



Robeson County Health Scorecard

2002-2006	Robeson	NC	US	Regional Rank	Trend (2001-2006)	National Goal	Score
Health Indicators							
<i>Death Rates (per 100,000 people)</i>							
Stroke	74.5	61.1	60	5	↓ 27 %	48.0	
Diabetes	60.1	27.1	75	8	↑ 28 %	45.0	
Heart Disease	297.0	217.9	208	7	↓ 13 %	166.0	
<i>Cancer</i>							
Breast Cancer	27.3	25.7	28	3	↓ 11%	22.3	
Prostate Cancer	44.1	29.1	32	7	↑ 5 %	28.8	
<i>Incidence Rates (per 100,000 people)</i>							
AIDS	18.5	12.4	20	6	↑ 42 %	1.0	
Maternal and Infant Health Indicators							
<i>Population Rates (per 1,000 females)</i>							
Teen Pregnancy (age 15-19)	89.6	63.1	68	7	↓ 15 %	43.0	
<i>Population Percentages</i>							
Births to mothers who smoke	18.5	12.4		4	↓ 11%		
Low Birth Weight	11.3	9.1	7.6	6	↑ 6 %	5.0	
Lifestyle Indicators							
	The number of persons in poverty in Robeson County increased 10% from 1980-2000. The Robeson County percentage of persons in poverty exceeds the NC percentage by 85%.				In Robeson County, the number of public high school dropouts decreased 31% from 2001-2005.		
	The unemployment rate in Robeson County decreased 18% from 1994-2006 but remains above the NC rate by 29%.				The number of person served in area Alcohol and Drug treatment centers in Robeson County decreased by 114% from 2001-2006.		
Score Key							
↑ Increasing Trend		↔ Constant/ Stable Trend		↓ Decreasing Trend		No data	
	A star is assigned if the trend is decreasing and the county assessment is below the US or state assessment.				A warning light is assigned if the trend is increasing, but the county assessment is below the US or state assessment. OR If the trend is decreasing, but the county assessment remains above the US or state assessment.		
	An alarm is assigned if the trend is increasing and the county assessment is above the US or state assessment.				A question mark is assigned if the trend is inconclusive.		

Notes:

*The National Goal and US values are based on information gathered from Healthy People 2010. Healthy People 2010 is a comprehensive set of disease and health promotion objectives for the United States.

*Rates are age adjusted rates. All measurable objectives covered in the complete 2008 Regional Needs Assessment are not mentioned here.

* Regional Rank is based on comparison of CCHA counties who participated in NA. A rank of #1 is the best and #8 is the worst.

Sources:

Healthy People 2010: <http://www.healthypeople.gov/>

