



# Haywood County

Highlights from the 2025 NCACC County Map Book

## Demographics

**64,805**

County Population

**+8.40%**

Population Change Since 2015

Population Facts	County	NC	Rank*
Median Age	47.8	39.6	18
Population Under 18	17.3%	21.1%	83
Population 65+	27.0%	18.4%	22
Veteran Population	7.6%	6.0%	22

## Economics and Taxation

Economics	County	NC	Rank*
Children in Poverty	17.3%	17.5%	31
Average Weekly Wage	\$954	\$1,358	75
Per Capita Income	\$53,755	\$61,839	32
Gross Domestic Product (GDP)	\$2,475.5 million	\$788.1 billion	49

Taxation	County	NC	Rank*
Property Tax Rate, FY 2024-25	0.5500	---	42
Property Tax Levy Per Capita	\$875	\$942	56
Property Tax Revenue Per Penny	\$1,030,749	---	41
Value Deferred Under Present Use Valuation	\$370.0 million	\$42.2 billion	39
Sales Tax Rate (State + Local)	7.00%	---	---

**49.0%**

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



**9.1%**

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

**\$2,582**

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

**50.0%**

of eligible children enrolled in the NC Pre-K Program

**15.1%**

of residents experience food insecurity

**27.9%**

of residents enrolled in "traditional" Medicaid coverage

**12.7%**

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



**11.8%**

of residents enrolled in Medicaid Expansion

**57**

emergency department visits for drug overdose

**77.8%**

of households have at least one device to access the internet

**34**

deaths due to overdose

**82.9%**

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](http://www.ncacc.org/mapbook) or via the QR code. The digital PDF can be downloaded or you can email [communications@ncacc.org](mailto: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.