state rates in death related to cerebrovascular disease, chronic liver disease, cancer, and motor vehicle injury. However, the rate for diabetes, heart disease and chronic obstructive pulmonary disease are slightly below the state rate, they are still a major concern for Warren County residences.

## FIVE COUNTY AND NORTH CAROLINA CONSUMER DEMOGRAPHICS

	Five County Assessment	Statewide Assessments
Adult Mental Health Consumer	593	19,848
Adult Substance Abuse Consumer	115	9,071
Adolescent Mental Health Consumer	210	6,084

Source: (Five County Mental Health Authority, June 2006)

	Five County % Male Assessment	Statewide % Male Assessments
Adult Mental Health Consumer	37%	39%
Adult Substance Abuse Consumer	60%	59%
Adolescent Mental Health Consumer	61%	61%

Source: (Five County Mental Health Authority, June 2006)

	Five County % Male Assessment	Statewide % Female Assessments
Adult Mental Health Consumer	37%	61%
Adult Substance Abuse Consumer	60%	41%
Adolescent Mental Health Consumer	61%	39%

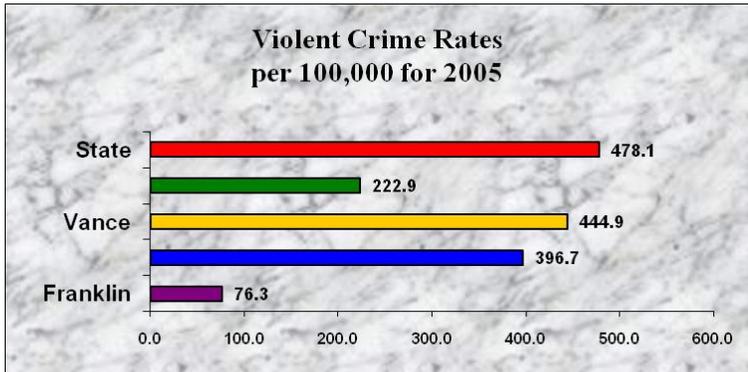
Source: (Five County Mental Health Authority, June 2006)

In the adult mental health assessment, the percentage of male assessment for five county is slightly below statewide, and female for five county is slightly higher than statewide. In comparison of adult substance abuse, five county male percentages are higher than statewide, and the five county female percentages are below statewide percentages. Adolescent mental health are the same in comparison to statewide percentages.



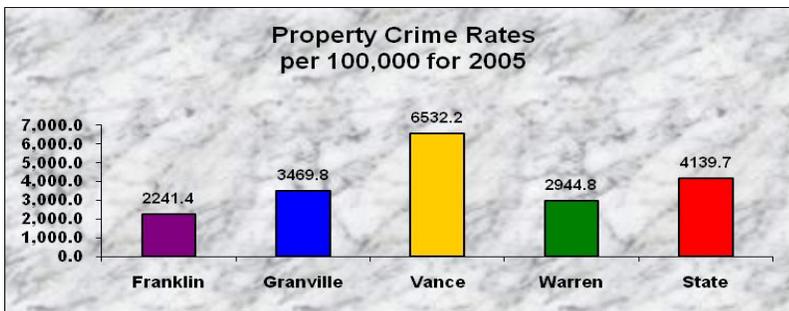
Source: (North Carolina Department of Justice)

The crime index includes the total number of murders, rapes, robberies, aggravated assaults, burglaries, larcenies and motor vehicle thefts. While arson is considered an index crime, the number of arsons is not included in the crime index tables.



Source: (North Carolina Department of Justice)

Violence crime includes the offenses of murder, rape, robbery and aggravated assault.

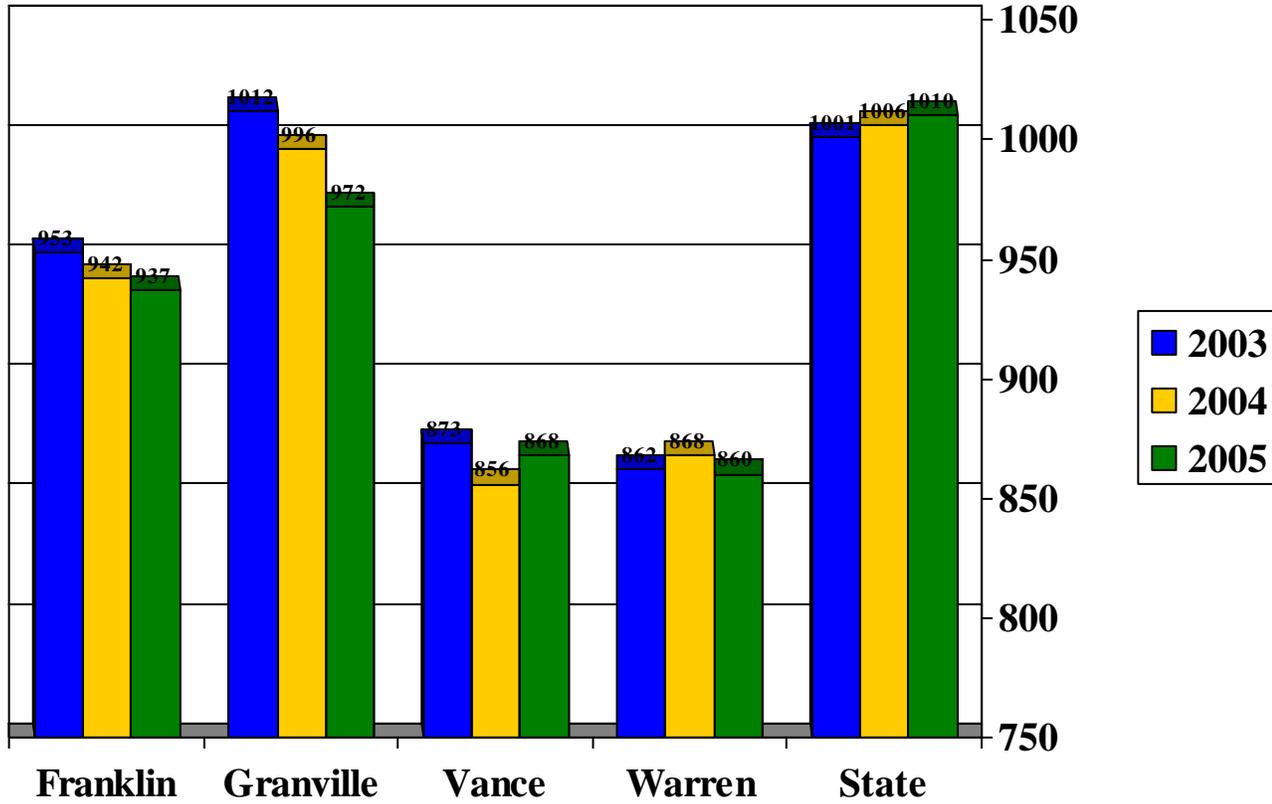


Source: (North Carolina Department of Justice)

Warren County's Index crime rate, violent crime rate as well as property crime rate is lower than that of the state rate, and surrounding counties with the exception of Franklin County.

**SAT Scores**  
Three Year Analysis  
Chart 1

SAT – Scholastic Aptitude Test



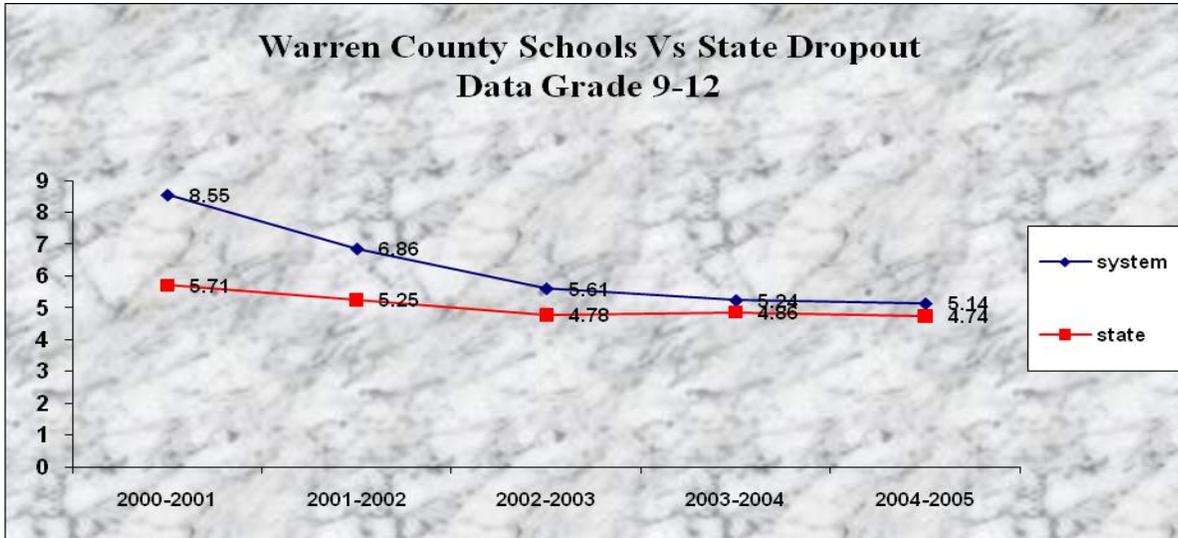
## SAT RATES 2003-2005

### Chart 2

<u>COUNTY</u>	<u>YEAR</u>	<u>SAT MATH</u>	<u>SAT VERBAL</u>	<u>SAT TOTAL</u>
<b>Franklin Co.</b>	<b>2003</b>	482	471	<b>953</b>
	<b>2004</b>	476	466	<b>942</b>
	<b>2005</b>	474	463	<b>937</b>
<b>Granville Co.</b>	<b>2003</b>	519	493	<b>1012</b>
	<b>2004</b>	501	495	<b>996</b>
	<b>2005</b>	494	478	<b>972</b>
<b>Vance Co.</b>	<b>2003</b>	441	432	<b>873</b>
	<b>2004</b>	434	422	<b>856</b>
	<b>2005</b>	442	426	<b>868</b>
<b>Warren Co.</b>	<b>2003</b>	436	426	<b>862</b>
	<b>2004</b>	433	435	<b>868</b>
	<b>2005</b>	437	423	<b>860</b>
<b>North Carolina</b>	<b>2003</b>	506	495	<b>1001</b>
	<b>2004</b>	507	499	<b>1006</b>
	<b>2005</b>	511	499	<b>1010</b>

Source: Department of Public Instruction

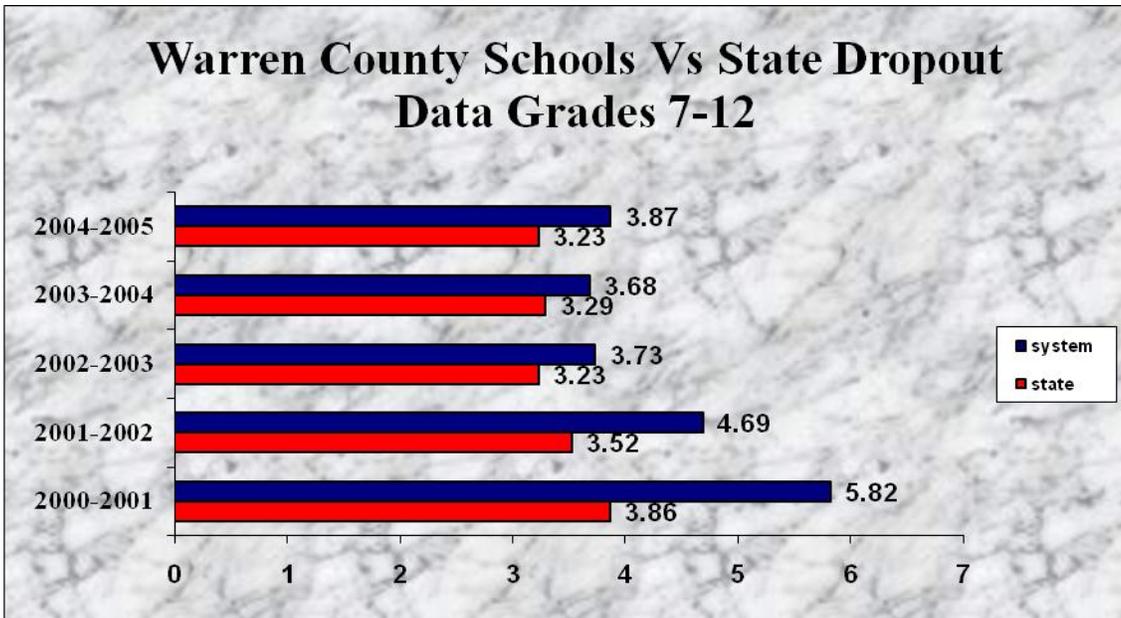
Warren County's SAT scores are below the State, as well as Franklin County and Granville County. The scores are about the same as the scores as compared Vance County Schools. The scores for Math and Verbal has been about the same average for the past 3 years.



Source: Warren County School System

The dropout rate is based on students who do not return to school from the previous year. Students who transfer to other public or private schools or who are home schooled are not included. The dropout rate does not include students who enroll in community college high school equivalency programs.

The dropout rate for Warren County students in grader 9-12 has shown decreased for the past four years and has reduced the hugh gap between the county rate and the state rate.



Source: Warren County School System

The dropout rate for Warren County students in grades 7-12 decreased from 2001-2001. There was an increase in the number of students dropping out in grades 7-8 during the 2004-2005 school year.

# CHILDREN/ADULT SERVICES

## CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES:

Protective Services Investigation and assessment provided to children regarding abuse, neglect, or dependency. On call 24 hours a day.

Abuse cases reported for period	29
Neglect cases reported for period	99
Children receiving protective services	163

## ADOPTION SERVICES:

Adoption services are provided to natural parents, children in need of adoption, and adoptive parents.

Children receiving adoption services (Non-Financial)	30
Average Monthly Adoption Subsidy Payment	\$447.00
Average Total Monthly Payments	\$13,400.00

## FOSTER CARE:

Temporary out-of-home placement for children because of family disruption as a result of abuse, neglect, or dependency.

Children placed by Warren DSS	25
Average Monthly Foster Care Payment	\$490.00
Average Monthly # of Foster Care Payments	28
Average Total Monthly Payment	\$8,220.00

## DAYCARE SERVICES:

Daycare provides services for children as well as assistance for the parents and Daycare directors.

Children served	377
Families served	247
Monthly Expenditures	\$81,973.00
Expenditures	\$983,676.00

## SMART START:

Smart Start provides services to enroll children at selected day care sites to identify social, health, and psychological needs of children.

Children served	56
Families served	27
Monthly Expenditure	\$4,515.00
Expenditure	\$44,470.00

## ADULT DAY CARE:

Adult day care provides an organized program of service during the day in a community group setting for the purpose of supporting adult's personal independence, and promoting their social, physical, and emotional well-being.

Adults receiving Day Care services	4
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## ADULT PROTECTIVE SERVICES:

Adult Protective Services are provided to correct or prevent further abuse, neglect, exploitation, or hazardous living conditions for Adults.

Referral Cases	36
Evaluated Cases	31
Substantiated Cases	16

## IN-HOME AIDE SERVICES:

In Home-Aide Service is intended to assist individuals with attaining and maintaining self sufficiency and improving quality of life.

In-Home Aide Service Cases	28
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## ADULT FOSTER CARE:

Assists the adult and/or family in the decision making and adjustment regarding out-of-home placement

Adult Placement Cases	24
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## COMMUNITY ALTERNATIVE PROGRAM (CAP):

Services provided in the home as an alternative for the elderly who are at risk for placement in a nursing facility.

Number of Referrals received	51
Number of clients served	31

## TRANSPORTATION:

Purchased transportation for the elderly, disabled, and low-income eligible Medicaid clients to Human Services agencies and to medical providers.

Clients authorized for medical transportation	1040
Number of Transportation Trips	6374
Expenditures	\$90,474.47

# FAMILY SUPPORT SERVICES

## WORK FIRST FAMILY ASSISTANCE:

Financial and medical assistance for children in families of one or more parents who are deprived of support.

Average Monthly # of Payments	210
Average Monthly Recipients	508
Average Monthly Amounts	\$220.25

## FAMILY AND CHILDREN'S MEDICAID:

Program assistance for eligible low-income families in accessing essential medical care.

Average Household size	3
Average Monthly Cases	1,500

## ENERGY ASSISTANCE :

These funds are used to assist families in need of emergency assistance for utilities.

## CRISIS:

Families served	502
Expenditures	\$ 80,215.00

## NORTH CAROLINA HEALTH CHOICE:

NCHC is a health program for infants through the age of 19. Eligibility requirements are based on number of family members and amount of income.

Average Annual households	325
Average Eligible children	820

## LOW-INCOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE:

A one-time cash benefit to assist with heating expenses.

Number of approved cases	1,055
Number of recipients	2,501
Total Payments	\$76,699
Average Payments Per Case	\$72.02

## FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

AGENCY:(FEMA)	WARREN COUNTY
Rent & Shelter	\$ 800.00
Energy	\$ 7,500.00
Administration	\$ 250.00
<b>Total Awarded</b>	<b>\$ 8,550.00</b>

## FOOD STAMPS/EBT PROGRAM:

Supplemental help for eligible low-income families with purchasing food to assure adequate nutrition.

Average Monthly Household	1,404
Average Monthly Recipients	3,216
Average Monthly Food Stamp Value Issued	\$267,080.42
EBT Issue Cost Per Card	1.54

## PROGRAM INTEGRITY:

**INVESTIGATIVE SERVICES:** Our Program Integrity Investigators help to insure that the benefits issued are correct.

Recovery of overpayments in public assistance programs, seeking reimbursement through legal action or administrative procedures.

Cases Referred	78
Investigations completed	51
Total Collections	\$42,789.63

## ADULT MEDICAID:

Assists eligible, low-income, disabled, and elderly persons in receiving medical care in a private living arrangement or long term care.

Individuals served per month	860
Applications processed (per month)	60

## SPECIAL ASSISTANCE (SA):

Supplements cost of care to help pay rest home cost. These individuals are automatically entitled to Medicaid assistance.

Average Monthly # of Payments	80
Average Monthly Payments Amount	\$600.00

## CAROLINA ACCESS:

Links eligible Medicaid clients with a primary care physician who agrees to coordinate their health care.

Medicaid Clients enrolled	4,500
Participating Primary Care Physicians (Warren County Area)	20

**COMMUNITY CONCERNS**

Primary Data Group Report  
Collection Committee 2006

**The Primary Data Group of the Warren County Assessment distributed 800 surveys, of which 404 were completed, and this exceeds to goals of the committee to get 2% of the population. Based on the information gathered, the primary group identified the following TOP Ten concerns using the ranking process:**

1. Diabetes
2. High Blood Pressure
3. Drug & Alcohol Abuse (drinking & driving)
4. Cancer (smoking)
5. Obesity (nutrition)
6. Cardiovascular Disease (heart disease/stroke)
7. Unsafe Sex (STD/HIV/Aids)
8. Arthritis
9. Lack of Hospital Facilities
10. Affordable Health Care

To narrow concerns to these 10 elements, the community's opinion survey questions concerning these categories were grouped under each one accordingly. Note: Many of the questions could be considered and linked to more than one area of concern; however, for the purpose of this report, questions are listed only once. Please note attached survey for specific questions listed below.

**Diabetes** was identified in section III- Diseases and Disabilities question number 66.

**High Blood Pressure** was identified in section-III Diseases and Disabilities question number 68.

**Drug & Alcohol Abuse (drinking & driving)** was identified in section-I Community Information questions 2 & 38, as well as section-II Health & Human Services question 51.

**Cancer (smoking)** was identified in section-I Community Health question 37 and section-III Diseases and Disabilities questions 62,63,64 and 65.

**Obesity (nutrition)** was identified in section-I Community Health question 41 and section –III Diseases & Disabilities questions 78 and 79.

**Cardiovascular Disease (heart disease/stroke)** was identified in section-III Diseases & Disabilities questions 67 and 71.

**Unsafe Sex (STD/HIV/Aids)** was identified in section-I Community Information question 40 and section-III Diseases & Disabilities question 69.

**Arthritis** was identified in section-III Diseases & Disabilities question 83.

**Lack of Hospital Facilities** was identified in section-I Community Information questions 29 and 30; as well as section-II Health and Human Services question 46.

**Affordable Health Care** was identified in section-II questions 47,48,49,50 and 55; as well as section-III Diseases & Disabilities question 110.

**SERVICE PROVIDER**

**SURVEY 2006**

# Warren County Community Assessment Survey

## INSTRUCTIONS:

This survey is part of a community assessment currently in progress in Warren County to determine how healthy our community is. We want to use this information to develop community-based strategies to address physical, mental, environmental and economic concerns. The following questionnaire has been developed to assess the opinion of Warren County residents of local health assets, needs, and concerns.

Please indicate your answer by filling in one circle/box for each question indicated completely. If you have questions concerning this survey, or for additional copies, please contact Hilda H. Baskerville at the Warren County Health Dept. (252-257-6012) Please do not put any information on the survey form that would identify you. It is intended to be totally CONFIDENTIAL.

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### I. Community Information

In this section please answer questions about your community, community issues and your concerns.

#### 1. Air Pollution

- 87 a. Serious problem
- 137 b. Moderate problem
- 137 c. Not a problem
- 39 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 5**

#### 2. Alcohol/Drug Use

- 269 a. Serious problem
- 90 b. Moderate problem
- 30 c. Not a problem
- 13 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 3**

#### 3. Animal Control

- 98 a. Serious problem
- 184 b. Moderate problem
- 93 c. Not a problem
- 27 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 3**

#### 4. Lead Poisoning

- 51 a. Serious problem
- 99 b. Moderate problem
- 101 c. Not a problem
- 147 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 7**

#### 5. Child Care/Day Care (safe/available/affordable)

- 113 a. Serious problem
- 131 b. Moderate problem
- 75 c. Not a problem
- 74 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 12**

#### 6. Child Abuse

- 111 a. Serious problem
- 137 b. Moderate problem
- 77 c. Not a problem
- 78 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 2**

#### 7. Clean Water/Water Pollution

- 99 a. Serious problem
- 145 b. Moderate problem
- 110 c. Not a problem
- 46 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 5**

#### 8. Crime

- 204 a. Serious problem
- 153 b. Moderate problem
- 30 c. Not a problem
- 14 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 4**

#### 9. Domestic Violence (male or female abuse)

- 153 a. Serious problem
- 144 b. Moderate problem
- 54 c. Not a problem
- 46 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 8**

#### 10. Schooling for Children from Pre-Kindergarten through High School

- 141 a. Serious problem
- 137 b. Moderate problem
- 84 c. Not a problem
- 38 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 5**

**11. Education and Vocational Training for Adults**

- 123 a. Serious problem
- 151 b. Moderate problem
- 78 c. Not a problem
- 45 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 8****12. Job Opportunities**

- 295 a. Serious problem
- 62 b. Moderate problem
- 18 c. Not a problem
- 14 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 16****13. Safe Roads and Bridges**

- 130 a. Serious problem
- 156 b. Moderate problem
- 86 c. Not a problem
- 30 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 3****14. Affordable Housing**

- 215 a. Serious problem
- 113 b. Moderate problem
- 36 c. Not a problem
- 31 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 10****15. Safe Housing**

- 135 a. Serious problem
- 144 b. Moderate problem□
- 58 c. Not a problem
- 43 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 25****16. Available Housing**

- 198 a. Serious problem
- 125 b. Moderate problem
- 38 c. Not a problem
- 38 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 6****17. Poverty in Families with Children**

- 240 a. Serious problem
- 92 b. Moderate problem
- 27 c. Not a problem
- 40 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 6****18. Homelessness**

- 83 a. Serious problem
- 172 b. Moderate problem
- 58 c. Not a problem
- 88 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 4****19. Organized Recreation**

- 232 a. Serious problem
- 95 b. Moderate problem
- 35 c. Not a problem
- 38 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 5****20. Recreational Facilities**

- 237 a. Serious problem
- 90 b. Moderate problem
- 40 c. Not a problem
- 30 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 8****21. After School Programs**

- 162 a. Serious problem
- 125 b. Moderate problem
- 58 c. Not a problem
- 55 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 5****22. Elder Abuse**

- 73 a. Serious problem
- 120 b. Moderate problem
- 75 c. Not a problem
- 131 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 6****23. Elder Day Care (safe/available/affordable)**

- 125 a. Serious problem
- 131 b. Moderate problem
- 47 c. Not a problem
- 96 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 6****24. Exercise (regular habit)**

- 175 a. Serious problem
- 145 b. Moderate problem
- 49 c. Not a problem
- 26 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 10****25. Job-Related Accidents**

- 45 a. Serious problem
- 128 b. Moderate problem
- 95 c. Not a problem
- 137 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 0****26. Youth Gang Activity**

- 125 a. Serious problem
- 143 b. Moderate problem
- 47 c. Not a problem
- 81 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 9****27. Youth Access to and Use of Weapons**

- 216 a. Serious problem
- 95 b. Moderate problem
- 30 c. Not a problem
- 50 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 14**

**28. Weapons in School**

- 144 a. Serious problem  
139 b. Moderate problem  
48 c. Not a problem  
47 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 27****29. Health Care Available**

- 174 a. Serious problem  
148 b. Moderate problem  
56 c. Not a problem  
14 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 13****30. Health Care Affordable**

- 229 a. Serious problem  
128 b. Moderate problem  
24 c. Not a problem  
24 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 0****31. Injuries (car crashes)**

- 145 a. Serious problem  
142 b. Moderate problem  
39 c. Not a problem  
52 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 27****32. Public Transportation**

- 248 a. Serious problem  
87 b. Moderate problem  
35 c. Not a problem  
31 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 4****33. Foster Care and Adoption**

- 106 a. Serious problem  
110 b. Moderate problem  
47 c. Not a problem  
130 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 12****34. Parenting Skills**

- 192 a. Serious problem  
110 b. Moderate problem  
37 c. Not a problem  
60 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 6****35. Sexual Assault/Rape**

- 128 a. Serious problem  
116 b. Moderate problem  
41 c. Not a problem  
112 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 8****36. Suicide**

- 48 a. Serious problem  
104 b. Moderate problem  
103 c. Not a problem  
142 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 8****37. Cigarette Smoking Among People Under 18**

- 246 a. Serious problem  
92 b. Moderate problem  
27 c. Not a problem

**33 d. Don't know or not sure**  
Nr 7**38. Drinking and Driving**

- 240 a. Serious problem  
101 b. Moderate problem  
24 c. Not a problem  
28 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 12****39. Driving or Riding in a Car Without Seatbelts**

- 142 a. Serious problem  
144 b. Moderate problem  
47 c. Not a problem  
45 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 27****40. Unsafe Sex**

- 269 a. Serious problem  
63 b. Moderate problem  
23 c. Not a problem  
45 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 5****41. Eating Habits/Nutrition**

- 224 a. Serious problem  
114 b. Moderate problem  
24 c. Not a problem  
33 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 10****42. Food Safety**

- 97 a. Serious problem  
130 b. Moderate problem  
73 c. Not a problem  
99 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 6****43. Solid Waste Disposal**

- 117 a. Serious problem  
132 b. Moderate problem  
70 c. Not a problem  
81 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 5**

#### **44. Terrorism (biological, chemical, etc.)**

- 68 a. Serious problem
- 92 b. Moderate problem
- 121 c. Not a problem
- 124 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 0**

#### **45. Access to Library Services**

- 57 a. Serious problem
- 128 b. Moderate problem
- 177 c. Not a problem
- 38 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 5**

### **II. Health and Human Services**

In your opinion, do people in your community have problems finding or using these services?

#### **46. Hospital Services**

- 182 a. Serious problem
- 117 b. Moderate problem
- 79 c. Not a problem
- 21 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 6**

#### **47. Dental Care**

- 122 a. Serious problem
- 146 b. Moderate problem
- 107 c. Not a problem
- 23 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 7**

#### **48. Mental Health Care/Counseling**

- 137 a. Serious problem
- 133 b. Moderate problem
- 73 c. Not a problem
- 54 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 8**

#### **49. Emergency Medical Care**

- 149 a. Serious problem
- 136 b. Moderate problem
- 84 c. Not a problem
- 28 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 8**

#### **50. Pharmacy/Drug Stores**

- 99 a. Serious problem
- 107 b. Moderate problem
- 168 c. Not a problem
- 23 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 8**

#### **51. Drug and Alcohol Treatment**

- 181 a. Serious problem
- 100 b. Moderate problem
- 52 c. Not a problem
- 66 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 6**

#### **52. Respite Care (Relief for Caregivers)**

- 126 a. Serious problem
- 128 b. Moderate problem
- 40 c. Not a problem
- 100 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 11**

#### **53. Health (Promotion) Education Programs**

- 105 a. Serious problem
- 132 b. Moderate problem
- 91 c. Not a problem
- 60 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 17**

#### **54. Transportation to Health care**

- 143 a. Serious problem
- 150 b. Moderate problem
- 64 c. Not a problem
- 41 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 7**

#### **55. Private Health Insurance Coverage**

- 202 a. Serious problem
- 105 b. Moderate problem
- 40 c. Not a problem
- 53 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 5**

#### **56. Enrolling in Medicaid/Medicare**

- 127 a. Serious problem
- 134 b. Moderate problem
- 72 c. Not a problem
- 64 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 8**

#### **57. Food Assistance (\$ or food)**

- 130 a. Serious problem
- 130 b. Moderate problem
- 68 c. Not a problem
- 62 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 15**

#### **58. Housing Assistance (public housing or aid)**

- 175 a. Serious problem
- 113 b. Moderate problem
- 40 c. Not a problem
- 71 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 6**

**59. Utility Assistance (to pay electricity or fuel bills)**

- 145 a. Serious problem
- 143 b. Moderate problem
- 45 c. Not a problem
- 63 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 9****60. 911 Emergency Services**

- 108 a. Serious problem
- 127 b. Moderate problem
- 118 c. Not a problem
- 40 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 12****61. Long-term Care Facilities**

- 128 a. Serious problem
- 132 b. Moderate problem
- 58 c. Not a problem
- 74 d. Don't Know or not sure

**Nr 13****III. Diseases and Disabilities**

In your opinion, does your community have a problem with any of these diseases or disabilities?

**62. Breast Cancer**

- 134 a. Serious problem
- 117 b. Moderate problem
- 34 c. Not a problem
- 118 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 2****63. Lung Cancer**

- 125 a. Serious problem
- 123 b. Moderate problem
- 40 c. Not a problem
- 106 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 11****64. Prostate Cancer**

- 145 a. Serious problem
- 113 b. Moderate problem
- 23 c. Not a problem
- 117 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 7****65. Other Cancers**

- 150 a. Serious problem
- 108 b. Moderate problem
- 24 c. Not a problem
- 107 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 16****66. Diabetes**

- 229 a. Serious problem
- 83 b. Moderate problem
- 30 c. Not a problem
- 59 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 4****67. Heart Disease**

- 201 a. Serious problem
- 108 b. Moderate problem
- 22 c. Not a problem
- 69 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 5****68. High Blood Pressure**

- 266 a. Serious problem
- 87 b. Moderate problem
- 14 c. Not a problem
- 29 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 9****69. HIV/AIDS**

- 150 a. Serious problem
- 101 b. Moderate problem
- 29 c. Not a problem
- 116 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 9****70. Pneumonia/Flu**

- 85 a. Serious problem
- 153 b. Moderate problem
- 57 c. Not a problem
- 102 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 8****71. Stroke**

- 144 a. Serious problem
- 131 b. Moderate problem
- 23 c. Not a problem
- 79 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 28****72. Mental Health Problems**

- 144 a. Serious problem
- 147 b. Moderate problem
- 24 c. Not a problem
- 87 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 3****73. Dental Health Problems**

- 143 a. Serious problem
- 134 b. Moderate problem
- 18 c. Not a problem
- 83 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 27**

**74. Learning and Developmental Disabilities**

- 111 a. Serious problem
- 150 b. Moderate problem
- 34 c. Not a problem
- 96 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 14**

**75. Bulimia/Anorexia**

- 35 a. Serious problem
- 94 b. Moderate problem
- 64 c. Not a problem
- 205 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 7**

**76. Breathing problems**

- 116 a. Serious problem
- 140 b. Moderate problem
- 34 c. Not a problem
- 106 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 9**

**77. Childhood Asthma**

- 112 a. Serious problem
- 149 b. Moderate problem
- 22 c. Not a problem
- 116 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 16**

**78. Childhood Obesity**

- 225 a. Serious problem
- 109 b. Moderate problem
- 22 c. Not a problem
- 41 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 8**

**79. Adult Obesity**

- 244 a. Serious problem
- 104 b. Moderate problem
- 16 c. Not a problem
- 35 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 6**

**80. Depression**

- 157 a. Serious problem
- 137 b. Moderate problem
- 22 c. Not a problem
- 77 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 12**

**81. Diseases People Get From Animals (rabies, West Nile Virus, etc.)**

- 69 a. Serious problem
- 84 b. Moderate problem
- 100 c. Not a problem
- 141 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 11**

**82. Dementia/ Alzheimer's Disease**

- 125 a. Serious Problem
- 131 b. Moderate Problem
- 31 c. Not a problem
- 104 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 14**

**83. Arthritis**

- 200 a. Serious problem
- 99 b. Moderate problem
- 30 c. Not a problem
- 47 d. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 29**

**Individual And Family Information**

*We would like to know a little about you. These questions are of a personal nature, but are important and will be kept strictly **CONFIDENTIAL**.*

**84. Community in which you live:**

- 25 a. Drewry
- 6 b. Essex
- 25 c. Greenwood
- 11 d. Hollister
- 25 e. Lake Gaston

**85. Community in which you live:**

- 9 a. Littleton
- 25 b. Macon
- 14 c. Manson/Soul City
- 35 d. Norlina
- 9 e. Oine

**86. Community in which you live:**

- 12 a. Ridgeway
- 8 b. Vaughan
- 82 c. Warrenton
- 14 d. Wise
- 6 e. Inez

**87. Community in which you live:**

- 7 a. Baltimore
- 13 b. Shocco
- 9 c. Afton/Elberon
- 8 d. Perry Town
- 5 e. Eaton's Ferry

**88. Community in which you live:**

- 1 a. Five Points
- 22 b. Heck's Grove
- 1 c. Largro
- 7 d. Park town
- 26 e. Other \_\_\_\_\_

**89. How long have you lived in Warren County?**

- 29 a. Less than 1 year
- 51 b. 1 to 5 years
- 44 c. 6 to 10 years
- 256 d. more than 10 years

**Nr 25**

**90. How old are you?**

- 72 a. 18-29 years
- 82 b. 30-45 years
- 129 c. 46-60 years
- 79 d. 61-75 years
- 19 e. 76 or older

**Nr 24**

**91. Gender: & Racial/ethnic identification: (check all that apply):**

- 264 a. Female
- 115 b. Male
- 18 c. Asian or Pacific Islander

**92. Racial/ethnic identification: (check all that apply): cont.**

- 32 a. Hispanic/Latino
- 58 b. Native American
- 81 c. White or Caucasian
- 192 d. Black or African American
- 4 e. other\_

**93. Education:**

- 73 a. 12<sup>th</sup> grade or less, no diploma or equivalent
- 105 b. High School Graduate/GED-
- 84 c. Some college (no degree)
- 28 d. Vocational/Technical
- 98 e. College graduate/ post graduate degree

**Nr 17**

**94. Employment Status (check all that apply):**

- 78 a. Full-time student
- 38 b. Part-time student
- 91 c. Unemployed / retired
- 35 d. Employed part-time
- 146 e. Employed full-time

**Nr 17**

**95. Are you a member of a Faith Organization:**

- 232 a. Yes Specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- 122 b. No

**Nr 51**

**96. Your yearly household income:**

- 150 a. \$1,000 - \$24,999
- 109 b. \$25,000 - \$49,999
- 57 c. \$50,000 - \$74,999
- 18 d. \$75,000 - \$99,999
- 7 e. \$100,000 or higher

**Nr 64**

**97. Do you have health insurance? If you have health insurance what kind(s)?**

- 278 a. Yes
- 54 b. No (**Go to question 102**)
- 38 c. Don't know or not sure
- 17 d. Private - traditional
- 9 e. Managed Care (HMO, PPO, etc)

**Nr 9**

**98. If you have health insurance what kind(s) cont.?**

- 73 a. Medicare
- 45 b. Medicaid
- 53 c. Government (VA, Health Choice)
- 138 d Other
- 18 e. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 78**

**99. If you have health insurance, does it cover mental health services?**

- 202 a. Yes
- 67 b. No
- 84 c. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 52**

**100. If you have health insurance, does it cover substance abuse treatment services?**

- 161 a. Yes
- 80 b. No
- 109 c. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 55**

**101. If you have health insurance, does it cover prescription drugs?**

- 287 a. Yes
- 51 b. No
- 22 c. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 45**

**102. Do you have dental insurance?**

- 231 a. Yes
- 128 b. No
- 15 c. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 31**

**103. Where do you go for routine health care?**

**( Choose only one from question 103 or 104)**

- 295 a. Doctor's office
- 23 b. Hospital Emergency Room
- 27 c. Human Services
- 7 d. Planned Parenthood
- 1 e. Chiropractor

**104. Where do you go for routine health care cont.? ( Choose only one from question 103 or 104)**

- 48 a.. Urgent Care
- 46 b. Community Clinics
- 43 c. I don't seek health care
- 26 d. Other \_\_\_\_\_

**105. Where do you get most of your health-related information? (please choose one from the question 105 or 106)**

- 68 a. Friends or family
- 237 b. Doctor/nurse/pharmacist
- 48 c. Newspaper/magazine/TV
- 4 d. Health help line (telephone)
- 7 e. Human Services

**106. Where do you get most of your health-related information? (please choose one from the question 105 or 106)**

- 35 a.. Church
- 71 b. Internet ( world-wide-web)
- 41 c. Other

**107. Is everyone in your family covered by health insurance?**

- 240 a. Yes
- 106 b. NO
- 22 c. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 37**

**108. If everyone is not covered, who is covered?**

*Check all that apply*

- 58 a. Entire family not covered
- 67 b. At Least one adult
- 38 c. All adults
- 9 d. Child(ren) less than age 6

**109. If everyone is not covered, who is not covered? Cont. Check all that apply**

- 68 a. Child(ren) 6 or older
- 54 b. Other
- 17 c. Don't know or not sure

**110. Does your family sometimes go without a prescription because you cannot afford to pay for it?**

- 107 a. Yes
- 242 b. No
- 11 c. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 45**

**111. Does everyone in your household have all their necessary vaccinations?**

- 281 a. Yes
- 47 b. No
- 32 c. Don't know or not sure

**Nr 45**

**112. Are you currently caring for some one in your household?**

- 12 a. With Developmental Disabilities
- 33 b. With Physical Disabilities
- 21 c. With Mental Disabilities
- 19 d. Illness or family member over the age of 60

- 276 f. no

**Nr 44**

**A. PLEASE LIST THREE MAJOR STRENGTHS IN YOUR COMMUNITY**

48 Church  
15 School System  
23 Family & Friends  
1 Promote Education  
2 Aware of Spiritual Need  
2 Community Awareness  
24 Small, Closely-Knit Communities  
1 Historic Heritage  
2 Good Network of Highways  
3 Rural  
7 Safe  
2 Spacious  
8 Caring for others  
13 Quiet  
9 Clean  
2 Diversity  
2 Public Library  
10 People  
6 Natural Resources  
1 Quality of Life  
12 Cooperative Neighbors  
1 Respect  
2 Visitation in Community  
1 Phone Calling  
6 Senior Center  
3 Stores  
1 Transportation  
2 New to area  
1 Little  
1 Low Traffic Area  
1 Lowes  
3 Caring  
1 Believe in voting  
1 Keep home surroundings clean  
2 Clean air, water, land  
4 Community clubs working together  
4 Faith Community  
14 Friendly  
4 Drug Store  
1 No constant police protection needed  
1 Bad drinking water  
1 Health  
1 Small/ Good Communications  
11 Community watch  
2 Healthcare  
1 Social Services

**A. PLEASE LIST THREE MAJOR STRENGTHS IN YOUR COMMUNITY**

- 9 Faith
- 1 Family origin
- 1 Land for growth
- 2 Community Involvement
- 5 Togetherness
- 1 Community Center
- 1 Karts Travel
- 1 Family ties to the community
- 3 Sports
- 3 Beautiful town
- 4 Health Department
- 2 Drug Free
- 1 Gang related free
- 6 Come together on special occasions
- 2 Keep in touch with one another
- 1 Don't know any
- 1 Fresh Air
- 3 No traffic congestion
- 6 Low crime
- 1 Community Spirit
- 6 Everybody know everybody
- 2 All systems
- 1 Good people
- 1 Store
- 1 Love for the elderly
- 1 Mask of children with great talents
- 1 Children that loves
- 3 Small community
- 1 Quality childcare
- 2 Help one another
- 1 Don't let nobody fall back
- 1 No activity for kids
- 1 No school tutors that are good
- 1 Family is around
- 1 Mind own business
- 2 Look out for neighbors who are elderly
- 1 Watch each others children
- 2 Compatibility
- 1 Cops are fast
- 3 Health Department, Senior Center & Social Services
- 5 People help each other
- 3 Small town
- 1 Town could be easily influence with positive
- 1 Quiet and not exposed to much problems
- 1 Less Violence
- 2 Health Clinics

**A. PLEASE LIST THREE MAJOR STRENGTHS IN YOUR COMMUNITY**

- 2 Youth Programs
- 1 Senior Citizens Programs
- 2 Concerned citizens
- 1 Away from everybody
- 2 Volunteers
- 3 Peaceful
- 1 Private
- 2 No pollution
- 1 Drugs
- 2 Drug Dealers
- 1 Stealing
- 1 We keep things quiet
- 2 Location
- 1 More protection at schools
- 1 Catching some speeders
- 1 Prime for economic Development
- 1 Tourism appeal
- 1 Community pride
- 2 Morals
- 1 No violence
- 1 Water System
- 1 Low cost of living
- 1 Low appraised values of property
- 1 Always trying to improve
- 1 Housing for elderly
- 1 Education opportunities but pre-school in area needs improvements and needs additional schools.
- 1 Car pooling
- 3 Our EMS & Fire Department
- 1 Tribal support
- 2 Healthcare/ Healthco
- 1 Good kids
- 5 Lake Gaston
- 2 Recreation
- 1 Good Human Services
- 3 Neighborly
- 1 Agriculture
- 1 Open space
- 1 Good roads, public water
- 1 Taxes from Lake Gaston for the area
- 1 Pride
- 1 Long term residents
- 1 Low poverty
- 3 Fire & Police Protection
- 1 Climate

**A. PLEASE LIST THREE MAJOR STRENGTHS IN YOUR COMMUNITY**

- 1 Access to Interstate Roads**
- 1 Location near RTP**
- 1 Kerr Lake**
- 1 Beautiful county with great potential for economic development**
- 1 Go good doctors**
- 1 Social Security Office**
- 1 Close to excellent hospital**
- 3 Police**
- 1 Councilmen**
- 1 Youth Bible Study**
- 1 Softball teams**
- 1 Extremely Social**
- 1 Local Store**
- 1 Snow Hill Baptist Church**
- 2 Supposed Free Clinic**
- 1 Community volunteers**
- 1 Service Organizations**

**B. PLEASE LIST THREE MAJOR HEALTH PROBLEMS IN YOUR COMMUNITY.**

67 High Blood Pressure  
40 Heart Disease  
80 Diabetes  
57 Cancer  
47 Obesity  
58 Drug & Alcohol Abuse  
1 Ground Water Contamination  
7 Lack of emergency healthcare  
2 Immediate access to care  
11 Lack of hospital / Clinic facilities  
2 Stray dogs & cats not kept at home  
1 Welfare  
1 Elderly Transportation  
4 Alzheimer's disease  
5 Affordable healthcare  
14 HIV/AIDS  
1 Community unknown  
1 Rejection of help  
1 Workers not doing their job  
2 No recreation facility  
1 Waste dump facility that's open everyday  
2 Allergies  
2 Blindness  
12 Arthritis  
11 Stroke  
1 No shopping center  
1 Litter thrown from passing cars  
1 Low income causes insufficient medical care  
2 Lack of health insurance for poor & low/middle Income  
1 Thyroid  
5 Asthma  
1 Hypertension  
2 Obesity in children & adults  
3 Tobacco use  
1 Vision  
5 Mentally Challenged  
1 Drugs  
1 Family abuse  
1 Crime  
8 STD'S  
1 Lack of transportation to facilities out of county  
1 Lack of medical education

**B. PLEASE LIST THREE MAJOR HEALTH PROBLEMS IN YOUR COMMUNITY.**

- 1 Prostate cancer
- 1 Speeding- 35 miles zone
- 2 Elderly abuse
- 2 Domestic violence
- 2 No healthcare insurance
- 1 Breathing problems
- 1 Communications with others
- 3 Smoking
- 1 Nutrition
- 2 Lack of training in preventive care
- 1 Violence
- 1 Games
- 2 Lack of education
- 1 PCB contamination
- 1 Lost of confidence
- 2 Dental care
- 1 Poor health care
- 2 Jobs
- 1 No sidewalks
- 1 Depression
- 2 Poor transportation
- 2 Lack of doctors
- 2 Elderly & Child Health concerns
- 2 HTN
- 1 No leash laws
- 1 Childcare
- 1 Fast driving
- 1 Availability of mental health care
- 1 Kidney
- 1 Near toxic dump
- 1 Not easily assessable by EMS
- 1 Animals
- 1 Roads
- 1 Trees
- 1 Illegitimacy
- 5 Poverty
- 1 Cholesterol
- 1 Gangs
- 1 Dogs
- 1 Traffic
- 1 Assistance for elderly at home
- 1 Family member's assistance to care for (husband, wife, parent, child) as needed at home
- 1 Care for the elderly
- 1 Lack of recreation other than ball
- 2 Housing

**B. PLEASE LIST THREE MAJOR HEALTH PROBLEMS IN YOUR COMMUNITY.**

- 1 No place to exercise
- 1 Back pain
- 1 Proximity to hospitals
- 1 Lack of registered nurses
- 1 Breathing
- 1 Drug houses
- 1 Animals running around with diseases that have no care
- 2 Unhealthy diets
- 1 Unprotected sex
- 1 Lack of cleanliness in some homes
- 1 Lack of doctor's offices
- 1 Many without health insurance
- 1 Getting emergency help responded to promptly
- 1 No activities
- 1 Lack of opportunities for kids
- 1 Unwed parents
- 1 Stink odor in air
- 2 Ill tasting water
- 1 All emergency care response time
- 1 Air quality
- 1 Distance to adequate health care
- 1 Lack of exercise
- 1 Communicable diseases
- 2 Lack of education & employment
- 1 Lack of discipline in homes
- 1 Elderly often over medicated
- 2 Teenage pregnancy
- 1 Abuse
- 2 Neglect
- 1 Inactive
- 1 Sickle cell
- 1 Schooling
- 2 Car accidents
- 1 Housing

**C. PLEASE LIST THREE THINGS THAT YOU FEEL CAN BE DONE TO IMPROVE OR TAKE CARE OF THE PROBLEM YOU IDENTIFIED.**

- 15 More doctors
- 12 Hospital
- 23 Raising health awareness
- 1 Increase/ modify eligibility for childcare
- 1 County sponsor summer job program
- 1 County offer some type of health insurance for retirees
- 3 More public recreation facilities
- 1 More frequent P.E. in schools
- 2 Better access to rehabilitation facilities
- 1 Identify causes & cures
- 1 Pesticide control
- 1 Health Department / Healthco open 24-7
- 1 Strong advocacy group to obtain/ maintain facilities
- 12 Jobs
- 2 More support groups thru churches
- 1 Find homes for stray animals
- 2 To easy to get & not check up on
- 9 Better education
- 1 Enforcement of animal codes
- 2 Exercise / education on food values
- 1 Taxi service
- 1 Continue crackdown on drunk driving
- 1 Offer incentives to convicted drunk drivers and require them to seek treatment
- 4 Better houses
- 1 More budget for schools
- 1 Better library for more information
- 3 Health classes
- 2 More programs to help with nutrition
- 3 Free screening & charitable donations
- 4 Diet plans
- 6 Health care
- 3 Roads improvement
- 1 In home care
- 1 Waste dump open everyday
- 4 Recreation Parks (improves)
- 2 Community Center
- 1 Food choices
- 2 Eat more natural food
- 1 Be less "busy" with unimportant things
- 2 Community education
- 5 Lower cost health access to all
- 3 Access to safe recreation area (place to walk)
- 5 Medication

**C. PLEASE LIST THREE THINGS THAT YOU FEEL CAN BE DONE TO IMPROVE OR TAKE CARE OF THE PROBLEM YOU IDENTIFIED.**

- 1 Refuse salty foods
- 3 More housing
- 4 Better transportation
- 7 Funding
- 1 Highway litter should be taxed
- 1 Ditches should be cleaned out to allow free draining
- 2 More help for elderly
- 2 Affordable nutrition foods
- 5 Healthy nutrition\
- 15 Exercise
- 2 Better access to medical facilities
- 1 Health center
- 1 Games
- 1 Once in a while police should visit park by the pond
- 1 Good clean well water should be made available
- 1 More doctors & pharmacies
- 1 Playgrounds for children
- 1 Keeping the streets clean
- 2 Drug abuse program in community at clinic
- 1 Health awareness programs for hypertension / diabetes
- 2 Some recreation for children with health education
- 3 Improve recreation programs
- 2 Improve recreation facilities
- 2 Smoke free facilities (restaurants)
- 8 Transportation
- 1 Lighted areas
- 1 Red light at crossroad
- 1 Wider resources for health care transportation
- 2 More recreational resources for youth
- 2 More research
- 2 More outreach
- 1 Treatment
- 1 Recreation
- 2 Better health care
- 11 Affordable health care
- 2 Sex education
- 1 More medical facilities in the county
- 1 Help people understand the importance of regular meal
- 1 More affordable programs
- 1 Real discounts on prescriptions
- 2 More providers
- 1 Raising public awareness that will attract industry in community
- 1 Gangs
- 2 Getting involved with problems in the community
- 4 Jobs (more with better pay)

**C. PLEASE LIST THREE THINGS THAT YOU FEEL CAN BE DONE TO IMPROVE OR TAKE CARE OF THE PROBLEM YOU IDENTIFIED.**

- 9 More law enforcement
- 1 Law enforcement trained in community coverage for travel time to lake area's (unfamiliar with subdivision and location).
- 1 More law enforcement especially trained in the drug field (need to be in good physical condition and not over weight).
- 1 Be aware of your problems
- 1 Have water and soil tested
- 8 Have regular doctor visits
- 1 More meetings
- 1 Better stores
- 1 More community base activities
- 1 Forums
- 1 Stay informed of health issues
- 1 Rehabilitation and parenting services
- 2 Church involvement as / community watch program
- 12 Educate, educate, educate
- 1 More shopping centers
- 1 Have the Mayor to ask commissioners to invest money back into the community.
- 4 Have police officers setup station
- 1 Make people in the community feel good about being a part
- 3 More recreation sites and activities offered
- 2 Better quality of fresh foods (fruits and vegetables)
- 2 Health related service (workshops)
- 5 Better eating habits
- 1 Working together
- 1 Community participation
- 1 State help
- 2 Money for medication
- 3 Fitness facilities (YMCA)
- 1 AAA meetings in community
- 1 Drug awareness
- 2 Health clinics
- 1 Better healthcare facilities for mental health
- 1 Land work
- 1 More affordable taxi's
- 1 Group support
- 1 In home support
- 1 Strong police presence
- 1 Education & strong anti-drug campaign
- 1 Personal relationship with God/Faith
- 1 Learning more and getting more involved
- 1 Getting to know more about each other & listening to ideals from one another
- 1 Exercise facilities
- 2 Screenings
- 3 More after school programs

**C. PLEASE LIST THREE THINGS THAT YOU FEEL CAN BE DONE TO IMPROVE OR TAKE CARE OF THE PROBLEM YOU IDENTIFIED**

- 1 Unity of faith based organizations
- 1 Corporate sponsorship
- 1 Speed bumps
- 2 Active intervention
- 1 Support of citizen's group
- 1 Community respecting one another
- 3 Earth detection and information
- 2 Research
- 2 Incarcerate drug dealers
- 1 Stronger penalties
- 1 Warren County needs a giant bulldozer to push down this old county and build a new one
- 1 Smoking (if I knew I would have quit myself)
- 1 Keep animals on your own lawn
- 1 Cut down trees before they fall
- 1 More affordable doctor visits
- 3 Treatment centers
- 1 Restaurant education system starting at home and parent participation
- 1 Better government administration to invite growth and development including transportation and industry
- 1 Free HIV and AIDS testing
- 1 Random searches of communities for strays
- 1 Dental services for school age children
- 1 Lights on road and sidewalk
- 1 Lower rent
- 1 More condom distribution (free)
- 1 Using all grant money, not giving them back or using them, Warren County is good for that.
- 1 Take time to see the problem
- 2 Opportunity
- 4 Financial
- 2 Curves or other fitness center
- 1 Take care of your child and love more
- 1 Allow absolute reciprocity for providers from other states deemed unreasonable.
- 1 Build a hospital in the county
- 1 Offer incentives for providers and nurses
- 1 Funding for indigent people or uninsured people
- 1 Low fat diet / low sugar or none
- 1 Exercise regularly / group walks
- 1 Cheaper cost of medicine
- 1 RX
- 1 Organize
- 1 Clean up and stop the drug houses
- 1 Patient education via no cost to patient
- 1 Registered dieticians focus on youth obesity by supervising diets and fast food

YOUTH RISK BEHAVIOR SURVEY 2005

## Substance Abuse Survey Warren County High School 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> Grades for Years 2005 and 2006

The Substance Abuse Committee of Healthy Carolinians of Warren County in collaboration with Warren County High School conducted a Youth Risk Behavior Survey with 9<sup>th</sup> graders in 2005. The committee used this data to establish a baseline and will continue to administer this survey to the same students though 12<sup>th</sup> grade to be completed in 2007.

Listening groups (focus groups, key informant interviews etc.) were considered for this community assessment. However, the community assessment team agreed not to conduct listening groups or focus groups for this assessment because they have been held in the past and compare favorably with primary survey results; additional surveys were given to the 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> graders. Giving these surveys as well as the community assessment surveys, the team felt this will give a good representation of citizens of all ages, race, gender and nationality.

The survey was streamlined to reflect questions on tobacco, alcohol and marijuana use in the high school. The survey was given to a total of 226 9<sup>th</sup> graders and 202 10<sup>th</sup> graders. A summary of findings are listed below.

**Questions 1-5** are general information (age, sex, grade, nationality and view of overall health).

**Questions 28-38** are related to cigarette, chewing tobacco and dipping snuff.

**Questions 39-43** are related to drinking alcohol.

**Questions 44-47** are related to marijuana use only. Question 48 was omitted from the survey.

**See attached graphs for findings and comparison of 9<sup>th</sup> and 10 grades. ( pages 48-58 )**

# 2005 State and Local Youth Risk Behavior Survey

This survey is about health behavior. It has been developed so you can tell us what you do that may affect your health. The information you give will be used to develop better health education for young people like yourself.

DO NOT write your name on this survey. The answers you give will be kept private. No one will know what you write. Answer the questions based on what you really do.

Completing the survey is voluntary. Whether or not you answer the questions will not affect your grade in this class. If you are not comfortable answering a question, just leave it blank.

The questions that ask about your background will be used only to describe the types of students completing this survey. The information will not be used to find out your name. No names will ever be reported.

Make sure to read every question. Fill in the ovals completely. When you are finished, follow the instructions of the person giving you the survey.

*Thank you very much for your help.*

Directions

- o Use a #2 pencil only.
- o Make dark marks.
- o Fill in a response like this: (A) (B) (●) (D) .
- o To change your answer, erase completely.

1. How old are you?
  - (A) 12 years old or younger
  - (B) 13 years old
  - (C) 14 years old
  - (D) 15 years old
  - (E) 16 years old
  - (F) 17 years old
  - (G) 18 years old or older
  
2. What is your sex?
  - (A) Female
  - (B) Male
  
3. In what grade are you?
  - (A) 9th grade
  - (B) 10th grade
  - (C) 11th grade
  - (D) 12th grade
  - (E) Ungraded or other grade
  
4. How do you describe yourself? **(Select one or more responses.)**
  - (A) American Indian or Alaska Native
  - (B) Asian
  - (C) Black or African American
  - (D) Hispanic or Latino
  - (E) Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander
  - (F) White
  
5. How do you describe your health in general?
  - (A) Excellent
  - (B) Very good
  - (C) Good
  - (D) Fair
  - (E) Poor

**The next 11 questions ask about tobacco use.**

28. Have you ever tried cigarette smoking, even one or two puffs?
- A Yes
  - B No
29. How old were you when you smoked a whole cigarette for the first time?
- A I have never smoked a whole cigarette
  - B 8 years old or younger
  - C 9 or 10 years old
  - D 11 or 12 years old
  - E 13 or 14 years old
  - F 15 or 16 years old
  - G 17 years old or older
30. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you smoke cigarettes?
- A 0 days
  - B 1 or 2 days
  - C 3 to 5 days
  - D 6 to 9 days
  - E 10 to 19 days
  - F 20 to 29 days
  - G All 30 days
31. During the past 30 days, on the days you smoked, how many cigarettes did you smoke **per day**?
- A I did not smoke cigarettes during the past 30 days
  - B Less than 1 cigarette per day
  - C 1 cigarette per day
  - D 2 to 5 cigarettes per day
  - E 6 to 10 cigarettes per day
  - F 11 to 20 cigarettes per day
  - G More than 20 cigarettes per day

32. During the past 30 days, how did you **usually** get your own cigarettes? (Select only **one** response.)
- A I did not smoke cigarettes during the past 30 days
  - B I bought them in a store such as a convenience store, supermarket, discount store, or gas station
  - C I bought them from a vending machine
  - D I gave someone else money to buy them for me
  - E I borrowed (or bummed) them from someone else
  - F A person 18 years old or older gave them to me
  - G I took them from a store or family member
  - H I got them some other way
33. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you smoke cigarettes **on school property**?
- A 0 days
  - B 1 or 2 days
  - C 3 to 5 days
  - D 6 to 9 days
  - E 10 to 19 days
  - F 20 to 29 days
  - G All 30 days
34. Have you ever smoked cigarettes daily, that is, at least one cigarette every day for 30 days?
- A Yes
  - B No
35. During the past 12 months, did you ever try **to quit** smoking cigarettes?
- A I did not smoke during the past 12 months
  - B Yes
  - C No
36. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use **chewing tobacco, snuff, or dip**, such as Redman, Levi Garrett, Beechnut, Skoal, Skoal Bandits, or Copenhagen?
- A 0 days
  - B 1 or 2 days
  - C 3 to 5 days
  - D 6 to 9 days
  - E 10 to 19 days
  - F 20 to 29 days
  - G All 30 days

37. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use **chewing tobacco, snuff, or dip on school property?**
- A 0 days
  - B 1 or 2 days
  - C 3 to 5 days
  - D 6 to 9 days
  - E 10 to 19 days
  - F 20 to 29 days
  - G All 30 days
38. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you smoke **cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars?**
- A 0 days
  - B 1 or 2 days
  - C 3 to 5 days
  - D 6 to 9 days
  - E 10 to 19 days
  - F 20 to 29 days
  - G All 30 days

**The next 5 questions ask about drinking alcohol. This includes drinking beer, wine, wine coolers, and liquor such as rum, gin, vodka, or whiskey. For these questions, drinking alcohol does not include drinking a few sips of wine for religious purposes.**

39. During your life, on how many days have you had at least one drink of alcohol?
- A 0 days
  - B 1 or 2 days
  - C 3 to 9 days
  - D 10 to 19 days
  - E 20 to 39 days
  - F 40 to 99 days
  - G 100 or more days
40. How old were you when you had your first drink of alcohol other than a few sips?
- A I have never had a drink of alcohol other than a few sips
  - B 8 years old or younger
  - C 9 or 10 years old
  - D 11 or 12 years old
  - E 13 or 14 years old
  - F 15 or 16 years old
  - G 17 years old or older

41. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you have at least one drink of alcohol?
- A 0 days
  - B 1 or 2 days
  - C 3 to 5 days
  - D 6 to 9 days
  - E 10 to 19 days
  - F 20 to 29 days
  - G All 30 days
42. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you have 5 or more drinks of alcohol in a row, that is, within a couple of hours?
- A 0 days
  - B 1 day
  - C 2 days
  - D 3 to 5 days
  - E 6 to 9 days
  - F 10 to 19 days
  - G 20 or more days
43. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you have at least one drink of alcohol **on school property**?
- A 0 days
  - B 1 or 2 days
  - C 3 to 5 days
  - D 6 to 9 days
  - E 10 to 19 days
  - F 20 to 29 days
  - G All 30 days

**The next 4 questions ask about marijuana use. Marijuana also is called grass or pot.**

44. During your life, how many times have you used marijuana?
- A 0 times
  - B 1 or 2 times
  - C 3 to 9 times
  - D 10 to 19 times
  - E 20 to 39 times
  - F 40 to 99 times
  - G 100 or more times

45. How old were you when you tried marijuana for the first time?
- A I have never tried marijuana
  - B 8 years old or younger
  - C 9 or 10 years old
  - D 11 or 12 years old
  - E 13 or 14 years old
  - F 15 or 16 years old
  - G 17 years old or older
46. During the past 30 days, how many times did you use marijuana?
- A 0 times
  - B 1 or 2 times
  - C 3 to 9 times
  - D 10 to 19 times
  - E 20 to 39 times
  - F 40 or more times
47. During the past 30 days, how many times did you use marijuana **on school property**?
- A 0 times
  - B 1 or 2 times
  - C 3 to 9 times
  - D 10 to 19 times
  - E 20 to 39 times
  - F 40 or more times

**The next 9 questions ask about other drugs.**

48. During your life, how many times have you used **any** form of cocaine, including powder, crack, or freebase?
- A 0 times
  - B 1 or 2 times
  - C 3 to 9 times
  - D 10 to 19 times
  - E 20 to 39 times
  - F 40 or more times

**SUBSTANCE ABUSE SURVEY GRAPHS  
9<sup>TH</sup> AND 10<sup>TH</sup> GRADE  
2005 AND 2006**

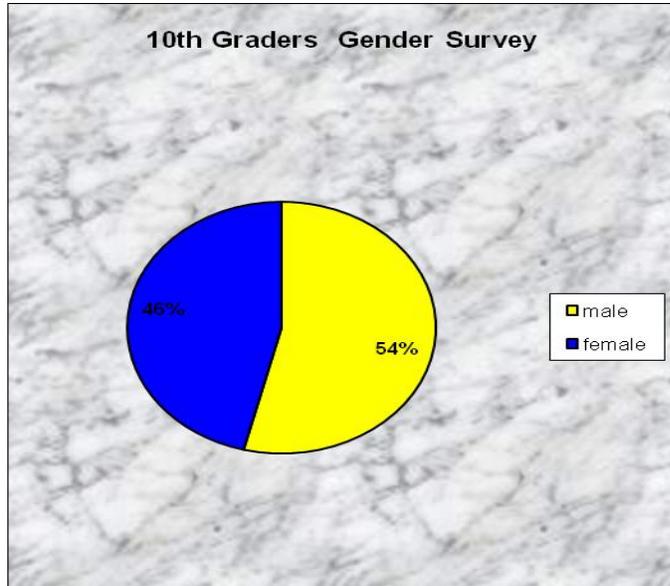
# SUBSTANCE ABUSE SURVEY 10<sup>TH</sup> GRADERS 2005-2006

Total Students from 9<sup>th</sup> grade

Male            111  
 Female        105

Total Students Surveys  
 10<sup>th</sup> graders

Male            109  
 Female        93

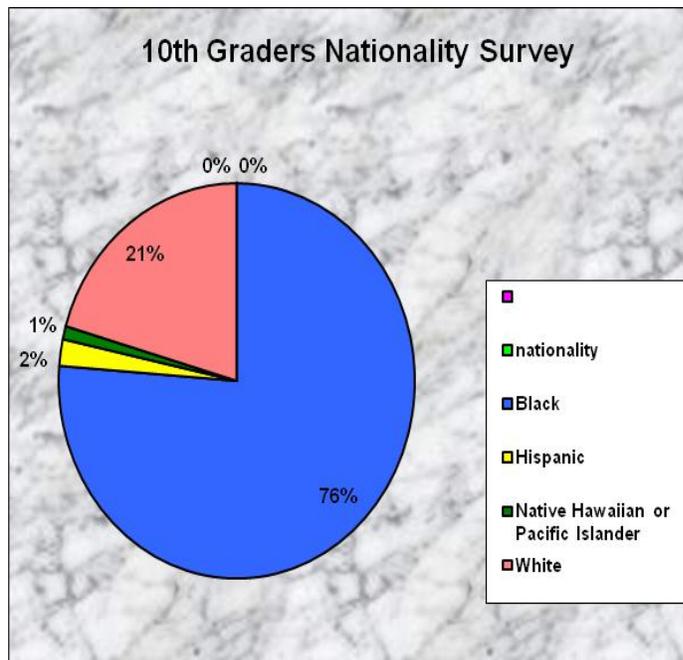


Source: Warren County High School 2005-2006

Total Students Surveyed  
 10<sup>th</sup> Graders

Nationality

Black            141  
 Hispanic        4  
 Native  
 Hawaiian or  
 Pacific Islander 2  
 White            38

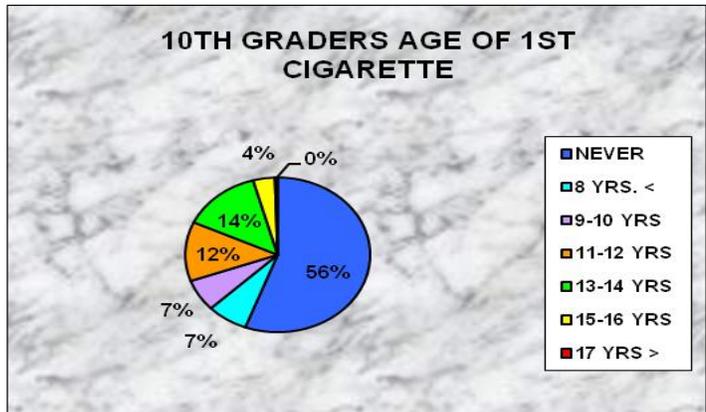


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# SUBSTANCE ABUSE SURVEY 10<sup>TH</sup> GRADERS 2005-2006

**1<sup>ST</sup> CIGARETTE 9<sup>TH</sup> GRADE 10<sup>TH</sup> GRADE**

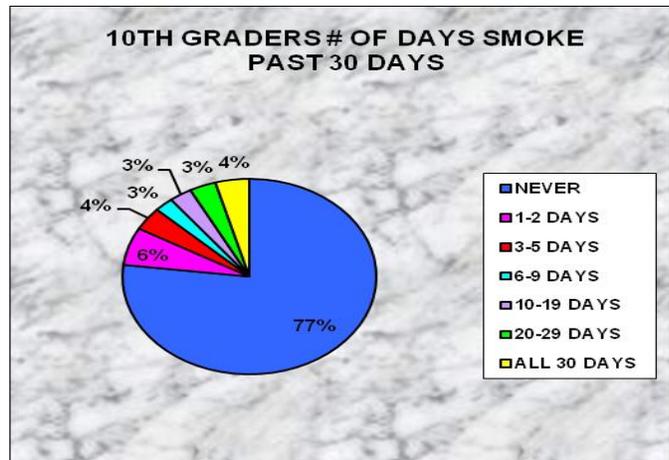
NEVER  
 8 YRS. <  
 9-10 YRS  
 11-12 YRS  
 13-14 YRS  
 15-16 YRS >



Source: Warren County High School 2005-2006

**PAST 30 DAYS 9<sup>TH</sup> GRADE 10<sup>TH</sup> GRADE**

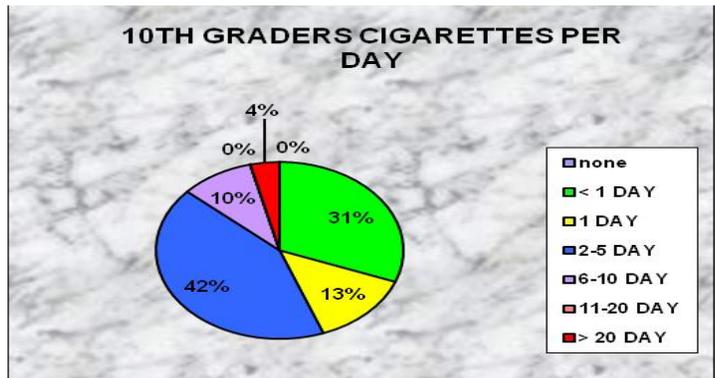
Frequency	9 <sup>TH</sup> GRADE	10 <sup>TH</sup> GRADE
NEVER	160	162
1-2 DAYS	13	11
3-5 DAYS	8	5
6-9 DAYS	5	1
10-19 DAYS	6	2
20-29 DAYS	7	4
ALL 30 DAYS	9	17



Source: Warren County High School 2005-2006

**CIGARETTE 9<sup>TH</sup> GRADE 10<sup>TH</sup> GRADE PER DAY**

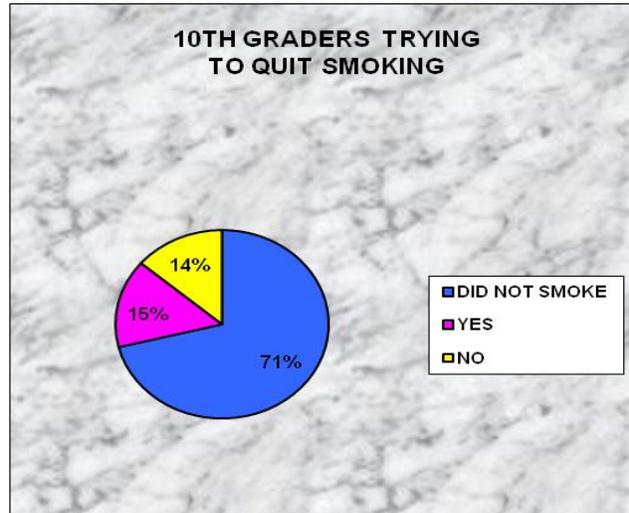
Frequency	9 <sup>TH</sup> GRADE	10 <sup>TH</sup> GRADE
NONE	160	159
<1 DAY	16	9
1 DAY	7	2
2-5 DAY	22	16
6-10 DAY	5	7
11-20 DAY	0	4
>20 DAY	2	5



Source: Warren County High School 2005-2006

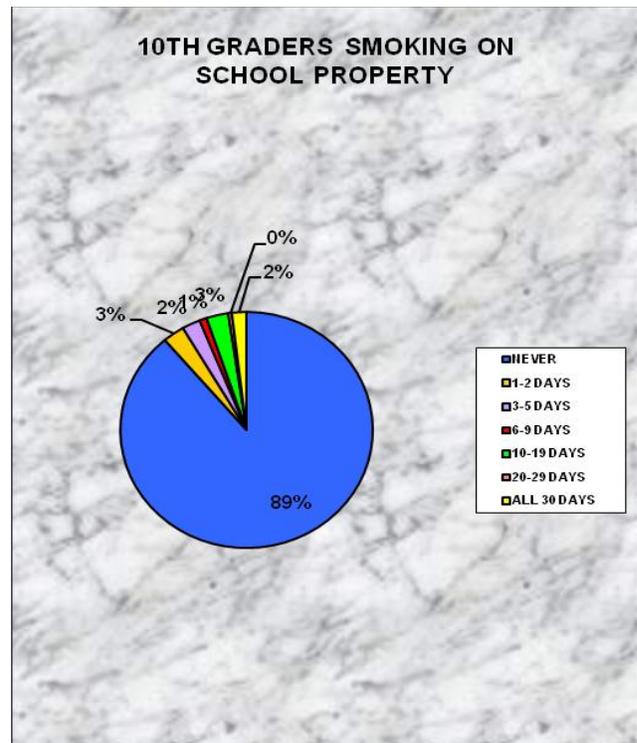
# SUBSTANCE ABUSE SURVEY 10<sup>TH</sup> GRADERS 2005-2006

QUIT SMOKING	9 <sup>TH</sup> GRADE	10 <sup>TH</sup> GRADE
DID NOT SMOKE	150	181
YES	32	28
NO	29	36



Source: Warren County High School 2005-2006

SCHOOL PROPERTY	9 <sup>TH</sup> GRADE	10 <sup>TH</sup> GRADE
NEVER	190	181
1-2 DAYS	6	4
3-5 DAYS	5	3
6-9 DAYS	2	1
10-19 DAYS	6	1
20-29 DAYS	1	3
ALL 30 DAYS	4	9



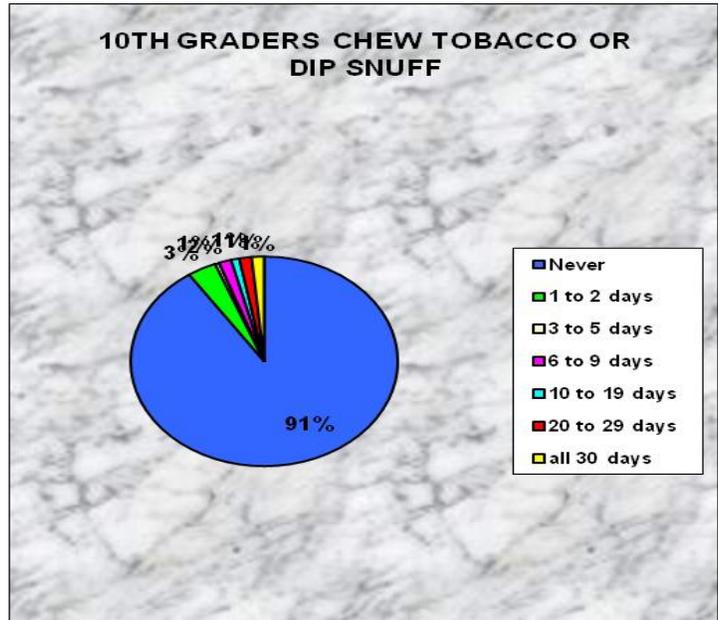
Source: Warren County High School 2005-2006

# SUBSTANCE ABUSE SURVEY 10<sup>TH</sup> GRADERS 2005-2006

Chew Tobacco  
Dip snuff

10<sup>th</sup> grade

Never	182
1 to 2 days	7
3 to 5 days	1
6 to 9 days	3
10 to 19 days	2
20 to 29 days	3
All 30 days	3

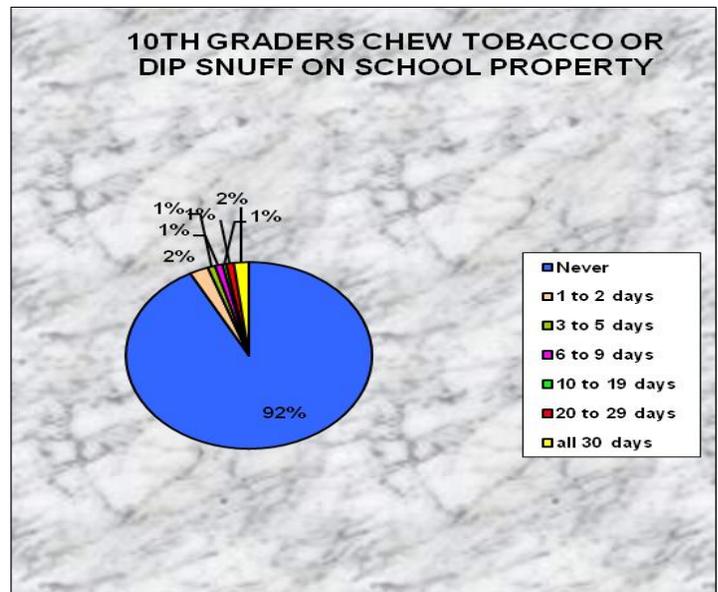


Source: Warren County High School 2005-2006

Chew Tobacco  
Dip snuff on school  
Property

10<sup>th</sup> grade

Never	187
1 to 2 days	5
3 to 5 days	2
6 to 9 days	2
10 to 19 days	1
20 to 29 days	2
All 30 days	4

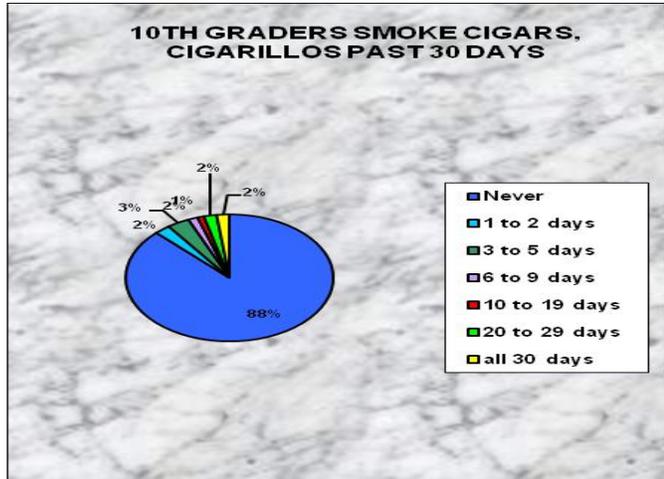


Source: Warren County High School 2005-2006

# SUBSTANCE ABUSE SURVEY 10<sup>TH</sup> GRADERS 2005-2006

Past 30 days, smoke Cigars, cigarillos 10<sup>th</sup> grade

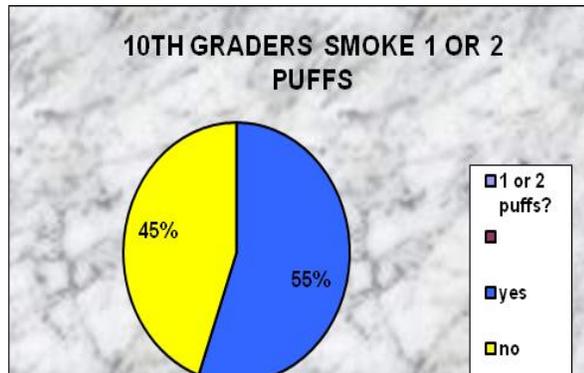
Never	176
1 to 2 days	5
3 to 5 days	7
6 to 9 days	3
10 to 19 days	2
20 to 29 days	4
All 30 days	4



Source: Warren County High School 2005-2006

How many smoke cig. 1 or 2 puffs? 10<sup>th</sup> grade

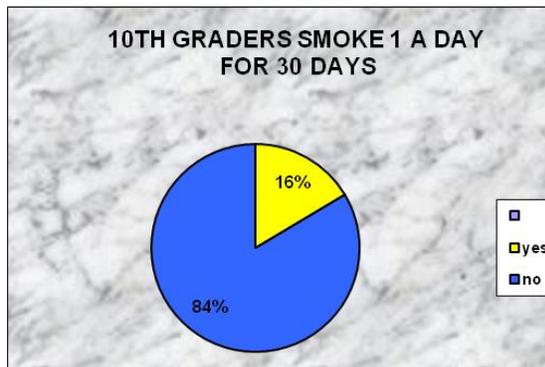
Yes	112
No	90



Source: Warren County High School 2005-2006

Smoke 1 a day for 30 Days 10<sup>th</sup> grade

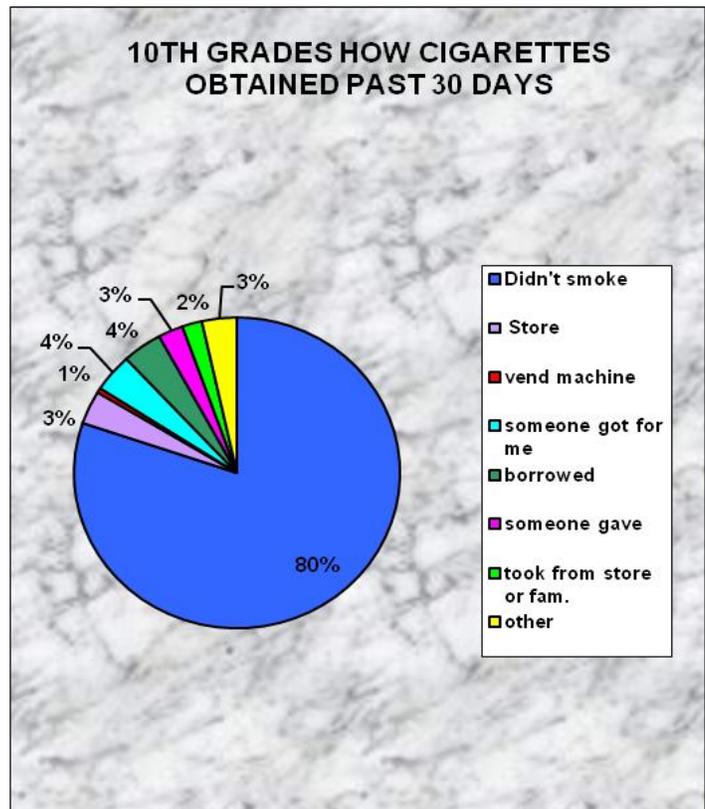
Yes	33
No	168



Source: Warren County High School 2005-2006

# SUBSTANCE ABUSE SURVEY 10<sup>TH</sup> GRADERS 2005-2006

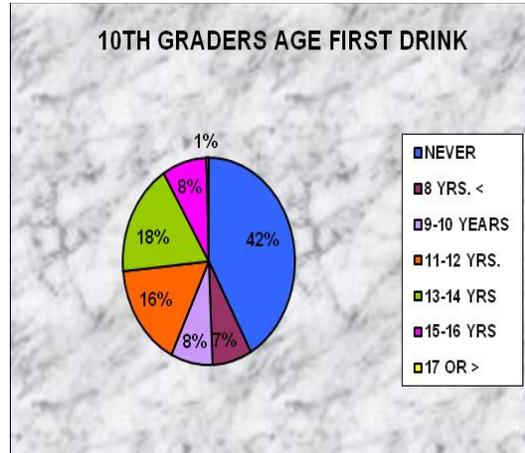
Past 30 days, how you Got cigarettes	10 <sup>th</sup> grade
Didn't smoke	162
Store	7
Vend machine	1
Someone got for me	8
Borrowed	8
Someone gave	5
Took from store or fam.	4
Other	7



Source: Warren County High School 2005-2006

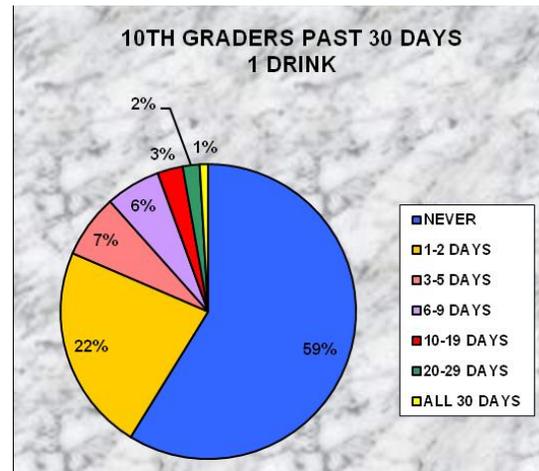
## SUBSTANCE ABUSE SURVEY 10<sup>TH</sup> GRADERS 2005-2006

AGE First Drink	9 <sup>th</sup> grade	10 <sup>th</sup> grade
Never	90	84
8 yrs <	16	24
9-10 yrs	17	10
11-12 yrs	35	24
13-14 yrs	38	39
15-16 yrs	18	22
17 or >	1	0



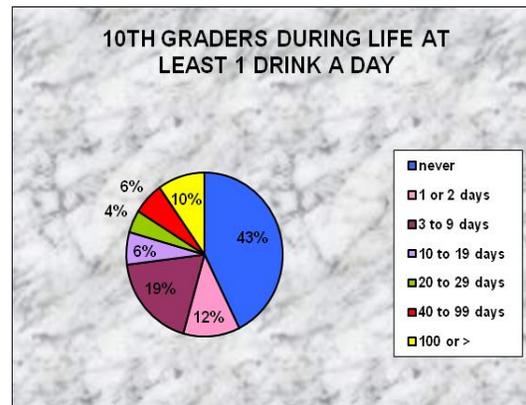
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Drink past 30 days At least 1 drink	9 <sup>th</sup> grade	10 <sup>th</sup> grade
Never	127	127
1 – 2 days	49	29
3-5 days	15	18
6-9 days	13	8
10-19 days	6	11
20-29 days	4	4
All 30 days	2	4



Source: Warren County High School 2005-2006

During your life how Many days At least 1 drink	10 <sup>th</sup> grade
Never	87
1 – 2 days	24
3-9 days	38
10-19 days	13
20-29 days	9
40-99 days	13
100 or >	20

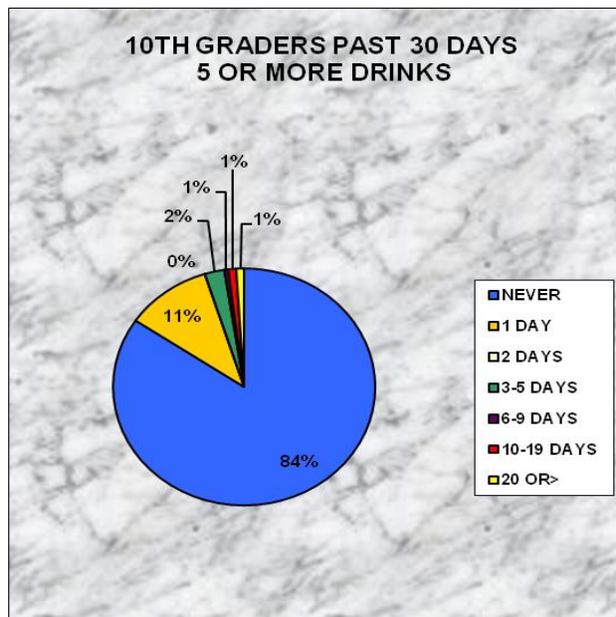


Source: Warren County High School 2005-2006

## SUBSTANCE ABUSE SURVEY GRAPH 10<sup>TH</sup> GRADERS 2005-2006

5 DRINKS OR MORE 9<sup>TH</sup> GRADE 10<sup>TH</sup> GRADE

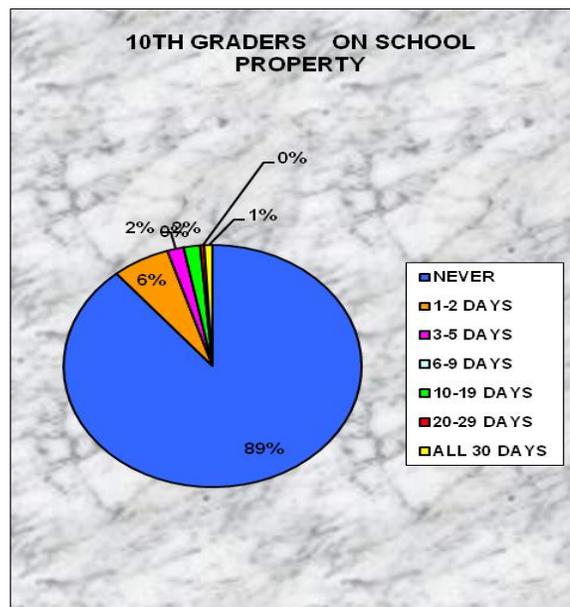
NEVER	174	156
1 DAY	22	16
2 DAYS		11
3-5 DAYS	5	5
6-9 DAYS	1	4
10-19 DAYS	2	4
20 OR >	2	5



Source: Warren County High School 2005-2006

ON SCHOOL PROPERTY 9<sup>TH</sup> GRADE 10<sup>TH</sup> GRADE

NEVER	199	176
1-2 DAYS	14	10
3-5 DAYS	4	3
6-9 DAYS	0	2
10-19 DAYS	4	4
20-29 DAYS	1	3
ALL 30 DAYS	2	2

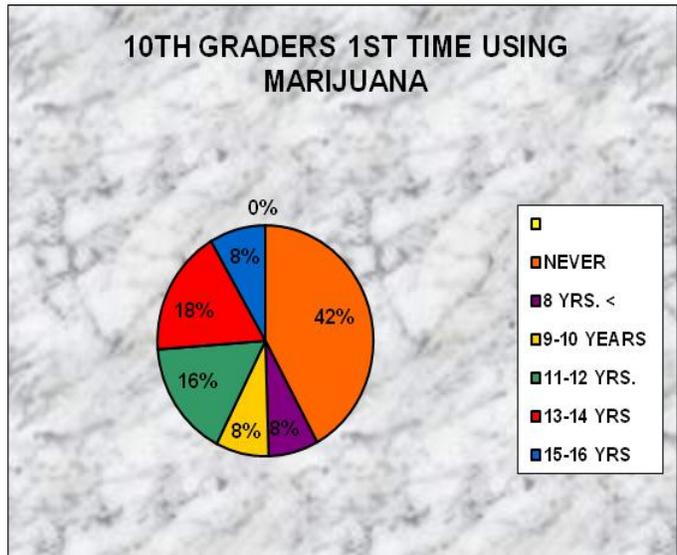


Source: Warren County High School 2005-2006

# SUBSTANCE ABUSE SURVEY GRAPH 10<sup>TH</sup> GRADERS 2005-2006

1<sup>st</sup> time tried    9<sup>th</sup> grade    10<sup>th</sup> grade

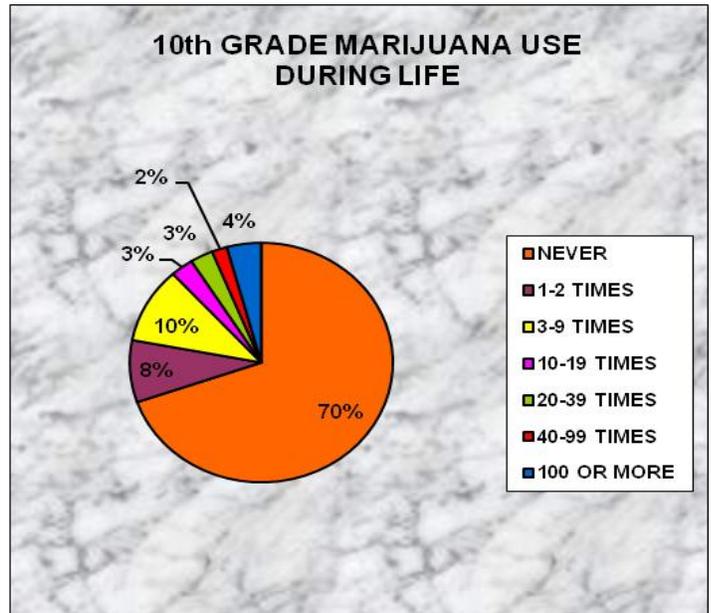
Never	147	128
8 yrs. <	6	7
9-10 yrs.	3	7
11-12 yrs	8	7
13-14 yrs	37	35
15-16 yrs	14	19
17 yrs>	1	2



Source: Warren County High School 2005-2006

Total times used    9<sup>th</sup> grade    10<sup>th</sup> grade

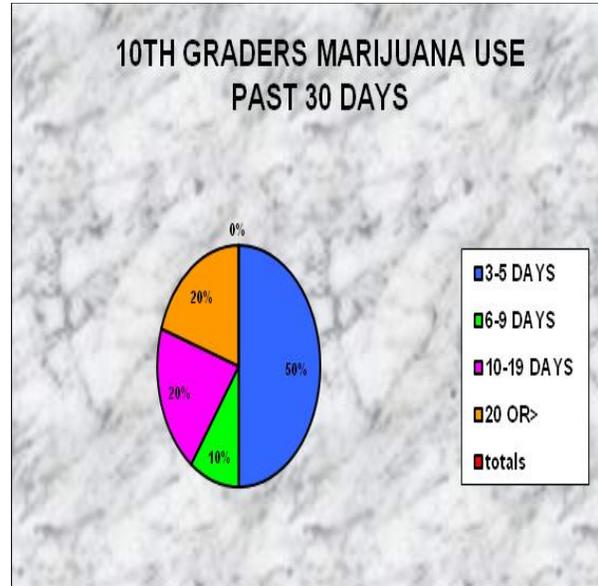
Never	149	133
1-2 times	18	18
3-9times	22	12
10-19 times	6	7
20-39 times	6	7
40-99 times	4	7
100 or more	9	21



Source: Warren County High School 2005-2006

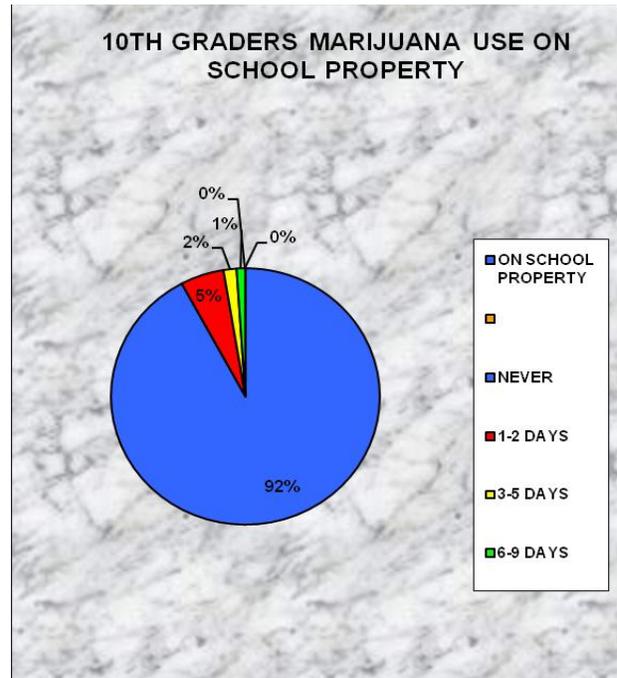
# SUBSTANCE ABUSE SURVEY GRAPH 10<sup>TH</sup> GRADERS 2005-2006

Past 30 days	9 <sup>th</sup> grade	10 <sup>th</sup> grade
Never	179	154
1-2 times	15	12
3-9 times	8	10
10-19 times	7	8
20-39 times	2	6
40 or>	5	14



Source: Warren County High School 2005-2006

School Property	9 <sup>th</sup> grade	10 <sup>th</sup> grade
Never	208	185
1-2 times	5	6
3-9 times	1	1
10-19 times	0	1
20-39 times	0	1
40 or>	1	6



Source: Warren County High School 2005-2006

## PRIORITIES

**OVERALL  
PRIORITY AREAS OF CONCERN FOR WARREN COUNTY  
SELECTED BY THE COMMUNITY ASSESSMENT TEAM  
2006**

The following issues are not listed in any priority order. These five concerns represent a consensus of the primary data and secondary data teams as well as the Warren County Board of Health bases on available data and careful consideration using the ranking process. Listening groups (focus groups, key informant interviews etc.) were considered for this community assessment. However, the community assessment team agreed not to conduct listening groups for this assessment because they have been held in the past and compare favorably with survey results; additional surveys were given to the 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> graders. The Youth Risk Behavior survey was streamlined to reflect questions on tobacco, alcohol and marijuana use in the high school. Giving these surveys as well as the community assessment surveys, the team felt this will give a good representation of citizens of all ages, race, gender and nationality.

1. **HEALTH PROMOTIONS** (OBESITY, RESPONSIBLE SEXUAL BEHAVIOR SUBSTANCE ABUSE AND TOBACCO).
2. **CHRONIC DISEASE** (Diabetes, Heart Disease, Stroke, and Cancer)
3. **INJURY PREVENTION** (Domestic Violence, Fires, and Motor Vehicle)
4. **ACCESS TO CARE** (Lack of Hospital Facilities and Affordable Healthcare)
5. **INFECTIOUS DISEASE** (STD, HIV/AIDS)

**COMMUNITY HEALTH  
ACTION PLANS**

## **WARREN COUNTY'S 2006 ACTION PLANS**

The action plans were developed as a result of the priorities assessed by the team. The team determined the primary needs of Warren County can be best met through interagency networking and coordination of this process through the continued efforts of Healthy Carolinians of Warren County.

Since the last assessment in 2002, the priorities show similarities in the health concerns of the citizens done through the survey, so therefore, the team decided to continue with current action plans.

- **HEALTH PROMOTIONS:**
  - FAN (FITNESS & NUTRITION)
  - Substance Abuse & Tobacco
  
- **INJURY PREVENTION**
  - Domestic Violence & Motor Vehicle



# Healthy Carolinians Action Plan

County Warren Partnership Healthy Carolinians of Warren County Period Covered 2003-2007

## LOCAL PRIORITY ISSUE

- **Priority issue:** Physical Inactivity and Nutrition
- **Was this issue described in your county's most recent Community Health Assessment?**  Yes  No
- List other sources of information about this priority issue:

## LOCAL COMMUNITY OBJECTIVE - Please check one: New Ongoing from last re/certification

- By: 2007
- Objective: To increase the proportion of public school 6<sup>th</sup> grade students by 10% who report participating in moderate physical activity at least 30 minutes on 5 or more of the previous 7 days.
- Original Baseline: Baseline was established during the 2004-2005 school year
- Date and source of original baseline data: 2002 Community Health Assessment
- Updated information (For continuing objective only): Next survey June 2006
- Date and source of updated information: YRBS

## LOCAL COMMUNITY OBJECTIVE - Please check one: New Ongoing from last re/certification

- By: 2007
- Objective: To increase the proportion of seniors (age 50 or older) by 5% who engages in physical activity for at least 30 minutes on 5 or more days a week.
- Original Baseline: Will be determined through 2006-2007 by seniors self-reporting
- Date and source of original baseline data: 2002 Community Health Assessment
- Updated information (For continuing objective only): N/A
- Date and source of updated information: N/A

## LOCAL COMMUNITY OBJECTIVE - Please check one: New Ongoing from last re/certification

- By: 2007
- Objective: To increase the percent of middle school students by 10% who report eating fruits and vegetables
- Original Baseline: Baseline will be established during the 2005-2006 school year
- Date and source of original baseline data: 2002 Community Health Assessment
- Updated information (For continuing objective only): N/A
- Date and source of updated information: N/A

## POPULATION(S)

- **Local population(s) experiencing disparities in relation to this local objective:** **Middle school students (6<sup>th</sup> graders) and Senior adults**
- **Describe the local population(s) that will benefit:** **Middle school students (6<sup>th</sup> graders) and Senior adults (50 and older)**
- **Total number in population:** **246 (6<sup>th</sup> graders) 2000 (Senior adults)**
- Number you plan to reach: 246 (6<sup>th</sup> graders) 100 (Senior adults)

## NC 2010 FOCUS AREA AND NC 2010 HEALTH OBJECTIVE ADDRESSED

Check one NC 2010 focus area:

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Access to Health Care       | <input type="checkbox"/> Infant Mortality    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chronic Disease             | <input type="checkbox"/> Infectious Diseases |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Community Health            | <input type="checkbox"/> Injury              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Disability                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Mental Health       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Health        | <input type="checkbox"/> Older Adult Health  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health Promotion | <input type="checkbox"/> Oral Health         |

:  Other - Please Describe:

- NC 2010 Health Objective: Increase the proportion of middle and high school students who report participating in moderate physical activity at least 30 minutes on 5 or more of the previous 7 days.
- NC 2010 Health Objective: Increase the proportion of adults (18 years and older) who engage in physical activity for at least 30 minutes on 5 or more days of the week.
- NC 2010 Health Objective: Increase the percent of middle school and high school students who eat any fruit or fruit juice on a given day.
- NC 2010 Health Objective: Increase the percent of middle school and high school students who eat any vegetables on a given day.

<b>INTERVENTIONS, SETTING, &amp; TIMEFRAME</b>	<b>COMMUNITY PARTNERS Roles and Responsibilities</b>	<b>EVALUATION PLAN &amp; PROGRESS TO DATE</b>
<p><b>1. In order to secure the active involvement of the priority population(s), our Partnership will:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Establish a plan with school nurses developing tools and methodologies to establish a baseline of physical activity by 08/04</b></li> <li>• <b>Establish Winner Circle program in middle school by 08/06</b></li> <li>• <b>Establish a baseline for nutrition by 06/06</b></li> </ul>	<p>Warren County Health Department Parks and Recreation Department Warren County Schools will develop forms and share program reports through various mediums.</p> <p>Warren County Health Department Warren County Schools NC Cooperative Extension will develop forms and share program reports through various mediums.</p>	<p>Progress to Date: 03/05, developed tools to establish a baseline of activity of footsteps 09/05, established Winner Circle program in middle school 01/06, developed Nutrition survey to serve as original baseline 05/06, Nutrition and Physical Activity survey was administered to 7<sup>th</sup> graders</p> <p>Winner Circle established</p>
<p><b>2. Marketing/Communication activities related to this community objective:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Walking Trail Brochure</li> <li>• Warren Walkers Billboard (3)</li> <li>• FAN Brochure</li> <li>• FAN presentation to community and civic organizations</li> <li>• Printed materials for Healthy Carolinians Day events and other community events</li> </ul>	<p>Lead agency: FAN committee</p> <p>Other agencies: Parks and Recreation, Kerr Tar Council of Government, Warren County Schools, NC Cooperative Extension, Warren County Health Department will assist FAN committee with marketing/communication activities</p>	<p>Progress to Date: 11/03, developed Warren Walkers brochure 11/03, billboard developed and put up in 3 local municipalities 04/05, provided printed materials at WCHD Health Fair 03/06, FAN brochure published 02/06, presented FAN initiatives to area agencies 04/06, provided FAN brochures at WCHD Health Fair 05/06, provided FAN brochures at County Government Day 05/06, provided FAN brochures, printed materials on physical activity, and incentive items for Healthy Carolinians Day Intervention completed 07/06, provided FAN brochures and Walking Trail brochure at Stand For Children's Day</p>
<p>3. Intervention: Measure and Mark Walking Trails in local municipalities and design/publish brochures promoting walking trail and physical activity. Setting: 3 local municipalities Start Date - End Date (mm/yy): 07/03-12/03 . Intervention: 6<sup>th</sup> graders will self-report at 2 month intervals their level of activity to school nurse Setting: Warren County Schools Start Date - End Date (mm/yy): 09/04- 11/07</p>	<p>Lead agency: Warren County Health Department (Health Promotion program) will measure walking trails</p> <p>Other agencies: FAN committee will assist WCHD in measuring trail and publishing brochures</p> <p>Lead agency: FAN committee</p> <p>Other agencies: Warren County Schools will receive reports and give to FAN chair</p>	<p>This intervention is: _ New_ Ongoing <u>x</u> Completed Process: measured potential sites for trail in 3 local municipalities Output/ Impact: walking trails were available for Warren County residents and brochure published Health/ Safety Outcomes: positive attitude about walking trails and citizens had places to walk Progress to Date: 09/03, committee measured and marked walking trails in 3 local municipalities 11/03, signage and brochures were published promoting the walking trails and physical activity</p>

		12/03, intervention was completed This is _ New <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ongoing _ Completed Process: collaborate with school administrators at WCMS to develop tool for tracking the physical activity of the 6 <sup>th</sup> graders at WCMS
		Output/ Impact: changed behavior Health/ Safety Outcomes: positive attitude about physical activity and to try to do at least 30 minutes of physical activity daily  Progress to Date: FAN committee members have not decided the methodology tool and it was postponed for nutrition interventions.
5. Intervention: Meet with school officials, measure possible walking trails for 6 <sup>th</sup> grade students and provide incentives for physical activity Setting: Warren County Schools Start Date - End Date (mm/yy): 07/03-11/05	Lead agency: Warren County Health Department (Health Promotion program) will establish and mark safe walking trails Other agencies: Warren County Schools will establish safe walking trails	This is _ New_ Ongoing <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Completed Process: met with principals and marked trails at potential sites Output/ Impact: walking trails will be available to 6 <sup>th</sup> grade students Health/ Safety Outcomes: N/A Progress to Date: 11/03, School Board and administration approved plans for walking trails 08/04, committee marked trail at Northside Elementary School 10/04, committee marked trail at South Warren Elementary School 03/05, committee marked trail at Vaughn Elementary School 05/05, committee marked trail at Warren County Middle School 05/05, intervention was completed
6. Intervention: Continue to seek avenues of promoting physical activity among the young population through media and printed materials by collaborating with other service related organizations Setting: Warren County Start Date - End Date (mm/yy): 07/03-11/07	Lead agency: Warren County Health Department will gather information on all programs available, publicize and promote all activity programs Other agencies: FAN committee will publicize and promote all activity programs	This is _ New <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ongoing _ Completed Process: collaborate with local agencies to publish and distribute physical activity materials for the youth of Warren County Output/ Impact: products developed Health/ Safety Outcomes: positive change in physical activity and become aware of physical activity issues in the county Progress to Date: FAN committee plans to put articles or events of physical activity in the newspaper, school calendars and other local businesses in the county
7. Intervention: Senior adults at the Senior Center will self-report weekly exercise totals at 4 month intervals to the Activities Coordinator. Setting: Warren County Senior Center Start Date - End Date (mm/yy): 07-05-11/07	Lead agency: Warren County Senior Center will make sure data is collected Other agencies: FAN committee will assist in analyzing data	This is _ New <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ongoing _ Completed Process: collaborate with Activities Coordinator to develop tool for tracking the physical activity of the seniors at Senior Center Output/ Impact: changed behavior Health/ Safety Outcomes: positive changes in physical activity and increase physical activity Progress to Date: The intervention was delayed because of the proposal of the nutrition interventions had to be done.

<p>8. Intervention: 6<sup>th</sup> grade students will self-report weekly nutrition habits at 2 month intervals to the school nurse. Setting: Warren County Schools Start Date - End Date (mm/yy):</p>	<p>Lead agency: Warren County Schools will make sure data is collected Other agencies: FAN committee will analyzing data</p>	<p>This is <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New <input type="checkbox"/> Ongoing <input type="checkbox"/> Completed Process: collaborate with school administrators at WCMS to develop tool for tracking nutritional eating habits of the 6<sup>th</sup> graders at WCMS Output/ Impact: N/A Health/ Safety Outcomes: positive changes in eating habits and nutrition status Progress to Date: FAN committee is awaiting the results of the baseline survey.</p>
<p>9. Intervention: Continue to seek avenues of promoting nutrition among the youth population through media and printed materials by collaborating with other service related organizations Setting: Warren County Start Date - End Date (mm/yy): 07/03-11/07</p>	<p>Lead agency: Warren County Health Department will gather information on all programs available, publicize and promote all activity programs Other agencies: FAN committee will publicize and promote all activity programs</p>	<p>This is <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New <input type="checkbox"/> Ongoing <input type="checkbox"/> Completed Process: collaborate with local agencies to publish and distribute nutrition materials for the youth of Warren County Output/ Impact: products developed Health/ Safety Outcomes: positive change in nutrition status and become aware of nutrition issues in the county Progress to Date: FAN committee plans to put articles or events of nutrition in the newspaper, school calendars and other local businesses in the county</p>
<p>10. Intervention: Physical Activity Survey administered to 6<sup>th</sup> grade students. Setting: Warren County Schools Start Date - End Date (mm/yy): 09/04-11/07</p>	<p>Lead agency: Warren County Middle School will administer surveys to students Other agencies: FAN committee will tally results of the surveys</p>	<p>This is <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New <input type="checkbox"/> Ongoing <input type="checkbox"/> Completed Process: Physical Activity survey was administered in May 2005. Output/ Impact: 126 surveys were administered to 6<sup>th</sup> graders at Warren County Middle School Health/ Safety Outcomes: To establish a baseline of physical activity among the 6<sup>th</sup> grade students Progress to Date: Established a baseline.</p>
<p>11. Intervention: Physical Activity Survey administered to 7<sup>th</sup> grade students. Setting: Warren County Schools Start Date - End Date (mm/yy): 05/06</p>	<p>Lead agency: Warren County Middle School will administer surveys to students Other agencies: FAN committee will tally results of the surveys</p>	<p>This is <input type="checkbox"/> New <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ongoing <input type="checkbox"/> Completed Process: Physical Activity survey was administered in May 2006 Output/ Impact: 169 surveys were administered to 7<sup>th</sup> grade students at Warren County Middle School Health/ Safety Outcomes: Established comparison data from original baseline Progress to Date: Results are being tallied.</p>
<p>12. Intervention: Nutrition Survey administered to 7<sup>th</sup> grade students. Setting: Warren County Schools Start Date - End Date (mm/yy): 05/06</p>	<p>Lead agency: Warren County Middle School will administer surveys to students Other agencies: FAN committee will tally results of the surveys</p>	<p>This is <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New <input type="checkbox"/> Ongoing <input type="checkbox"/> Completed Process: Nutrition survey was administered in May 2006 Output/ Impact: 169 surveys were administered to 7<sup>th</sup> graders at Warren County Middle School Health/ Safety Outcomes: To establish a baseline of nutrition among the 7<sup>th</sup> grade students Progress to Date: Results are being tallied to determine a baseline.</p>
<p>13. Intervention: Setting: Warren County Schools Start Date - End Date (mm/yy):</p>	<p>Lead agency: Other agencies:</p>	<p>This is <input type="checkbox"/> New <input type="checkbox"/> Ongoing <input type="checkbox"/> Completed Process: Output/ Impact: Health/ Safety Outcomes: Progress to Date:</p>



# Healthy Carolinians Action Plan

County Warren Partnership Health Carolinians of Warren County Period Covered 2003-2007

## LOCAL PRIORITY ISSUE

- **Priority issue:** Injury and Violence Prevention (Domestic Violence). The County Coalition Against Domestic Violence (Helping Hands) is in its initial stages and needs community support.
- Was this issue described in your county's most recent Community Health Assessment? X Yes    No
- List other sources of information about this priority issue:
- **Warren County Sheriff's Office – Community Report 2001 (374 Domestic Disturbance calls)**
- **Focus Group conducted in 2000 (Ranked in top Health concerns in county)**
- **Helping Hands Board of Directors is a HCWC**
- Partner and supplies input regularly

LOCAL COMMUNITY OBJECTIVE - Please check one:    New X Ongoing from last re/certification

- By: 2007
- Objective: The number of victims of intimate partner violence seeking and receiving services will increase from 23 to 50.
- Original Baseline: 374 incidents
- Date and source of original baseline data: Warren County Sheriff's Dept. –2001 Domestic call report (374 Incidents)
- Updated information (For continuing objective only):
- Date and source of updated information: n/a

## POPULATION(S)

- **Local population(s) experiencing disparities in relation to this local objective: Women- age 14-40**
- **Describe the local population(s) that will benefit:**
  - **Women seeking services from county service organizations such as: Helping Hands, Health Dept., Warren Family Institute; Department of Social Services; Warren County Health Dept., Warren County High school**
- **Total number in population: 2,916**
- Number you plan to reach: 400

## NC 2010 FOCUS AREA AND NC 2010 HEALTH OBJECTIVE ADDRESSED

- Check one NC 2010 focus area:

- |  |                               |
|--|-------------------------------|
| <u>  </u> Access to Health Care          | <u>  </u> Infant Mortality    |
| <u>  </u> Chronic Disease                | <u>  </u> Infectious Diseases |
| <u>  </u> Community Health               | <u>X</u> Injury               |
| <u>  </u> Disability                     | <u>  </u> Mental Health       |
| <u>  </u> Environmental Health           | <u>  </u> Older Adult Health  |
| <u>  </u> Health Promotion               | <u>  </u> Oral Health         |
| <u>  </u> Other - Please Describe: _____ |                               |

- NC 2010 Health Objective:
  - Reduce the rate of physical abuse by current or former intimate partners.
  - Increase the number of victims of intimate partner violence seeking and receiving services.

INTERVENTIONS, SETTING, & TIMEFRAME	COMMUNITY PARTNERS Roles and Responsibilities	EVALUATION PLAN & PROGRESS TO DATE
<p><b>1. In order to secure the active involvement of the priority population(s), our Partnership will:</b></p> <p><b>The partnership will recruit volunteers and community support to assist and become a partner with (Helping Hands) in its initial stages.</b></p>	<p>Healthy Carolinians Partnership will take the lead in this collaboration. Helping Hands will support and give updates of number of victims they assist through their program. Warren County's Sheriff Communication Report tracks the number of domestic violence call annually. Department of Social Services, Youth Services Bureau, EMS, Warren Family Institute, Warrenton Women's Club, Warren County Schools, Warren County Health Department, Head start, Haliwa-Saponi Tribe, AARP and private citizens will also partner with the Injury Prevention Committee/</p>	<p>Progress to Date:</p> <p><b>Warren County Sheriff's Office – Community Communications Report: the number of domestic violence calls are as follows:</b></p> <p><b>Report 2001 374 calls</b>  Report 2002 333 calls  Report 2003 328 calls  Report 2004 511 calls  Report 2005 408 calls</p>
<p><b>2. Marketing/Communication activities related to this community objective:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Media coverage in local newspaper,</b></li> <li>• <b>PSA on local radio station.</b></li> <li>• <b>Books on domestic violence placed in public library for different ethnic groups.</b></li> <li>• <b>Brochures designed to be distributed.</b></li> <li>• <b>Crisis Lines volunteers trained</b></li> <li>• <b>Domestic Violence Month,</b></li> <li>• <b>Health fairs/ Healthy Carolinians Day to provide education and awareness material.</b></li> </ul>	<p>Lead agency: HC Partnership will be the lead agency with all communication and marketing activities.</p> <p>Other agencies:  Helping Hands is the lead agency for Domestic Violence Month, Private Citizens, Warrenton Women's Club, Librarian to keep record of all books checked out, Social Services, Warren Family Institute, and Youth Service Bureau Agencies will assist financially with information for marketing and communications.</p>	<p>Progress to Date:</p> <p>Articles run in local papers (6/2003) and Women's Club magazine (Fall 2003)  PSA ran 12 times on WARR during December, 2003.</p> <p>Two Helping Hands representatives were interviewed on April 2, 2005 with WARR radio station During the interview they will solicit volunteers for agency. On April 2, 2005 two representatives from Helpings will do a short representation on WARR radio station about domestic abuse.</p>
<p>3. Intervention: Communication Programs of providing easy to read books and bookmarks to educate the public on the awareness of Domestic Violence.</p> <p>Setting: Media Communication  Start Date - End Date (mm/yy):  6/2003-6/2004</p>	<p>Lead agency: Partnership will be the lead agency for this project.</p> <p>Other agencies:  Warrenton Women's Club will donate books and bookmarks.  Warrenton Library, Social Services Warren Family Institute, Youth Services Bureau and Helping Hands agencies will assist with getting the word out.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">68</p>	<p>This intervention is:  <u> X </u> New <u> </u> Ongoing <u> </u> Completed  Process: ) Warrenton Woman's Club (fund and donate books and bookmarks to the Warren County Memorial Library; Head county librarian (assist with the selection of appropriate reading level books for the target population);  Output/ Impact: 5 books donated on June 12, 2003. 300 bookmarks were distributed to citizens in December 2003.  Health/ Safety Outcomes: Books were checked out 33 times as of May 7, 2004.</p> <p>Progress to Date: Provide east-to-read books dealing with domestic abuse and intimate relationship to county residents. Publicize the books and bookmark as a means of communication to the public.</p>
<p>4. Intervention: Healthy Carolinians Day/ Warren County Health Fair  Setting: Courthouse Square/ Health Department  Start Date - End Date (mm/yy):</p>	<p>Lead agency: Healthy Carolinians &amp; Warren County Health Department is lead agencies for the health fairs.</p> <p>Other agencies:  Helping Hands, Department of Social</p>	<p>This is <u> </u> New <u> X </u> Ongoing <u> </u> Completed  Process: Various agencies come together to promote public health awareness.  Output/ Impact: 300 to 400 participants each events.</p>

<p>11-01-03 and 4/06/04 04/05/2005 05-06-06 and 4/04/06</p>	<p>Services, Warren Family Institute and various agencies set up information booths at health fairs and healthy Carolinians' day.</p>	<p>Health/ Safety Outcomes: To continue to provide health related information to the citizens of Warren County to raise awareness on healthy living. Progress to Date: These events are annual, with activities and healthy foods provided on all occasions.</p>
<p>5. Intervention: Domestic Violence Month Setting: Various places in county. Start Date - End Date (mm/yy): Annually in the month of October since 2003.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Breakfast featuring a keynote speaker, a victim of Domestic Violence.</li> <li>• Banquet / Dinner Theatre with keynote speakers and gospel comedy act.</li> </ul>	<p>Lead agency: Helping Hands is the lead agency in these events, of raising awareness of domestic violence. Other agencies: Healthy Carolinians of WC, Warren County Health Department, Warren Family Institute, Vance Warren Comprehensive Plan, Warren County Schools, Citizens, Civic Organizations and governmental officials all participate with the efforts and events sponsored by Helping Hands by giving financial donations and attending the various events.</p>	<p>This is <u>X</u> New <u>X</u> Ongoing _ Completed Process: Sponsor different events to raise funds to provide services to citizens needing assistance with domestic violence. Output/ Impact: In its initial startup, Helping Hands served 23 clients in 2003. Since then the number of clients for 2004-2005 is 75. Health/ Safety Outcomes: To increase the awareness of domestic violence among intimate partners and offer assistance to the victims. Progress to Date: The number of clients served in 2003 was 23. The goal was to increase that number to 50, however 75 clients have received services since that time indicating an increase of 31% of clients seeking services from Helping Hands.</p>
<p>6. Intervention: Crisis Line Volunteers to be recruited to man the crisis lines 24 hours a day. These volunteers are recruited through annual events, media and PSA'S,  Setting: Helping Hands Start Date - End Date (mm/yy):  Nov. 18 2005, March 18 &amp; 25, 2006</p>	<p>Lead agency: Helping Hands is the lead agency in this project of providing volunteer training to man the crisis lines. Other agencies:  Citizens, and various civic organizations volunteer for the training.</p>	<p>This is <u>X</u> New_ Ongoing _ Completed Process: To train volunteers to man the crisis line 24 hours daily to assist any incoming call of victims needing assistance.  Output/ Impact: Providing 24 hours crisis lines gives the victims hope as well as the services that are available to assist them. Health/ Safety Outcomes: A 31% increase in the number of victims served is making a difference in the lives of the victims. This gives them assistance anytime day or night. Progress to Date: This process is ongoing, however to date 10 volunteers have been trained to man the crisis lines.</p>
<p>7. Intervention New Brochures were designed for the Injury Prevention Committee.  Setting: Partnership Start Date - End Date (mm/yy): Jan 2006- March 2006</p>	<p>Lead agency: Healthy Carolinians Partnership will take the lead in designing the brochure. Other agencies: Injury Prevention Committee will provide assistance and statistics for the brochure.</p>	<p>This is <u>X</u> New_ Ongoing __ Completed Process: Designed new brochures to be distributed to citizens. Output/ Impact: Designed 1,500 new brochures for the Injury Prevention Committee. Health/ Safety Outcomes: To educate and raise awareness on domestic violence among intimate partners.  Progress to Date: The brochures are available and were passed out at Health Fair and Healthy Carolinians' Day. (Completed March 2006)</p>
<p>8. Intervention: Setting: Start Date - End Date (mm/yy):</p>	<p>Lead agency: Other agencies:</p>	<p>This is _ New_ Ongoing _ Completed Process: Output/ Impact: Health/ Safety Outcomes: Progress to Date:</p>



## Healthy Carolinians Action Plan

County Warren County Partnership Healthy Carolinians of Warren County Period Covered 2003-2007

### LOCAL PRIORITY ISSUE

- **Priority issue:** Injury and Violence Prevention (Motor Vehicles)
- **Was this issue described in your county's most recent Community Health Assessment?**  Yes  No
- List other sources of information about this priority issue:
  - Warren County Sheriff-Accident Data 2001-high accident rate
  - Warren Family Institute-child restraint compliance law
  - North Carolina's Child Restraint and Booster Seat Law effective January 1, 2005

### LOCAL COMMUNITY OBJECTIVE - Please check one: New Ongoing from last re/certification

- By: 2007
- Objective: Increase use of safety belts ( child restraint seats) by 15%
- Original Baseline: 25% compliance
- Date and source of original baseline data: March 2004- Warren Family Institute
- Updated information (For continuing objective only):
- Date and source of updated information: April 2006, purchased and distributed 302 child restraint seats to residents of Warren County.

### POPULATION(S)

- **Local population(s) experiencing disparities in relation to this local objective: children ages 0-8 (lower income).**
- **Describe the local population(s) that will benefit:**
  - Children attending daycare; Pre-K, Head start and Elementary School.
  - Families receiving services from local service agencies.
- **Total number in population:**
  - 1,500
  - 300
- Number you plan to reach:
  - 900
  - 300

### NC 2010 FOCUS AREA AND NC 2010 HEALTH OBJECTIVE ADDRESSED

- Check one NC 2010 focus area:

<input type="checkbox"/> Access to Health Care	<input type="checkbox"/> Infant Mortality
<input type="checkbox"/> Chronic Disease	<input type="checkbox"/> Infectious Diseases
<input type="checkbox"/> Community Health	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Injury
<input type="checkbox"/> Disability	<input type="checkbox"/> Mental Health
<input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Health	<input type="checkbox"/> Older Adult Health
<input type="checkbox"/> Health Promotion	<input type="checkbox"/> Oral Health
<input type="checkbox"/> Other - Please Describe: _____	

- NC 2010 Health Objective:   : Increase use of safety belts ( child restraint seats) by 15%

<i>INTERVENTIONS, SETTING, &amp; TIMEFRAME</i>	COMMUNITY PARTNERS <b>Roles and Responsibilities</b>	EVALUATION PLAN & PROGRESS TO DATE
<p>In order to secure the active involvement of the priority population(s), our Partnership will: Enlist support of Warren County Sheriff's Department and NC Highway Patrol in the Injury Prevention Committee to help increase the use of safety belts.</p>	<p>Healthy Carolinians Partnership will take the lead in this collaboration. Warren County Sheriff Department &amp; NC Highway Patrol to hold random traffic stops.</p>	<p>Progress to Date: The Warren County Sheriff is committed to support this effort.</p>
<p><b>2. Marketing/Communication activities related to this community objective: Enlist support of</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• local newspaper for feature articles,</li> <li>• PSA on local radio station,</li> <li>• health fairs, flyers,</li> <li>• training on proper restraint use.</li> </ul>	<p>Lead agency: Injury Prevention Committee will take the lead with all marketing/ communication activities. Other agencies:</p> <p>Warren County Sheriff's Department, Warren Family Institute EMS, Warren County Health Department, Daycare Providers will all participate in health fairs and communicating with the community on various health issues related to seatbelt usage.</p>	<p>Progress to Date:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Articles run in local newspapers weeks of Jan 12-30, 2004 (See Section V Media for examples)</li> <li>b) Two alternating PSA's aired on WARR 12 times during Jan 26 – 31, 2004. (See Injury Prevention Minutes for text of PSAs.)</li> <li>c) Coupons to Burger Barn (local fast food restaurant) for free ice cream cone issued during evening of Drug Forum, March 12.</li> <li>d) Wrecked vehicle on the grounds March 12, during evening of Drug Forum.</li> </ol> <p>This Intervention for 1Q2004 is completed. Similar activities will be conducted during 3Q2004.</p>
<p>3. Intervention: Random Traffic Stop Setting: Along road side in Warren County Start Date - End Date (mm/yy):  February 7, 2004- June 30, 2007</p>	<p>Lead agency: Warren County Sheriff's Department performed random traffic stops to inquire seat belt compliance. Other agencies:</p> <p>NC Highway Patrol will assist with the random traffic stop.</p>	<p>This intervention is: _ New_ Ongoing <u>X</u> Completed Process: Data shows that of 135 vehicles stopped containing 177 passengers; only 3 were in non-compliance – 2 seatbelt citations and 1 child restraint citation issued. This reflects a compliance of 98%. This activity will be repeated at approx. 3<sup>rd</sup> qtr. 2004 to target teen drivers and to insure rate is repeatable.</p> <p>Output/ Impact:98% compliance Health/ Safety Outcomes: With only a 2% non-compliance, we are assured that a large percentage of citizens are using proper restraint to ensure the safety of their families. Progress to Date: Low infant deaths by motor vehicle.</p>
<p>4. Intervention: Provide Child seat education/ workshops Setting: County health fairs and Healthy Carolinians Day</p>	<p>Lead agency: Warren County Health Department will take the lead in health fairs. Other agencies:</p>	<p>This is _ New_ <u>X</u> Ongoing _ Completed Process: As of March 2004 4 Car Seat workshops had been conducted at county</p>

<p>Start Date - End Date (mm/yy): November 1, 2003 - June 30, 2007</p>	<p>Warren Family Institute, EMS, Daycare Centers, Healthy Carolinians Committees will all provide information and assistance with health fairs and car seat workshops.</p>	<p>daycare providers. Output/ Impact: 25% compliance Health/ Safety Outcomes: Awareness and education. Progress to Date: Ongoing training to ensure child safety using and installing proper use of car seats.</p>
<p>5. Intervention : Applied for disparities grant to purchase car seats from the Office of Minority Health &amp; Health Disparities “Community Focused Eliminating Health Disparities Initiative”. Setting: Partnership Start Date - End Date (mm/yy): October 2005</p>	<p>Lead agency: Warren County Health Department worked in conjunction with Warren Family Institute to apply for grant funding to purchase car seats. Other agencies: Warren Family Institute, And Healthy Carolinians will distribute car seats to needy families in Warren County.</p>	<p>This is <u>_</u> New <u>X</u> Ongoing <u>_</u> Completed Process: To purchase car and booster seats for low income families in Warren County.  Output/ Impact: Purchased 302 booster seats and 151 child safety seats . Health/ Safety Outcomes: Distributed over 452 child restraint seats to low income families in Warren County to ensure the safety of. Progress to Date: This project has been completed. April 2006</p>
<p>6. Intervention Training 5 people to be Certified Child Safety Technicians. Setting: Greensboro Start Date - End Date (mm/yy):  February 2005 May 15-19, 2006</p>	<p>Lead agency: SAFE KIDS is the lead agency in the child safety training class. Other agencies:  Warren Family Institute, and Healthy Carolinians of Warren County will have 3 people to undergo the 5 day training in May 2006. EMS provided assistance in applying for scholarships to help fund the cost of the 5 day training classes.</p>	<p>This is <u>_</u> New <u>X</u> Ongoing <u>_</u> Completed Process: In February 2005 trained 2 people as Certified Child Safety Technicians. May 2006 will be training 3 more people. Output/ Impact: This training will provide additional people in Warren County to assist with local fire department and EMS on proper installation of car seats. Health/ Safety Outcomes: Proper installation of car seats to provide added protection of children in the event of an a motor vehicle accident. Progress to Date: Two people were trained in 2005, one of whom has left the county. Three more people are scheduled for the 5 day training in May 2006. Completed May 19, 2006</p>
<p>5. Intervention New Brochures were designed for the Injury Prevention Committee. Setting: Partnership Start Date - End Date (mm/yy): Jan 2006- March 2006</p>	<p>Lead agency: Healthy Carolinians Partnership will take the lead in designing the brochure. Other agencies: Injury Prevention Committee will provide assistance and statistics for the brochure.</p>	<p>This is <u>X</u> New <u>_</u> Ongoing <u>_</u> Completed Process: Designed new brochures to be distributed to citizens. Output/ Impact: Designed 1,500 new brochures for the Injury Prevention Committee. Health/ Safety Outcomes: To educate and raise awareness on the importance of child safety restraints and to reflect new law changes January 1, 2005.  Progress to Date: The brochures are available and were passed out with the new child safety seats. ( Completed March 2006)</p>



# Healthy Carolinians Action Plan

County Warren Partnership Healthy Carolinians of Warren County Period Covered 2003-2007

## LOCAL PRIORITY ISSUE

- **Priority issue:** Substance abuse was identified as the second highest priority are ( after chronic diseases) in focus groups conducted during 2001.
- **Was this issue described in your county's most recent Community Health Assessment?**  Yes  No
- List other sources of information about this priority issue:
  - ❖ Warren County Mental Health Services
  - ❖ N.C. BRFSS Website
  - ❖ Focus Groups

## LOCAL COMMUNITY OBJECTIVE - Please check one: New Ongoing from last re/certification

- By: 2007
- Objective:
  - By 2007, to decrease percentage of high school student that has 5 or more drinks within the past 30 days by 10%.
  - By 2007, to decrease the percentage of high school students that used marijuana in the past 30 days by 25%.
- Original Baseline: To be determined from the survey that will be administered to high school students in the fall of 2004.
- Date and source of original baseline data: Survey 9<sup>th</sup> grade students in fall on 2004.
- Updated information (For continuing objective only): Tobacco use was added to action plan in 2004-2005.
- Date and source of updated information:

## POPULATION(S)

- **Local population(s) experiencing disparities in relation to this local objective:**
  - **Warren County High School Students- Age 14-19**
- **Describe the local population(s) that will benefit: High School 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Students and to continue these same students through 12<sup>th</sup> grade.**
- **Total number in population: 950**
- Number you plan to reach: 250

## NC 2010 FOCUS AREA AND NC 2010 HEALTH OBJECTIVE ADDRESSED

- Check one NC 2010 focus area:
 

<input type="checkbox"/> Access to Health Care	<input type="checkbox"/> Infant Mortality
<input type="checkbox"/> Chronic Disease	<input type="checkbox"/> Infectious Diseases
<input type="checkbox"/> Community Health	<input type="checkbox"/> Injury
<input type="checkbox"/> Disability	<input type="checkbox"/> Mental Health
<input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Health	<input type="checkbox"/> Older Adult Health
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health Promotion	<input type="checkbox"/> Oral Health
<input type="checkbox"/> Other - Please Describe: _____	
- NC 2010 Health Objective:
  1. Reduce percentage of high school students who have 5 or more drinks of alcohol within the past 30 days.
  2. reduce percentage of high school students who use marijuana in the past 30 days.
  3. Reduce tobacco use by high school students' grades 9 through 12.

INTERVENTIONS, SETTING, & TIMEFRAME	COMMUNITY PARTNERS Roles and Responsibilities	EVALUATION PLAN & PROGRESS TO DATE
<p><b>1. In order to secure the active involvement of the priority population(s), our Partnership will:</b> The partnership will work collaboratively with Warren County High School to administer the State and Local Youth Risk Behavior Survey annually.</p>	<p>Healthy Carolinians Partnership to work with school system.</p> <p>*Warren County Schools – Lead agency in developing and administering survey</p> <p>Vance-Granville-Franklin-Warren Authority-(incoming chair of substance abuse committee – to assist and to coordinate the Youth Risk Behavior Survey)</p> <p>Warren County Health Department (provide staff and assistance as needed)</p> <p>Warren County Sheriff’s Department (to provide data on alcohol and marijuana incidents among teens)</p>	<p>Progress to Date:</p> <p>The survey was given to the 9<sup>th</sup> graders in November 2004 to establish a baseline. This survey will be administered to this class for the next four years.</p>
<p><b>2. Marketing/Communication activities related to this community objective:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Brochures to be distributed.</b></li> <li>• <b>Newspaper articles in local paper.</b></li> <li>• <b>PSA run on local radio station.</b></li> <li>• <b>Great American Smoke out.</b></li> </ul>	<p>Lead agency: Partnership is the lead agency with all marketing and communication activities.</p> <p>Other agencies: Warren County Schools, Warren County Health Department, Warren County Sheriff Department, Five County Mental Health Authority; Private Citizens, SAVE/SADD Students will assist with getting the word out on various health related issues in the county.</p>	<p>Progress to Date:</p> <p>The partners have developed a relationship with the S.A.V.E./S.A.D.D. group and school administrators. – began May, 2003</p> <p>Establish initial baseline when given survey to 9<sup>th</sup> graders in fall of 2004. Warren County School personnel have agreed to participate in process of surveys.</p> <p>Results are graphed for each year.</p>
<p>3. Intervention: Drug Forum annually and open to the public. Setting: Healthy Carolinians Day Start Date - End Date (mm/yy): November 1, 2003</p>	<p>Lead agency: Partnership works collaboratively with SAVE/SADD students with the fight against drug use among their peers.</p> <p>Other agencies: SAVE/SADD Students will perform an anti-drug skit.</p>	<p>This intervention is: New <u>X</u> Ongoing _ Completed Process: SAVE/SADD students performed an anti-drug skit. Output/ Impact: Change ongoing behavior ( Warren County Student Body and the public.) Health/ Safety Outcomes: Raise drug awareness among their peers and the public.</p> <p>Progress to Date: Ongoing awareness to change behavior.</p>
<p>4. Intervention: PSA/Articles on Substance Abuse. Setting: Radio &amp; Newspaper articles Start Date - End Date (mm/yy): March 8-12,2004 / June 2007</p>	<p>Lead agency: Partnership will be lead agency with all PSA, articles and other media coverage.</p> <p>Other agencies: SAVE/SADD Students, and Warren County High School assists with getting the word out on the harmful effects of alcohol through SAVE/SADD activities.</p>	<p>This is _ New <u>X</u> Ongoing _ Completed Process: Articles and PSA on substance abuse: binge drinking and drug forum. Output/ Impact: N/A Health/ Safety Outcomes: Progress to Date: completed periodically from March 2004 to February 2005.</p>

<p>5. Intervention: Great American Smoke out  Setting: Warren County High School  Start Date - End Date (mm/yy):  November 17, 2005 -  November 2007</p>	<p>Lead agency: American Lung Association was the lead agency in this annual event.  Other agencies:  Healthy Carolinians of WC  American Cancer Society  Warren County Health Department and various county Agencies put up information booths to distribute to the students.</p>	<p>This is <u>  </u> New <u>  X  </u> Ongoing <u>  </u> Completed  Process: Display material and make public awareness on the harmful effects of smoking on November 17, 2005..  Output/ Impact: Smoke-free policy implemented in all Warren County Schools.  Health/ Safety Outcomes: Raising awareness of the harmful effects of smoking.  Progress to Date: This is an annual event, and some 2000+ people participated.</p>
<p>6.. Intervention: Youth Risk Behavior Survey administered annually to 9<sup>th</sup> grade students.  Setting: Warren County High School    Start Date - End Date (mm/yy):  September 2004-September 2007</p>	<p>Lead agency: Warren County High School is the lead agency for administering the surveys to students.    Other agencies:    Healthy Carolinians of WC and Warren County Health Department will tally survey results.</p>	<p>This is <u>  X  </u> New <u>  </u> Ongoing <u>  </u> Completed  Process: North Carolina Youth Risk Behavior Survey given in September 2004..    Output/ Impact: 216 surveys were given to 9<sup>th</sup> graders at Warren County High School.    Health/ Safety Outcomes: To establish baseline and to raise awareness of the number of students that are active with substance abuse.  Progress to Date: Establish a baseline.</p>
<p>7. Intervention: Youth Risk Behavior Survey administered annually to 10<sup>th</sup> grade students.  Setting: Warren County High School  Start Date - End Date (mm/yy):  September 2005</p>	<p>Lead agency: Warren County High School is the lead agency for administering the surveys to students.  Other agencies:  Healthy Carolinians of WC and Warren County Health Department will tally survey results.</p>	<p>This is <u>  </u> New <u>  X  </u> Ongoing <u>  </u> Completed  Process: North Carolina Youth Risk Behavior Survey.  Output/ Impact: 202 surveys were given to 10<sup>th</sup> graders at Warren County High School.  Health/ Safety Outcomes: To establish comparison date from original baseline and to raise awareness of the number of students that is active with substance abuse.  Progress to Date: Alcohol 6.10% change  Tobacco 9.14% change; Marijuana 5.11%</p>
<p>8. Intervention: NOT (NO ON TOBACCO) to be facilitators for students who show an interest in quitting smoking.  Setting: WCHS  Start Date - End Date (mm/yy):  January 2006</p>	<p>Lead agency: American Lung Association provides the instructors for the NOT training classes.  Other agencies:  Warren County High School, Warren County Health Department, Healthy Carolinians of WC, and Warren County School Nurses will all undergo the training to become facilitators.</p>	<p>This is <u>  X  </u> New <u>  </u> Ongoing <u>  </u> Completed  Process: School personnel and 3 members of the partnership trained to facilitate smoking cessations classes for teens and adolescents in Warren County on January 18, 2006.  Output/ Impact: 20 participants were trained by the American Lung Association Representative.  Health/ Safety Outcomes: To promote and facilitate classes for teens expressing an interest in quit smoking.  Progress to Date: This training will be ongoing. Currently a class has started at the high and middle school by school nurses and health educators.</p>
<p>9. Intervention: New Brochure were developed and designed for the Substance Abuse Committee.  Setting: Partnership  Start Date - End Date (mm/yy):  Jan 2006-March 2006</p>	<p>Lead agency: Healthy Carolinians Partnership will be the lead agency in this brochure design project.  Other agencies:  Injury Prevention Committee will supply input on the brochures.</p>	<p>This is <u>  X  </u> New <u>  </u> Ongoing <u>  </u> Completed  Process: Designed new to be distributed to citizens.  Output/ Impact: Designed 1,500 new brochures for the Substance Abuse Committee.  Health/ Safety Outcomes: To educate and raise awareness concerning substance abuse to the citizens of Warren County.  Progress to Date: The brochures are available for distribution.  (Intervention is complete March 2006 ).</p>

## **ATTACHMENTS**

## LOCAL CHURCHES

### African Methodist Episcopal

OAK CHAPEL—Corner E. Macon and Hall Streets, Warrenton; worship 11 a.m. 2nd Sunday only  
Apostolic

GREATER CORNERSTONE—Warren St.; worship 11:30 a.m. 2nd & 4th Sunday

MACEDONIA GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH—672 Sulphur Springs Road, Warrenton; 438-2907;  
Sunday service 11:30 a.m.

RUSSELL UNION REFORMED—Russell Union community (SR 1206), 456-3454; worship 11:30 a.m.  
1st & 3rd Sunday

UNIVERSAL MISSION-401 Hwy., Warrenton; Sunday service 11:30 a.m.

VICTORIOUS –KINGDOM LIFE FELLOWSHIP CHURCH—188 Shocco Springs Rd.), 456-2205,  
257-2283; Sunday worship 11:30 a.m.

VICTORY HOUSE OF FAITH—1255 Fuller Rd. (Warren/Franklin county line); Sunday service 12 noon

### Baptist

BETHLEHEM—Cole Farm Rd. near Paschall; worship 11:30 a.m. 1st & 3rd Sun.

BROWN'S—Rt. 2, Norlina; Sunday worship 11 a.m.

CHAPEL HILL—Oine; worship 11:30 a.m. 1st & 3rd Sunday

COLEY SPRINGS—224 Parktown Road, Warrenton 257-4041 (main), 257-5288 (pastor's study);  
Sunday worship 11 a.m.

COOKS CHAPEL—Warren Plains, 257-4450; worship 11 a.m. every Sunday except 5th Sunday

ENTERPRISE—404 Enterprise Road, Littleton; Sunday worship 11 a.m., 7 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST OF NORLINA—300 Washington St., Norlina; 456-2185 worship 11 a.m. 2nd, 3rd &  
4th Sunday

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF SOUL CITY—932 Axtell-Manson Rd.; 257-4937; worship 11:15 a.m.  
2nd & 4th Sunday

FISHING CREEK BAPTIST CHURCH-COLONIAL LODGE WARRENTON; 257-6260; Sunday School  
10:am; worship service 11:00

FORK CHAPEL—311 Richardson Rd., Inez, 257-4251; worship 11:30 a.m. 1st & 3rd Sunday

GARDNER'S—968 Church Hill Rd., Macon, 257-4491; Sunday worship 11 a.m., 7 p.m.

GOSPEL—Hwy. 719 US158 401., Norlina; 456-4400; Sunday worship 11 a.m.

GREATER ASHLEY CHAPEL—Hwy. 158, Vaughan; 586-3780; worship 11:15 a.m. 2nd, 3rd & 4th  
Sunday

GREATER LOVELY HILL—404 Embro Odell Road, Warrenton.; 257-3551; worship 11:15 a.m. 1st &  
3rd Sunday

GREENWOOD—1175 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd.; 257-2503; Sunday service 11:30 a.m.

HOLLISTER CHAPEL CHURCH\_\_Hollister NC 586-6251; services 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday 11:30 a.m. 1<sup>st</sup>  
Sunday 6:00 pm service

INEZ—Rt. 3, Warrenton; Sunday worship 11 a.m.

JERUSALEM MISSIONARY—904 Lickskillet Rd, Warrenton, 257-1254; worship 11:15 a.m., 1st, 2nd,  
3rd & 4th Sunday

JONES CHAPEL—339 Jones Chapel Rd. Norlina, 492-6738; Sunday worship 11 a.m.

JORDAN CHAPEL—1926 Alert Rd., Warrenton (252) 430-7482; pastor (252) 536-3580); worship 11:30  
a.m. 1st and 4th Sunday

JORDAN HILL—1683 Wise Five Forks Road; worship 11 a.m. 4th Sunday; 257-0224

LAKE GASTON—10 Lynwood Rd., Lake Gaston/Littleton, 586-3829; Sunday worship 10:45 a.m., 7  
p.m.

## LOCAL CHURCHES (con't)

LITTLE BALTIMORE—126 Baltimore Church Road; 257-2931; worship service 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> 11:00 am

LITTLETON—100 Mosby Ave., Littleton, church phone: 586-5330, parsonage phone: 586-3370; Sunday worship 11 a.m.

LOCUST GROVE—386 Paschall Station Rd. (SR 1300), 456-3634; Sunday worship 11:15 a.m.

MACON—Old Macon Hwy., just off NC 158, Macon, 257-5712 (church); Sunday worship 11 a.m.

MANSON MISSIONARY—SR 1101 (Kimball Rd.); Sunday worship 11:30 a.m. 2nd & 4th Sunday

MOUNT BETHEL—Rt. 3, Warrenton, 257-2567; Sunday worship 11 a.m.

MOUNT ZION—648 Harristown Road, Macon 257-2112; worship 11:30 a.m. 2nd & 4th Sunday

NEW BEGINNINGS BAPTIST OUTREACH MINISTERIES—203 West Franklin St. Warrenton; 252-459-3706; 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday service, 11:15 am

NEW BETHEL—874 Waviely Thompson Road, Warrenton; worship 11 a.m. 1st & 3rd Sunday

NORLINA—402 Division St., Norlina, 456-4121, 456-4864 (parsonage); Sunday worship 11 a.m.

NORTH WARRENTON—613 N. Main St., Warrenton, 257-4107; Sunday worship 11 a.m., 7 p.m.

ODELL—Odell Embro Rd./Rt. 1, Littleton, 586-5622; worship 11 a.m. 2nd & 4th Sunday

OLIVE GROVE—Eaton's Ferry Rd., Littleton; worship 11 a.m., every 1st & 2nd Sunday

PINE GROVE—801 Church Hill Road Macon, 257-2462; worship 11:15 a.m. each 3rd Sunday

PLEASANT GROVE—Hwy. 43, Hollister; worship 11 a.m. 2nd & 4th Sunday

PLEASANT GROVE—7548 Drewry Virginia Line Road, Norlina 456-3944, 492-6373; Sunday worship 11 a.m.

PLEASANT HILL—1307 Peete Farm Rd., Oakville, 257-3159; worship 11:15 a.m. 2nd & 3rd Sunday

PLEASANT ZION—Rt. 3, Littleton; 586-5990; worship 11:30 a.m. 1st, 3rd and 5th Sunday

REEDY CREEK—off NC 43 on Rosser Rd., Grove Hill, (919) 554-8790; worship 11 a.m. every Sunday except 5th Sunday

RIDGEWAY—156 Wycoff Road, Ridgeway, 456-3626, 492-3096; worship- 1:15 a.m. 1st & 3rd Sunday

SECOND BAPTIST—Old Macon Hwy., Macon; worship 11:15 a.m. every 4th Sunday

SEREPTA—295 Gillis Alston Road, Inez; pastor (Nashville) (919)459-3706); worship 11:30 a.m. 2nd & 4th Sunday

SHILOH—2241 Hwy. 43, Warrenton 257-3102; worship 11 a.m. 1st and 3rd Sunday

SHOCCO CHAPEL—180 Shocco Chapel Rd., Warrenton, 257-2728; worship 11:30 a.m. 1st and 3rd Sunday

SNOW HILL—504 Snow Hill Rd., Warrenton, 257-1458; worship 11:15 a.m. every Sunday except 5th Sunday

SPRING GREEN—240 Powells Mill Rd., Warrenton, 257-4602; worship 11:15 a.m. 1st, 2nd & 4th Sunday

ST. PAUL—1141 Richardson Rd. Warrenton; 257-5687 worship 11:15 a.m. 3rd & 1st Sunday

ST. STEPHEN MISSIONARY—3319 NC Hwy. 58, Warrenton 257-1117, 257-1388; pastor (919) 556-6091; Sunday worship

ST. ZION—Liberia; worship 2nd Sunday

SULPHUR SPRINGS—2487 US HWY. 401, Warrenton; 257-3820; Sunday worship 11 a.m.

UNION GROVE—6763 Vicksboro Road Henderson, N. C. Heck's Grove Community, 492-9433; worship 11:30 a.m. 1<sup>st</sup>, 2nd & 4th Sunday

## LOCAL CHURCHES (con't)

UNITED FELLOWSHIP—Services held at the McPherson Business Complex, 127 West So. Main St., Littleton (158 West); pastor, 586-6532; Sunday worship 11 a.m.

VAUGHAN—Eaton's Ferry Rd., Vaughan; worship, 11 a.m. 2nd & 4th Sunday

WALNUT GROVE—NC 43, Arcola, 257-2484; Sunday worship 11 a.m.

WARREN PLAINS—Warren Plains Rd., Rt. 1, Warrenton; Sunday worship 11 a.m.

WARRENTON—226 N. Main St., Warrenton, 257-3130; Sunday worship 11 a.m.

WARRENTON BAPTIST—114 Bragg St., Warrenton; worship, 11 a.m. every Sunday except on 5th Sunday

WISE—US 1, Wise; Sunday worship 11 a.m. Sundays at Lake Gaston 8:30 a.m. Memorial Day through Labor Day.

### Catholic

SAINT BARTHOLOMEW'S ORTHODOX;204 Ridgeway St. Warrenton; Sunday devine liturgy 9:30 am

### Christian

BETHLEHEM—Old Eaton Ferry Road, one mile south of Lake Gaston; Sunday worship 11 a.m.

PROVIDENCE—Wise; worship 11:45 a.m. 2nd & 4th Sunday

DAY SPRING CHRISTIAN CHURCH\_\_ 109 S. Hall St., Warrenton;257-1641;services each Sunday;11:00 am

WHITES GROVE —328 St. Tammany Rd., P.O. Box 1027, Norlina; worship 11 a.m. 2nd, 3rd & 4th Sunday

### Church of Christ

BURCHETTE CHAPEL UNITED—148 Burchette Chapel Rd. Manson, 456-2545; worship 11 a.m. 1st, 2nd & 3rd Sunday.

EVANGELISTIC HIGHWAY CHURCH OF CHRIST—Warrenton, 535-3675; worship 2 p.m. 3rd & 4th Sunday

OAK LEVEL UNITED—Manson, 456-3030; worship 11:30 a.m. 1st, 3rd & 4th Sunday, 8 a.m. 2nd & 5th Sunday

### Church of God

WARRENTON CHURCH OF GOD—512 S. Main St., 257-3912; Sunday worship 11 a.m., 6 p.m.

### Church Of Our Lord Jesus Christ

REFUGE CHURCH—506 S. Main St., Warrenton; Sunday worship 11:30 a.m.

### Episcopal

ALL SAINTS'—Front & Franklin Sts., Warrenton; vicar, 257-2557; senior warden 257-4884; Holy Eucharist 9 a.m. Sunday

CHAPEL OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD—Ridgeway-Warrenton Rd. (SR 1107, 1/4 mi. east of US 1) Ridgeway, 438-7263; junior warden 456-2412; Holy Eucharist 9 a.m. 1st & 3rd Sunday

EMMANUEL—133 N. Main St., Warrenton, vicar; 257-2557; senior warden 257-2713; Holy Eucharist 11 a.m. Sunday

### Evangelical

EMMANUEL CHURCH FOR ALL PEOPLE—Church Hill Rd., Macon; worship 12 noon 2nd & 4th Sunday

### Holy

GUIDING STAR UNITED—Fleming Dairy Rd., Drewry, 456-2700; Sunday worship 11:15 a.m.

ST. DELIGHT—540 Bullocksville Park Rd.Manson; 456-2501 Rev. Harold Jackson, pastor; worship 11:30 a.m. 1st, 2nd & 4th Sunday

## LOCAL CHURCHES (con't)

UNION CHAPEL—179 Union Chapel Rd., Ridgeway; worship 11:30 a.m. 1st, 2nd & 3rd Sunday  
UNITY PRAYER HOUSE OF FAITH HOLY CHURCH—291 U.S. 1S, Norlina, 456-2560; Sunday  
worship 11:30 a.m.

### Lutheran

LAKESIDE—Hwy. 903, 1 mi. north of Eaton Ferry Bridge, Littleton, 586-6778, 586-3672; Sunday  
worship 8 a.m., 10:30 a.m.; signing for hearing-impaired on request.  
ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL—438 Ridgeway-Drewry Rd., 1 mi. east of I-85; 456-2747 (church), 456-  
2045 (parsonage); Sunday worship 11 a.m.

### Methodist

BETHLEHEM UNITED—Hwy. 43, Arcola, 257-4417; worship 11 a.m. 1st & 3rd Sunday, 9:30 a.m. 2nd  
& 4th Sunday  
JERUSALEM UNITED—Paschall Station Rd.; Sunday worship 11 a.m.  
LITTLETON UNITED—S. Main St., 586-5385; Sunday worship 9 a.m., 11 a.m.  
MACON UNITED—Old Macon Hwy., just off NC 158, Macon; Sunday worship 11:15 a.m.  
NORLINA UNITED—corner of U.S. 1 and Walker Ave., 456-2606; Sunday worship 11 a.m.  
PROVIDENCE—Afton, 492-0771; Sunday worship 9:45 a.m.  
SHADY GROVE UNITED—Hwy. 58, Inez; 257-4417; worship 9:30 a.m. 1st & 3rd Sunday, 11 a.m. 2nd  
& 4th Sunday  
SHOCCO—Vicksboro Rd., 492-0771; Sunday worship 11:15 a.m..  
WARREN PLAINS UNITED—Warren Plains Rd; Sunday worship 10 a.m.  
WESLEY MEMORIAL UNITED—210 N. Main St., Warrenton, 257-2129; Sunday worship 11 a.m.  
ZION UNITED—143 Zion Church Rd., Norlina, 456-3566; Sunday worship 10:45 a.m.  
**Multidenominational**\_\_CHURCH ON THE ROCK, Country Club Road, Warrenton Sunday celebration  
9:30 am; 257-1394

### Non-denominational

CANDLELIGHT SPIRITUAL SCIENCE CENTER: 267 Ridgeway-Warrenton Rd.; 257-2989 services  
2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays 1:00 pm.  
DOMINION WORLD CHRISTIAN CENTER— P.O Box 357 Warrenton; Sunday worship 10 a.m., 6  
p.m.  
EVANS GOSPEL CLINIC—674 Mills Rd., Hollister; worship 11:30 a.m. 1st Sunday  
FULL FAITH GOSPEL MINISTRIES\_\_P.O. Box 426 Warrenton, 257-5668; service every Sunday  
except 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday 11:00 am  
UNITED SOLID ROCK FAITH MINISTRIES—120 US Hwy. 158 Bus. & 401, Warrenton; Sunday  
worship 11:15 a.m.  
WITNESS & WORSHIP TABERNACLE MINISTRIES; 617 401 S. Warrenton, 257-2039; Sunday  
service 10:am; 1<sup>st</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> ; 11:am 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday  
ZAPHNATH FAITH MINISTRIES; 1363 Peete Farm Rd. Wise; 456-3558; Sunday service 11:am  
Pentecostal  
CHURCH OF MIRACLE DELIVERANCE CENTER—Rt. 1, Manson; worship 11:30 a.m., 1st, 3rd, 4th  
& 5th Sunday  
FAITH TEMPLE HERALD OF TRUTH INC.—216 E. Franklin St., Warrenton; 257-3274; Sunday  
worship 11:30 a.m., 5 p.m.  
NEW COVENANT MINISTRIES OF THE PENTOCOSTAL HOLINESS CHURCH, INC.— P.O. Box  
1083 Norlina; 257-4164, parsonage, 257-0480; Sunday worship 10:45 a.m.

## LOCAL CHURCHES (con't)

NEW ZION FIRST PENTECOSTAL CHURCH;1470 Bullocksville Park Road; Drewey; 456-2247

WARRENTON CHURCH OF GOD;512 S. Main St. Warrenton 257-3912; Sunday service 11:am

### Presbyterian

LITTLETON—101 Mosby Ave., Littleton, 586-3335; Sunday worship 9:45 a.m.

WARRENTON—Main St.; Joint Adult Education Program, 10 a.m. Sundays

### **Roman Catholic**

SAINT JOSEPH—US 158 Business West, Warrenton 257-5605; Mass 8 a.m. Sunday, Holy Days 7 p.m.

ST. PETER THE APOSTLE—NC 903 at the N.C./Va. border; Mass 5:30 p.m. Saturday, Sunday at 8 a.m.; contact Harry Baust at 535-2302

### **United Church of Christ**

Mount Auburn United Church of Christ\_\_Jct. of State Road 1200 and Kimball Point Road; Manson; 586-5110; Sunday service 11:am 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays

## LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS

AARP Eaton's Ferry Rd. Chapter #4017.....	586-2879
AARP Chapter #5077.....	257-1914
Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority.....	257-3984
American Legion Post 425.....	586-4046
American Legion Post 308.....	586-5320
American Legion Auxiliary.....	257-4498
Awareness in Action (HIV/AIDS).....	257-1185
Citizens for Animal Protection.....	257-5321
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.....	257-9194
Diabetes Support Group.....	257-1185
Drewry Ladies Club.....	456-2475
Eaton's Ferry AARP.....	919-755-9757
Educational Council/Heck's Grove Community Center.....	492-3223
Jacob Holt House Foundation.....	257-3261
Juvenile Crime Prevention Council.....	257-3115
Kappa Phi Kappa.....	257-3928
Lake Gaston Association.....	257-2881
Lake Gaston Chamber of Commerce.....	586-5711
Lake Gaston Computer Club.....	586-6216
Lake Gaston Garden Club.....	586-5220
Lake Gaston Ladies Club.....	586-0131
Lake Gaston Lions Club.....	586-9866
Lake Gaston Striper Club.....	586-7666
Les Gemmes.....	257-9194
Little Garden Club.....	456-2153
Loaves and Fishes Ministries.....	257-1160
Macon Woman's Club.....	257-5576
Man-To-Man Support Group (prostate cancer).....	257-1185
Master Gardeners.....	257-3640
Norlina Community Development Assn.....	456-2776
Oxford-Henderson Alumni Chapter.....	
Preservation Warrenton.....	257-5321
Reach For Recovery.....	1-800-ACS-2345
Town & Country Garden Club.....	257-4995
VFW Post #4096.....	456-4316
Warren Co. 4-H.....	257-3640
Warren Co. Antique Dealers Assn.....	257-2588
Warren Co. Arts Council.....	257-3217
Warren Co. Boy Scouts.....	456-3826
Warren Co. Cattlemen's Assn.....	257-2140
Warren Co. Citizens for Animal Protection.....	456-2414
Warren Co. Extension Homemakers.....	257-3640
Warren Co. Fair Assn.....	257-4270
Warren Co. Firemen's Assn.....	257-3104
Warren Co. Forestry Club.....	257-2990

## LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS (con't)

Warren Co. Girl Scouts.....	257-1980
Warren Co. Habitat for Humanity.....	586-6181
Warren Co. Jaycees.....	257-2070
Warren Co. NAACP.....	257-9194
Warren Co. Senior Center.....	257-3111
Warren Co. Shrine Club.....	257-3229
Warren Co. Unmet Needs Committee.....	257-5024
Warren Education Fund.....	257-9194
Warren One-on-One.....	257-0428
Warrenton Lions Club.....	257-4270
Warrenton Lioness Club.....	257-4270
Warrenton Rotary Club.....	257-2321
Warrenton Woman's Club.....	257-5889
Wise/Paschall Ruritan Club.....	456-4332

## GOVERNMENT AGENCIES

Animal Control.....	257-1538
Board of Elections.....	257-2114
Building Inspector.....	257-1305
Child Support and Enforcement.....	257-1165
Clerk of Superior Court.....	257-3261
County Manager’s Office.....	257-3115
Human Resources.....	257-7132
Drug Treatment Court.....	257-5172
Economic Development Commission.....	257-3114
Emergency Medical Services:	
Business Office.....	257-1191
Emergencies.....	911
Warren County Rescue Squad:	
Emergencies.....	911
Non-Emergencies.....	586-4444
Emergency Services.....	257-2666
Health Department.....	257-1185
Environmental Health.....	257-1538
Home Health.....	257-4081
Mental Health Services.....	1-877-619-3761
N.C. Cooperative Extension Service.....	257-3640
Parks and Recreation.....	257-2272
Public Works Office.....	257-3645
Register of Deeds.....	257-3265
Sheriff’s Department.....	257-3364
Emergencies.....	911
Social Services.....	257-1283
Landfill.....	257-2711
Tax Assessor.....	257-4158
Tax Collector.....	257-3337
Veterans Service Officer.....	257-3385
Smart Start.....	257-1204
Warren Family Institute.....	257-1134
Forestry.....	257-5960
Planning/Zoning.....	257-7027
Soil Conservation.....	257-3836
Fire Marshal.....	257-1305
Warren County Memorial Library.....	257-4990
Warren County Campus, Vance-Granville Community College.....	257-1900
Warrenton Town Hall.....	257-3315
Warrenton Police Department.....	257-3123
Norlina Town Hall.....	456-3325

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Norlina Police Department.....	456-3401
Norlina Library.....	456-9804
Macon Town Hall.....	257-4732
Warrenton Post Office.....	257-3683
Macon Post Office.....	257-3214
Norlina Post Office.....	456-2663
Manson Post Office.....	456-2363
Ridgeway Post Office.....	456-2561
Wise Post Office.....	456-3230
Youth Services Bureau.....	257-0428

## **MEDICAL SERVICES**

### **Beckford Medical Clinic**

The Rural Health Clinic, Beckford Warren Medical Center was opened on October 13, 2003 by Board Certified Family Medicine Physician, Dr. James E. Kenney. The clinic is located at 816 U.S. HWY. 158 Business West, Warrenton, North Carolina.

At present, the medical providers for the clinic includes the following: Dr. James Kenney, Dr Lillian R. Horne, Board Certified Physician, Mr. William M. Davis, PA-C, and Mrs. Sandra E. Reed, PA-C. As of September 1, 2006, Dr. Francis Aniekwensi will be joining the team. Currently the clinic is accepting new patients, appointments and walk-ins. For more information call (252) 257-6213.

### **Community Memorial Health Center**

Founded in 1954, Community Memorial Health Center (CMH) in South Hill, Va. is a not-for-profit health care facility offering a full range of medical, surgical, and psychiatric services to northern North Carolina and Southside Virginia.

Over 700 health care providers work at the full-service facility which is noted for providing comprehensive health services for all ages, both inpatient and outpatient. Health care services include an emergency/urgent care center, home health/hospice, imaging services, surgery, behavioral health, nursing services, long term care, rehab services, laboratory and family birthplace.

Operated on a 24-hour basis, the Emergency Department is staffed by specialized personnel which include board-certified emergency care physicians and nurses trained in emergency care and trauma.

Rehabilitation Services offers inpatient and outpatient therapy, therapy services in the home; speech and hearing therapy, occupational therapy, and cardiopulmonary rehabilitation.

For more information on services available at CMH, call (804) 447-3151 or visit their Web site at [www.cmh-sh.org](http://www.cmh-sh.org).

### **Franklin Regional Medical Center**

Franklin Regional Medical Center, located in Louisburg, is an 85-bed acute care facility accredited by the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Health Care Organizations.

A new addition houses a state-of-the-art Emergency Department and Outpatient Area, an expanded Radiology Department, and a Cardio-Pulmonary Department.

The Emergency Department includes two trauma suites, eight full service treatment bays, including a special orthopedic procedure room, and a specially designed pediatric room.

Franklin Regional Medical Center has also remodeled over 2,400 square feet of space and expanded services with over 85 physicians on staff in more than 20 specialty areas. For more information, call (919) 496-5131 or visit their Web site at [www.franklinregionalmedctr.com](http://www.franklinregionalmedctr.com).

## MEDICAL SERVICES (con't)

### Halifax Regional Medical Center

Halifax Regional Medical Center is a private, acute care hospital located in Roanoke Rapids, North Carolina. The Hospital is fully and unconditionally accredited by the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organization along with being licensed to operate 206 beds (excluding newborn nursery bassinets), 20 of which are licensed as psychiatric beds. It provides a full range of acute care services including obstetrics, gynecology, general surgery, urology, medicine, family medicine, pediatrics, psychiatry and ophthalmology. Rehabilitation services are available to both inpatients and outpatients.

**For more information, call (252) 535-8011 or visit their Web site at [www.halifaxmedicalcenter.org](http://www.halifaxmedicalcenter.org).**

### Lake Gaston Medical Center

Lake Gaston Medical Center offers primary care to the entire family. It is located in Littleton, N.C. Some of their services include: complete physicals, well baby/child care, x-rays, minor office surgery, immunizations, diabetes and high blood pressure care, cholesterol and glucose screening, family planning, minor emergencies, patient education and their physicians have hospital privileges at Halifax Regional Medical Center in Roanoke Rapids, N.C. The staff consists of surgeon, two family practitioners, and a family nurse practitioner. For more information, call (252) 586-5411.

### Maria Parham Hospital

Maria Parham Hospital, located in Henderson, has offered care for over 75 years. Physician services include family practice, general surgery, vascular surgery, internal medicine, radiology, obstetrics and gynecology, pediatrics, neurology, emergency medicine, ophthalmology, dermatology, podiatry, gastroenterology, psychological services, audiologist, otorhinolaryngology, cardiology, hematology, oncology, pulmonology, endocrinology, infectious diseases, rheumatology, plastic surgery, nephrology, anesthesiology, general practice, urology, and physical medicine and rehabilitation.

The ICU/PCU provides intensive care and cardiovascular care. Maria Parham also features a birthday center and cardiovascular laboratory.

All outpatient services are provided by the John T. Church Outpatient Services Center, which also includes an ambulatory surgery center with two outpatient surgical suites and a complete pulmonary function laboratory.

The hospital also features an Emergency Department, Center for Rehabilitation and Respiratory Care Services department. For more information, call 438-4143.

## MEDICAL SERVICES (con't)

### Nash General Hospital

Nash General Hospital is located in Rocky Mount, N. C. Their services are used by some county residents.

### Twin County Rural Health Center

Twin County Rural Health Center is located in Hollister, N.C. Their services include: transportation, WIC, Baby Love, complete physicals, minor office surgery, immunizations, diabetes and high blood pressure care, cholesterol and glucose screening, family planning, minor emergencies, patient education materials, dental care, food stamps/mental health on a monthly schedule. There is a general practitioner available daily. A sliding fee scale is used for payment along with an indigent medicine program.

### **Vance Warren Comprehensive Health Plan**

Vance-Warren Comprehensive Health Plan (VWCHP) is a private, non-profit community health center established to provide health care services to residents of Warren and surrounding counties.

VWCHP provides medical, dental, pharmacy, laboratory, radiology, and transportation services to its patient population. HealthCo Inc. is located in Soul City in the western part of the county. For additional information call HealthCo at 456-2181.

### **Warren County Free Clinic**

The Warren County Free Clinic is dedicated to providing FREE primary medical services to the uninsured of Warren County, N.C. We are funded through community donations and public and private grants. WCFC is sponsored by Maria Parham Hospital, Warren County Board of Commissioners, and many Warren County Churches. All members of the staff will be on a volunteer basis.

Services offered will be basic medical care, access to prescription medication (with the exception of controlled substances), referrals to specialty care providers, some dental services, referrals for diagnostic testing and health education. For more information, call (252) 257-1904.

## **MEDICAL SERVICES (con't)**

### **Warren County Health Department**

The Warren County Health Department, located on Ridgeway St. in Warrenton, offers a variety of services to local residents including Home Health, child and maternal health, immunizations, family planning, and a Wellness Center featuring exercise equipment and aerobics classes.

In addition, the Health Department sponsors educational programs targeted at helping residents lead healthier lives.

For additional information on services available through the Warren County Health Department, call 257-1185.

## PRIVATE MEDICAL SERVICES

### Dentists:

Dr. James Crenshaw & Dr. William C. Haight.....257-3736 & 586-4058  
Dr. L. B. Henderson & Dr. Kara M. Henderson.....257-3054  
N C Oral Health.....456-5242

### **Family Medicine:**

Dr. James Kenney.....257-6213  
Dr. Lillian Horne.....257-6213  
Dr. Francis Aniekwensi.....257-6213

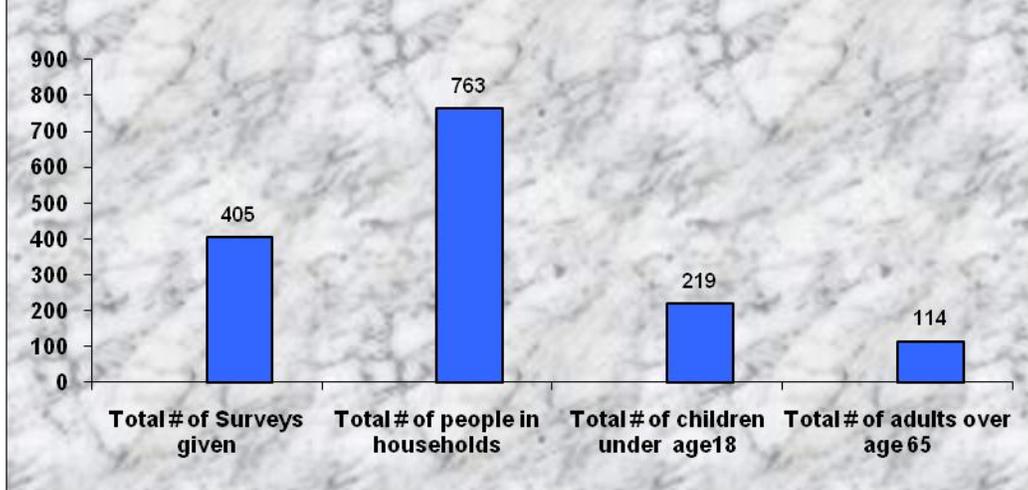
### **Optometrists:**

Family Eye Center (three offices).....(Warrenton) 257-3675  
Dr. J. C. Jaeger (Henderson) 438-6132  
Dr. W. A. Newcomb Jr. (Louisburg) 496-2071  
Dr. J. N. Ellington, Jr.  
Dr. J. F. Wiggins

### **Podiatrist:**

Dr. Angela Williams.....257-2534

## Warren County Community Assessment Survey of Households 2006



Number of people in household: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of children under 18 years of age: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of adults 65 or older: \_\_\_\_\_

## RESOURCE LIST

- County Health Data Book, North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services, February 2006
- Economic Development Information System  
(<http://lcmadis.commerce.state.nc.us/countyprofiles>)
- Federal Agency Data: Bureau of the Census-Census of Population and Housing
- Five County Mental Health Authority, June 2006
- Henderson Daily Dispatch, Sunday, June 30,2006
- Kerr-Tar Regional GOG Planning GIS staff, October 2002
- Log into North Carolina (<http://www.line.state.nc.us>)
- NC-CGIAGOG, Warren County Department of Social Services
- North Carolina Department of Commerce, Economic Policy and Research Division
- North Carolina Department of Justice
- North Carolina Department of Public Instruction, State Board of Education
- Sharpe, B. & Zair, S.B., 1962
- Taylor, Mary Lib; Personal Research, 2000
- UNC School of Public Health (<http://www.hsl.unc.edu/phpapers/warrenton01/warrenton.htm>)
- U.S. Census,2000
- Warren County GIS Office
- Warren County Newcomers & Visitors Guide, Womack Publishing Company, Inc. 2005
- Warren County School Systems