

Percent of Medicare Eligible in North Carolina enrolled in MA Plans*, by County and Type of Plan March 2024

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Alamance	NC	Metro	34,361	73.6%	73.0%	0.0%	36.9%	36.1%
Alexander	NC	Metro	8,269	67.0%	66.5%	0.0%	43.8%	22.7%
Alleghany	NC	Rural	3,545	56.3%	55.8%	0.0%	17.3%	38.5%
Anson	NC	Metro	5,351	65.5%	64.9%	0.0%	33.5%	31.5%
Ashe	NC	Rural	8,153	47.2%	46.7%	0.0%	14.7%	32.0%
Avery	NC	Rural	4,793	48.9%	48.1%	0.7%	19.6%	27.8%
Beaufort	NC	Rural	13,494	53.2%	52.8%	0.0%	13.6%	39.2%
Bertie	NC	Rural	5,228	56.3%	55.8%	0.0%	18.4%	37.4%
Bladen	NC	Rural	7,789	66.7%	66.5%	0.0%	27.8%	38.6%
Brunswick	NC	Metro	58,324	43.4%	43.2%	0.0%	12.7%	30.5%
Buncombe	NC	Metro	61,807	50.4%	50.0%	0.4%	26.8%	22.8%
Burke	NC	Metro	21,273	64.8%	64.3%	0.0%	35.7%	28.6%
Cabarrus	NC	Metro	35,003	64.5%	64.1%	0.0%	41.0%	23.1%
Caldwell	NC	Metro	19,499	66.9%	66.5%	0.0%	36.5%	30.0%
Camden	NC	Metro	2,070	34.3%	33.5%	0.0%	2.0%	31.5%
Carteret	NC	Rural	20,084	40.0%	39.8%	0.0%	8.6%	31.2%
Caswell	NC	Rural	5,657	74.0%	73.3%	0.2%	41.4%	31.7%
Catawba	NC	Metro	34,907	61.4%	61.0%	0.2%	38.1%	22.8%
Chatham	NC	Metro	19,954	57.7%	57.2%	0.0%	23.5%	33.7%
Cherokee	NC	Rural	10,168	51.4%	51.0%	1.2%	13.2%	36.6%
Chowan	NC	Rural	4,100	44.9%	44.6%	0.0%	10.1%	34.5%
Clay	NC	Rural	4,343	44.3%	43.7%	0.0%	8.8%	35.0%
Cleveland	NC	Rural	23,174	62.3%	62.0%	0.0%	37.6%	24.3%
Columbus	NC	Rural	12,832	58.8%	58.4%	0.0%	22.2%	36.2%
Craven	NC	Rural	25,307	37.9%	37.7%	0.0%	5.4%	32.3%
Cumberland	NC	Metro	54,724	56.6%	56.2%	0.0%	29.2%	26.9%
Currituck	NC	Metro	6,157	32.5%	31.9%	0.0%	2.0%	29.8%
Dare	NC	Rural	10,027	26.2%	25.7%	0.0%	2.2%	23.5%
Davidson	NC	Metro	37,258	75.8%	75.3%	0.1%	49.0%	26.2%
Davie	NC	Metro	10,906	68.8%	68.2%	0.1%	45.7%	22.4%
Duplin	NC	Rural	10,533	56.1%	55.8%	0.0%	12.1%	43.7%

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Durham	NC	Metro	48,045	56.2%	55.9%	0.0%	29.6%	26.2%
Edgecombe	NC	Metro	12,281	63.4%	63.2%	0.0%	25.2%	38.0%
Forsyth	NC	Metro	74,807	71.1%	71.0%	0.1%	44.4%	26.5%
Franklin	NC	Metro	14,381	60.0%	59.6%	0.0%	25.8%	33.8%
Gaston	NC	Metro	44,664	65.4%	64.9%	0.2%	40.1%	24.6%
Gates	NC	Metro	2,543	44.4%	43.5%	0.7%	4.0%	38.8%
Graham	NC	Rural	2,195	56.3%	55.6%	0.0%	25.1%	30.5%
Granville	NC	Rural	11,962	60.7%	60.4%	0.0%	24.5%	35.9%
Greene	NC	Rural	3,807	59.3%	58.6%	0.0%	19.0%	39.6%
Guilford	NC	Metro	97,575	74.0%	73.6%	0.0%	41.4%	32.2%
Halifax	NC	Rural	13,009	61.5%	61.2%	0.0%	14.3%	46.9%
Harnett	NC	Rural	21,479	58.1%	57.8%	0.0%	18.0%	39.8%
Haywood	NC	Rural	18,185	54.3%	54.0%	0.0%	24.7%	29.3%
Henderson	NC	Metro	34,404	48.1%	47.8%	0.5%	27.8%	19.5%
Hertford	NC	Rural	5,319	55.7%	55.3%	0.0%	11.2%	44.2%
Hoke	NC	Metro	7,794	61.5%	60.9%	0.0%	22.3%	38.6%
Hyde	NC	Rural	1,272	53.2%	50.7%	0.0%	8.5%	42.2%
Iredell	NC	Metro	36,594	61.2%	60.9%	0.0%	39.7%	21.2%
Jackson	NC	Rural	8,915	50.1%	49.7%	0.0%	20.2%	29.5%
Johnston	NC	Metro	36,108	60.7%	60.5%	0.0%	31.5%	29.0%
Jones	NC	Rural	2,720	51.9%	51.6%	0.0%	7.8%	43.9%
Lee	NC	Rural	12,869	55.2%	54.4%	0.0%	21.5%	32.9%
Lenoir	NC	Rural	13,936	55.9%	55.7%	0.0%	9.1%	46.5%
Lincoln	NC	Metro	20,672	58.0%	57.5%	0.0%	36.9%	20.6%
McDowell	NC	Rural	11,615	62.5%	62.0%	0.0%	37.8%	24.2%
Macon	NC	Rural	11,991	45.2%	44.8%	0.0%	17.4%	27.4%
Madison	NC	Metro	5,909	56.7%	55.9%	0.6%	31.5%	23.8%
Martin	NC	Rural	6,269	57.4%	57.0%	0.0%	19.5%	37.5%
Mecklenburg	NC	Metro	143,837	58.8%	58.5%	0.0%	36.5%	21.9%
Mitchell	NC	Rural	4,413	55.8%	55.2%	0.0%	30.9%	24.3%
Montgomery	NC	Rural	6,243	63.8%	62.6%	0.0%	21.6%	41.0%

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Moore	NC	Metro	27,312	51.4%	51.2%	0.0%	22.2%	29.0%
Nash	NC	Metro	21,924	58.3%	58.0%	0.0%	25.5%	32.5%
New Hanover	NC	Metro	49,204	44.4%	44.0%	0.0%	18.4%	25.6%
Northampton	NC	Rural	5,357	58.0%	57.5%	0.0%	11.8%	45.8%
Onslow	NC	Metro	29,021	40.5%	40.3%	0.0%	6.0%	34.3%
Orange	NC	Metro	24,731	55.0%	54.6%	0.0%	20.5%	34.0%
Pamlico	NC	Rural	4,197	41.8%	41.4%	0.0%	5.8%	35.6%
Pasquotank	NC	Rural	8,771	44.1%	43.8%	0.0%	3.2%	40.6%
Pender	NC	Metro	14,019	51.7%	51.4%	0.0%	17.5%	33.9%
Perquimans	NC	Rural	4,081	40.5%	40.0%	0.0%	5.4%	34.6%
Person	NC	Metro	9,690	63.3%	62.9%	0.0%	34.2%	28.7%
Pitt	NC	Metro	31,362	56.0%	55.8%	0.0%	15.9%	39.9%
Polk	NC	Rural	6,750	42.3%	41.9%	0.0%	20.9%	21.0%
Randolph	NC	Metro	30,780	78.4%	78.0%	0.0%	45.3%	32.6%
Richmond	NC	Rural	9,974	63.4%	62.9%	0.0%	36.1%	26.9%
Robeson	NC	Rural	24,512	71.7%	71.4%	0.0%	19.0%	52.3%
Rockingham	NC	Metro	23,502	78.6%	78.3%	0.0%	45.7%	32.5%
Rowan	NC	Metro	30,824	69.3%	69.1%	0.1%	43.4%	25.6%
Rutherford	NC	Rural	16,334	58.6%	58.4%	0.0%	30.7%	27.7%
Sampson	NC	Rural	12,668	62.5%	62.3%	0.0%	18.0%	44.4%
Scotland	NC	Rural	7,866	67.3%	66.8%	0.3%	15.5%	51.0%
Stanly	NC	Rural	14,511	62.4%	62.1%	0.0%	34.9%	27.2%
Stokes	NC	Metro	11,619	76.1%	75.6%	0.0%	48.1%	27.5%
Surry	NC	Rural	18,068	70.3%	70.0%	0.0%	39.9%	30.1%
Swain	NC	Rural	3,741	43.8%	43.0%	0.0%	19.1%	23.9%
Transylvania	NC	Rural	10,366	50.9%	50.4%	0.0%	30.8%	19.6%
Tyrrell	NC	Rural	868	46.8%	42.6%	0.0%	5.8%	36.9%
Union	NC	Metro	36,670	55.5%	55.3%	0.0%	32.2%	23.1%
Vance	NC	Rural	10,110	68.1%	67.7%	0.0%	31.8%	35.9%
Wake	NC	Metro	157,937	55.9%	55.8%	0.0%	26.6%	29.2%
Warren	NC	Rural	5,149	62.1%	61.2%	0.0%	18.9%	42.3%

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Washington	NC	Rural	3,333	53.9%	53.3%	0.0%	8.4%	44.9%
Watauga	NC	Rural	9,517	50.2%	49.7%	0.5%	13.8%	35.4%
Wayne	NC	Metro	24,193	57.2%	56.9%	0.0%	23.7%	33.3%
Wilkes	NC	Rural	17,476	70.7%	70.3%	0.0%	46.4%	23.9%
Wilson	NC	Rural	17,476	57.5%	57.2%	0.0%	23.1%	34.0%
Yadkin	NC	Metro	8,994	75.9%	75.4%	0.0%	57.5%	17.8%
Yancey	NC	Rural	5,502	54.2%	53.3%	0.6%	29.1%	23.7%
Total***	NC		2,063,312	59.1%	58.7%	0.1%	29.2%	29.5%

*Excludes enrollment in any county/plan if the plan enrolls 10 or fewer enrollees in that county (restrictions on data released by CMS).

**Metropolitan counties are those that contain an urban area of 50,000 or more people. Rural counties contain no places with a population greater than 50,000.

***State totals do not include persons with pending county designations.

Source of Data: Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) data, as of March 2024.

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