

## **Women's Giving Circle of Cumberland County**

# **2011 Annual Scorecard**

Status of Women and Children in Cumberland County, NC Highlighting Areas of Basic Needs

The purpose of the WGCCC Annual Scorecard is to help educate the membership of the Women's Giving Circle and the community using data relating to homelessness, food insecurity, health care, and educational attainment for women and children.

WGCCC Scorecard is updated annually with data on the original areas of *Basic Needs* and to add new indicators as the Women's Giving Circle selects its annual direction for grant making. It is our hope that this Scorecard will become a valuable tool not only for our members but also for the community, helping to focus our collective efforts on improving the lives of women and children in Cumberland County.

The Women's Giving Circle of Cumberland County was founded in 2008 by a group of women committed to philanthropy. It is a charitable fund and was established under the auspices of the Cumberland Community Foundation through a grant from NCGives. The Women's Giving Circle of Cumberland County seeks to:

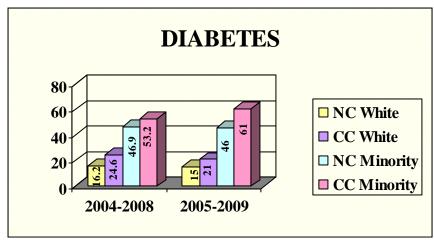
Empower women givers of all ages and backgrounds
Educate donors and our community on women's issues
Impact substantial, positive change for women and children in Cumberland County by philanthropy and education.

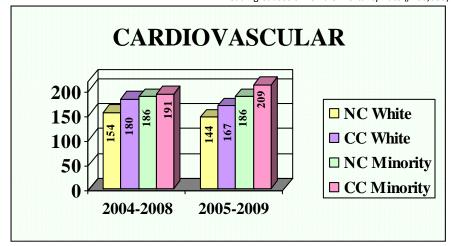
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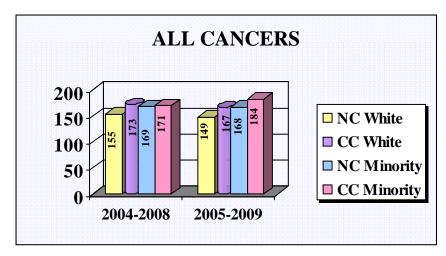


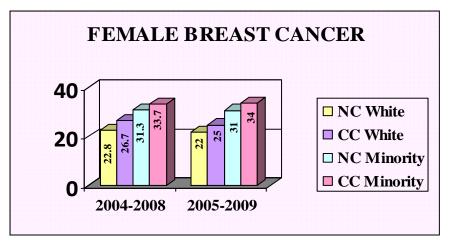
# Highlighting Health Issues in Cumberland County, NC FEMALE MORTALITY TRENDS

Leading Causes of Female Mortality Rate (/100,000)







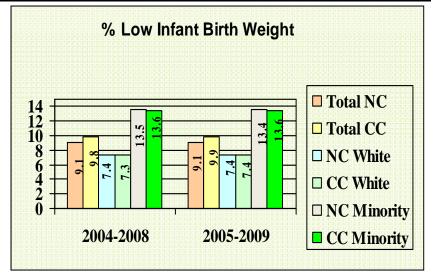


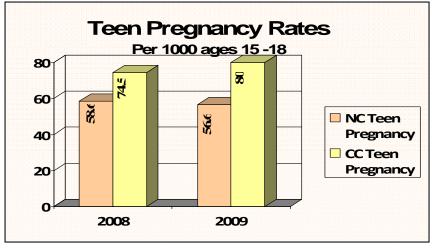
**Sources:** NC State Center for Health Statistics, 2004-2008, County Health Databook, Leading Causes of Female Mortality Rate (/100,000); NCHS, 2008, Leading Causes of Death; NC State Center for Health Statistics, 2005-2009, County Health Databook, Leading Causes of Female Mortality Rate (/100,000); NCHS, 2009, Leading Causes of Death



# Highlighting Health Issues in Cumberland County, NC **Teen Pregnancy and Infant Rates**

CC Teen Pregnancy Rates/Ranking	2008	2009
Total Pregnancies Ages 15-18	892	954
Total Pregnancies Ages 15 and under	15	20
CC Teen Pregnancy Ranking Scale: 1 is highest and 100 is lowest in NC ranking of counties	23	13



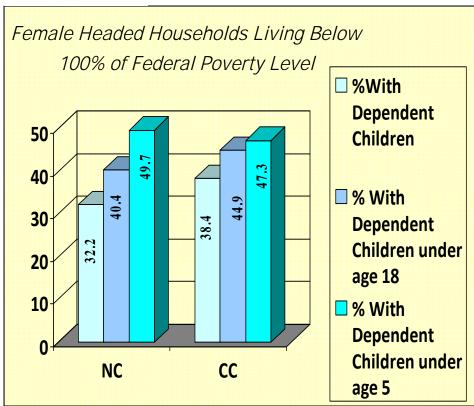


Infant Death Rates	2004-2008	2005-2009
NC Total Rate	8.4	8.3
CC Total Rate	10.8	10.5
NC White	6.2	6.0
CC White	7.3	7.4
NC Minority	14.3	14
CC Minority	15.9	15

**Sources:** NC State Center for Health Statistics, 2004-2008, 2005-2009; Infant Death Rates (/1000) Percent Low Birth Weights 2004-2008, 2005-2009; Teen Pregnancies, Adolescent Pregnancy Prevention Campaign of North Carolina, NC DHHS, Division of Public Health, State Center for Health Statistics 2008, 2009

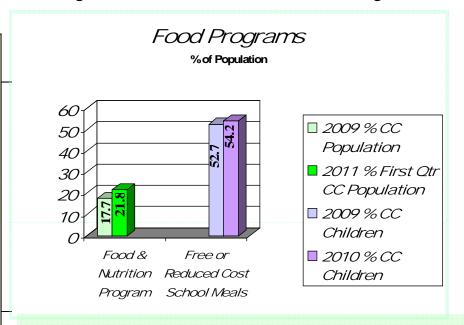


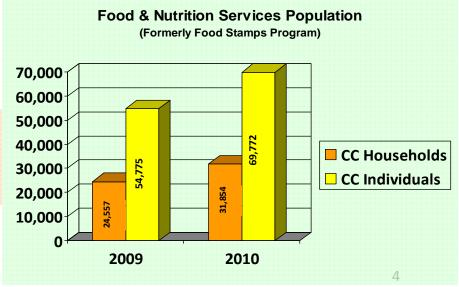
Highlighting Selected Economic Characteristics and Food Insecurity in Cumberland County, NC



47% of children under 5 years of age, raised by a single mom, live in poverty. By contrast, fewer than 7% of children in two-parent households live below federal poverty levels.

**Sources**: NC Dept. of Human Services, Food and Nutrition Services Participation Reports (1qtr, 2010; 1Qtr 2011); Kidscount.org; NC Rural Center; Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey 2006-2008, 2005-2009 NC-Selected Economic Characteristics; University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill Jordan Institute for Families Website. URL <a href="http://ssw.unc.edu/ma/">http://ssw.unc.edu/ma/</a> 2009, May 2011; Cumberland County Schools Profile. 2009, May 2010.







## Highlighting Homelessness in Cumberland County, NC

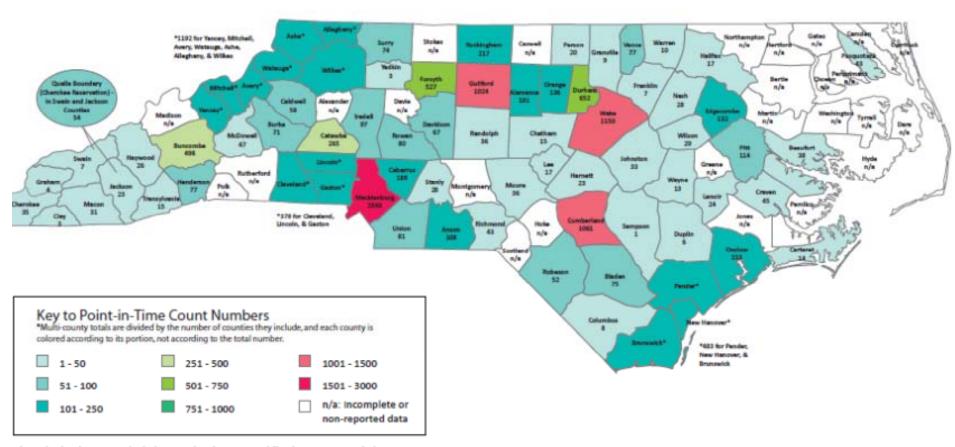
County Comparisons	2009	2010	2011
Fayetteville/Cumberland County Total County Population	309,542	319,431	
Fayetteville/Cumberland County PIT Homelessness Results	965	1033	1061
Winston-Salem/Forsythe County Total County Population	337,198	350,067	
Winston-Salem/Forsythe County PIT Homelessness Results	465	547	527
Raleigh/Wake County Total County Population	829,218	900,993	
Raleigh/Wake County PIT Homelessness Results	1152	1124	1150

Education For Homeless Children in Cumberland County Schools 800 600 ■ McKinney-400 Vento Students 200 **Numbers** 2009-2010-2010 2011 As defined by the McKinney-Vento Homeless **Education Assistance Improvement Act of 2001.** See APPENDIX A

**Sources:** North Carolina Coalition to End Homelessness, Point In Time (PIT) Data 2008-2011; County Population; 2008 Estimates from American Community Survey 2006-2010; The SERV Center; US Census Bureau 2010 State & County Quick Facts; ;www.serve.org; www.socialwork.css.k12.nc.us



# 2011 North Carolina Point-in-Time Count of People Experiencing Homelessness



The Point-in-Time Count includes people who were residing in emergency shelter or transitional housing or who were unsheltered on the night of the count. Counties marked "n/a" did not report any people in these three categories.



## **Highlighting Homelessness in Cumberland County, NC**

#### 2011 North Carolina Point-in-Time Count of

People Experiencing Homelessness as **Percent of County Population** 

Alexander n/a Alleghany 0.57 Anson 0.40 Ashe 0.57 **Avery 0.57** Beaufort 0.08 Alamance 0.12 Bertie n /a Bladen 0.21 Brunswick 0.13 Buncombe 0.21 Burke 0.08 Cabarrus 0.11 Caldwell 0.07 Camden n/a Carteret 0.02 Caswell n/a Catawba 0.17 Chatham 0.02 Cherokee 0.13 Chowan n/a Clay 0.03 Cleveland 0.10 Columbus 0.01 Craven 0.04 Cumberland .33 Currituck n/a Dare n/a Davidson 0.04 Davie n/a Duplin 0.01 Durham 0.23 Edgecombe 0.23 Forsyth 0.15 Franklin 0.01 Gaston 0.10 Gates n/a Graham 0.05 Granville 0.02 Greene n/a Guilford 0.21 Halifax 0.03 Harnett 0.02 Haywood 0.04 Henderson 0.07 Hertford n/a Hoke n/a Hyde n/a Iredell 0.06 Lee 0.03 Lincoln 0.10 Jackson 0.06 Johnston 0.02 Jones n/a Lenoir 0.04 McDowell 0.10 Madison n/a Martin n/a Mecklenburg 0.31 Mitchell 0.57 Montgomery n/a Moore 0.04 Macon 0.09 Nash 0.03 New Hanover 0.13 Northampton n/a Onslow 0.09 **Orange 0.10** Pamlico n/a Pender 0.13 Perguimans n/a Person 0.05 Pasquotank 0.11 Polk n/a Randolph 0.03 Pitt 0.07 Richmond 0.09 Robeson 0.04 Rockingham 0.23 Rowan 0.06 Rutherford n/a Sampson 0.01 Scotland n/a Stokes n/a Surry 0.10 Swain 0.05 Transylvania 0.05 Tyrrell n/a Union 0.04 Vance 0.17 **Stanly 0.05** Wake 0.13 Warren 0.05 Washington n/a Watauga 0.57 Wayne 0.01 Wilkes 0.57 Wilson 0.04 Yadkin 0.01 **Yancey 0.57** 

#### **Key to Percentages:**

- All county percentages are taken from 2010 US Census Population Estimates.
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# **2011 Women's Giving Circle of Cumberland County Annual Scorecard** Highlighting Homelessness in Cumberland County, NC

Point In Time (PIT) Survey	2009 Total	2009 Unsheltered	2010 Total	2010 Unsheltered	2011 Total	2011 Unsheltered
Total Cumberland County	955	702	1033	739	1061	776
Homeless women without children	119	91	99	77	81	56
Homeless women with children	137	89	141	86	109	52
Total Women	256	180	240	163	190	108
Homeless children	399	267	344	188	357	225
Homeless victims of domestic violence	66	39	51	27	122	91
Homeless unaccompanied youth	17	17	n/a	n/a	22 (16 Boys/ 6 Girls)	22 (16 Boys/ 6 Girls)

**Sources:** North Carolina Coalition to End Homelessness, Point In Time (PIT) Data 2008-2011; County Population; Estimates from American Community Survey 2006-2010; US Census Bureau 2010 State & County Quick Facts. See Appendix B.



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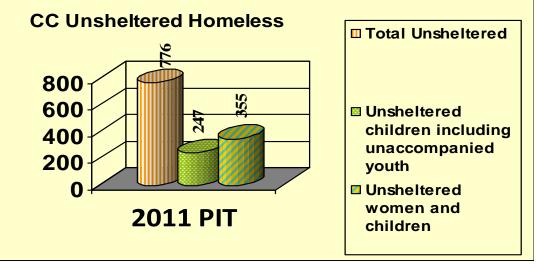
CC PIT Highlighting Women and Children	2008	2009	2010	2011	2010 - 2011 YOY % Change
Total Homeless	1074	965	1033	1061	+2.71
Women & Children	560	655	584	569	- 2.56
Children ( <u>Not</u> Including Unaccompanied Youth)	342	399	344	357	+3.78

31.8%

of **unsheltered** homeless in Cumberland County are children, <u>including</u> unaccompanied youth. (2011 PIT)

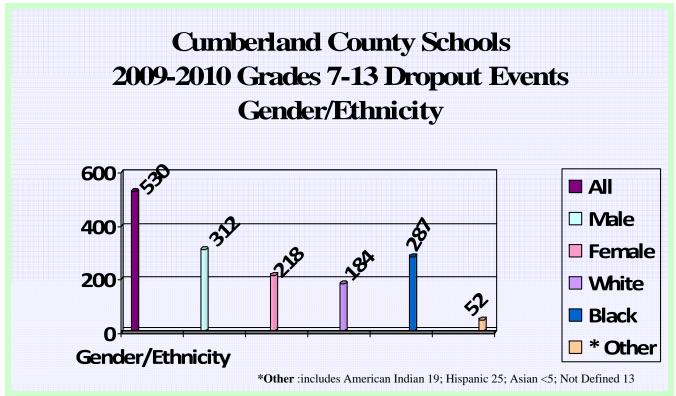
See Appendix B: Point-In-Time Count Explanation

45.7% of unsheltered homeless in Cumberland County are women and children, including unaccompanied youth. (2011 PIT)





# Highlighting Education in Cumberland County, NC



Cumberland County Schools received \$134,000 grant in 2010 for The Valued Youth Program which is a collaborative effort between Cumberland County Schools, Communities in Schools, and the Intercultural Development Research Association (IDRA). The primary purpose of this program is to transform at-risk youth by empowering them as Student Leaders. High School Student Leaders are trained as peer tutors and serve as volunteers in elementary classrooms.

#### **Cumberland County Schools**

2010 High School	Graduates by Gender
Male	1,627
Female	1,794
Total	3,421

# North Carolina Totals 2009-2010

Grades	Dropouts
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	Gender
Male	10,182
Female	6,951
Total	17,133

Sources: North Carolina Public School Statistical Profile 2010, Table 12 NC High School Graduates by Gender; <a href="http://www.ncpublicschools.org/dropout/grants/">http://www.ncpublicschools.org/dropout/grants/</a>;



# Women's Giving Circle of Cumberland County Annual Scorecard Highlighting Homelessness in Cumberland County, NC APPENDIX A

## **McKinney-Vento Definition of "Homeless"**

Subtitle B of Title VII of the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act (Title X, Part C, of the No Child Left Behind Act) defines "homeless" as follows:

The term "homeless children and youths"—

- (A) means individuals who lack a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence (within the meaning of section 103(a)(1)); and
- (B) includes--
- (i) children and youths who are sharing the housing of other persons due to loss of housing, economic
  hardship, or a similar reason; are living in motels, hotels, trailer parks, or camping grounds due to the lack of
  alternative adequate accommodations; are living in emergency or transitional shelters; are abandoned in
  hospitals; or are awaiting foster care placement;
- (ii) children and youths who have a primary nighttime residence that is a public or private place not designed for or ordinarily used as a regular sleeping accommodation for human beings (within the meaning of section 103(a)(2)(C));
- (iii) children and youths who are living in cars, parks, public spaces, abandoned buildings, substandard housing, bus or train stations, or similar settings; and
- **(iv)** migratory children (as such term is defined in section 1309 of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965) who qualify as homeless for the purposes of this subtitle because the children are living in circumstances described in clauses (i) through (iii).

Source: CCS Transition Times (Fall 2010); For more information on determining homelessness, visit <u>Determining Eligibility for Services Under McKinney-Vento</u>.



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## **Information Reported from PIT Count**

- <u>Purpose:</u> To understand the number and characteristics of people sleeping in shelters and the street, or in other places not meant for human habitation
- Required Data: Unduplicated ONE-NIGHT count of sheltered and unsheltered adults, children, and youth with Subpopulation information
- The following information is reported in PART1 of the Population and Subpopulations Chart in the McKinney-Vento application:
  - Counts of sheltered and unsheltered adults, children, and unaccompanied youth.
  - Unsheltered Homeless people- reside in places not meant for human habitation, such as cars, parks, sidewalks, abandoned buildings, on the street
  - Sheltered Homeless People reside in emergency shelter or transitional housing (including hotel or motel vouchers for homeless people)
  - Counts of the number of individuals, numbers of families and number of persons in families

Source: http://www.hud.gov/offices/cpd/homeless/library/webcast101006/point in time slides.pdf