



Beaufort County

Highlights from the 2025 NCACC County Map Book

Demographics

43,904

County Population

-4.90%

Population Change Since 2015

Population Facts	County	NC	Rank*
Median Age	47.2	39.6	21
Population Under 18	18.8%	21.1%	64
Population 65+	27.1%	18.4%	21
Veteran Population	7.1%	6.0%	27

Economics and Taxation

Economics	County	NC	Rank*
Children in Poverty	30.5%	17.5%	85
Average Weekly Wage	\$1,036	\$1,358	35
Per Capita Income	\$57,387	\$61,839	26
Gross Domestic Product (GDP)	\$2,257.9 million	\$788.1 billion	54

Taxation	County	NC	Rank*
Property Tax Rate, FY 2024-25	0.4450	---	22
Property Tax Levy Per Capita	\$937	\$942	65
Property Tax Revenue Per Penny	\$657,827	---	53
Value Deferred Under Present Use Valuation	\$271.3 million	\$42.2 billion	57
Sales Tax Rate (State + Local)	6.75%	---	---

39.9%

of adults aged 25-44 hold a secondary degree or high-quality credential



11.5%

of adults aged 25-44 have less than a high school diploma

\$2,820

in K-12 current expense funding as estimated appropriation per student (ADM), as self-reported by the county

52.9%

of eligible children enrolled in the NC Pre-K Program

16.9%

of residents experience food insecurity

33.1%

of residents enrolled in "traditional" Medicaid coverage

20.0%

of residents participate in NC's Food and Nutrition Services (FNS) program



13.7%

of residents enrolled in Medicaid Expansion

79

emergency department visits for drug overdose

23

deaths due to overdose

78.2%

of households have at least one device to access the internet

84.6%

of households have a broadband internet subscription



*Additional county-level data, notes, and explanations about how each indicator is ranked are online at www.ncacc.org/mapbook or via the QR code. The digital PDF can be downloaded or you can email communications@ncacc.org to request a free spiral-bound book.

These data points are excerpted from the 2025 NCACC County Map Book and represent the most recent year available.