NORTH CAROLINA UNDERSERVED UPDATE

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Uninsured

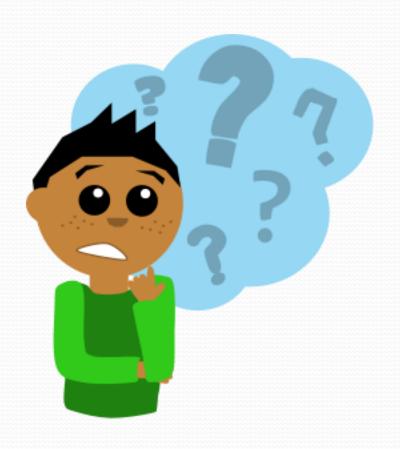
- 1.58 million uninsured in 2012
- 1.509 million uninsured in 2013
 - That is a 15.5% decrease in 2013
 - 357,584 has signed up in early 2014
 - 492,000 have signed up in 2015
- North carolina has not expanded medicaid which could help decrease the uninsured
- Delay in getting health when polled
 - Can't afford it
 - Deductible are too high
 - Immigration status

PITT COUNTY

Pitt County	NUMBER I IN COUNTY	NUMBER IN NORTH CAROLINA
Unemployment	8.1%	8.0%
Uninsured	19%	19%
High school gradutes	73%	81%
Single parent homes	45%	36%
Patient: PCP	1,009:1	1448:1
Mental Health	297:1	472:1
Children in poverty	31%	25%

North Carolina – County health ranking 2015

Solutions?



REFERENCES

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