

Perquimans County

Highlights from the 2022 NCACC Map Book



Demographics

2022 population	12,758
Projected change over next 20 years	-3%
2042 population projection	12,382
2022 Population Facts	
	County NC Rank¹
Median Age	47.0 39.6 15
Population Under 18	18% 21% 75
Population Age 65+	28% 18% 8
Veterans	12% 6% 5



Health and Wellbeing

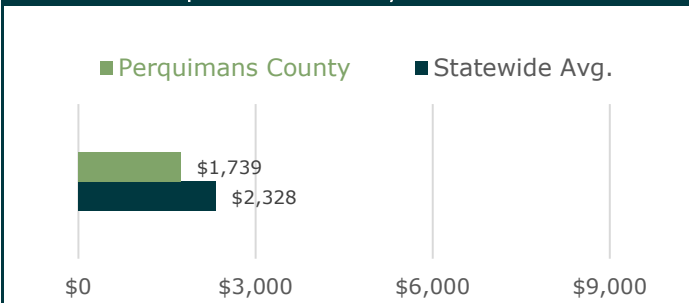
27% of residents are covered by Medicaid.(4)	13% of residents under 65 are uninsured.(2)	12% of households are food insecure.(3)
9 residents died from opioid poisoning in 2020.	2,235 residents were prescribed opioids in 2020.	



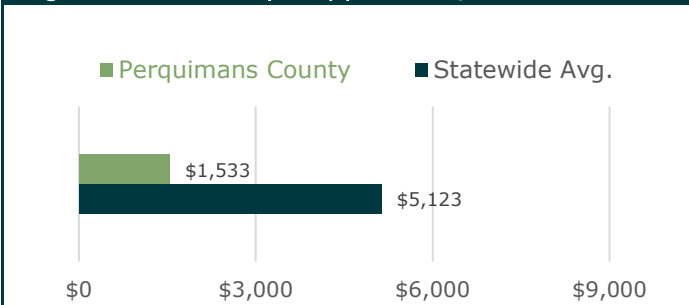
Education

75% of eligible children are enrolled in NC Pre-K.(4)	43% of adults 25-44 hold a post-secondary degree or credential. (5)	12% of residents age 16-24 are not in school or working.(2)
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Local K-12 \$ Per Student, FY 2020-21



Avg Teacher Salary Supplement, FY 2021-22



Economy and Taxes

	County	NC	Rank ¹
Income			
Per Capita Income (3)	\$44,402	\$50,305	33
Average Weekly Wage (4)	\$754	\$1,146	88
Children in Poverty (3)	26%	18%	29
Employment			
Unemployment Rate (May 2022)	4.3%	3.5%	25
Employed residents whose job is within the county (3)	38%	71%	90
Employed residents who commute by driving alone (3)	86%	71%	10
Access to Technology			
Households with broadband or satellite internet access (3)	63%	76%	73
Households with access to a computing device (3)	86%	91%	56
Local Taxes, FY 2021-22			
Property Tax Rate	0.6100	0.6072	67
Taxable property per capita (in thousands of dollars)	\$123.0	\$131.1	44
Property tax levy per capita	\$750	\$822	51
Sales tax rate (State + local)	6.75%	-	-

Notes: (1) A rank of 1 indicates the highest level or rate Statewide; a rank of 100 represents the lowest. (2) 2019 data; (3) 2020 data; (4) 2021 data; (5) 2018 data. For full notes and sources, or to download the Map Book or this fact sheet, visit www.ncacc.com/mapbook.