#### Composition of Zipcode 27610

Category	Zip Code
2010 Population	66,422
2010 Households	22,602
2010 Group Quarters	3,078

#### Missionscape: Cultural Bridges

NOTES:

Cultural Bridge	#HHIds	%HHIds
Home Personal Computer-HH Own	14,967	66%
McDonald's	12,276	54%
Watching Diet (Health/Weight)-Presently	11,901	53%
Controlling Diet		
Reading Books	11,404	50%
Urban Contemporary	10,941	48%
Non-Presc-For Regular Headaches	10,575	47%
Heartburn/Indigestion Aids/Anti-Nausea-Use	10,093	45%

## Getting Informed

More zip information may be found on the MissionalCorps.org website and more specific data for each lifestyle segment may be accessed at the BCNC Missional Resources web page.

# Getting Involved

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number of households, and the percent of the zip code. Communities are comprised of multiple lifestyle segments. The Lifestyle Summary identifies the top six lifestyle segments in the zip code, the number of

households, percent of the zip code households, and the percent of households that are unreached. Lifestyle Segments are individual groups of people with similar living preferences and patterns

The Communities Summary identifies the top three types of communities in the zip code, the

The numbers in the Evangelscape communicate the most compelling reasons why this community needs churches and believers to intercede in missional prayer and activity. This community needs eternal transformation that only comes by way of the gospel and the working of the Holy Spirit.

Churchscape indicators reveal a snapshot of the extent of evangelical presence in the focus community.

Location Composition: Listed are the total number of people and the total number of households in the county.

Cultural bridges are those characteristics that could be used to build relationships with people in the lifestyle group. Various activities, interests, or opinions represented among the consumer behavior characteristics of the lifestyle group offer ways for believers to build relationships with people in the lifestyle group and through that relationship impact them for Christ.

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### **MISSIONAL ZIPCODE DIGEST**

#### Zipcode 27610 Community Types

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Rev. 5:9

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worthy to take the scroll

and to open its seals,

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because you

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and nation."



Households: 12,892 Percent: 57.04%



Households: 8,312 Percent: 36.78%



Households: 664 Percent: 2.94%





Young, ambitious and culturally diverse, they are the evolving voice of American society. In Aspiring Communities, truth is centered around "me" and everything is interconnected. The majority of people in this group are between the ages of 18 - 34. Sixty percent are renting singles; others live on military bases or in college dorms. Members of Aspiring Communities are four times more likely to be unemployed. Of those who work, most live in or conveniently close to metropolitan areas.

#### Urban Communities

The people are poor, struggling and largely single. Some are single parents with large families; most have below-average incomes. Unemployment is double the national average. For the African-American and Hispanic families in Urban Communities, struggling to balance priorities and budgets in a climate of institutional prejudice creates a lack of stability and control. Residing within major metropolitan cities and towns, most households live in apartments.

#### Mainstay Communities

The backbone of small towns and second cities, Mainstay Communities are established neighborhoods where residents enjoy strong relational ties. These moderately educated wage earners are employed in well-paying blue collar and professional service jobs. The aging adult population consists of retired American singles and couples. A sense of belonging within the community is a key identity factor for those who live there. Residents go into the city to visit clubs and malls.



(74% Unreached)

#### Top Lifestyle Segments in Zipcode 27610



**Minority Metro Communities** 

Minority Metro Communities reflects the nation's growing African-American middle class. With nearly three-quarters of the residents African-American and half the households earning more than \$50,000, this cluster is a testament to high educational achievement and professional employment among African-Americans. Concentrated in inner-ring suburbs, these households earn above-average incomes from a mix of service industry and white-collar jobs.

Households: 12,234 Percent: 54.13%



#### African-American Neighborhoods (70% Unreached)

Young, working-class city dwellers make up African-American Neighborhoods. About three-quarters of the households are African-American and one in four adults is under 35 years old. This is an economically challenged area characterized by relatively high unemployment, low educational levels and single-parent families. A majority of residents have completed high school or some college, and most are earning their paychecks through jobs in health, education and food service.

Households: 5,744 Percent: 25.41%



Struggling City Centers

#### (68% Unreached)

Struggling City Centers consists of very low-income households living in city neighborhoods. Home to the highest concentration of African-Americans in the nation-nearly 90 percent of all households-the cluster faces hard economic challenges. One-third of households haven't finished high school, with a similar percentage containing single-parent families. One in five adults are under 35 years old and the median household income is only half the national average.

Households: 1,766 Percent: 7.81%

## **Urban Blues**

While many residents in this cluster may be singing the Urban Blues, the tune probably has a Latin beat. More than three-quarters of all households in this segment are Hispanic-roughly six times the U.S. average. They tend to be mostly young singles, families and single parents living in urban areas primarily in the Southwest. Their schooling is modest and their unemployment rate is more than twice the national average.

#### Getting By

Getting By stands at the bottom rung of the socioeconomic ladder, a financially challenged cluster of young high school-educated and mainly African-American households where the median income is lowest in the nation. Much of the housing consists of older rowhouses and low-rise apartments worth less than half the national average. Located in dense neighborhoods, these single and single-parent minority households struggle with high unemployment and low paying jobs.

### Aspiring Hispania

(67% Unreached)

(64% Unreached)

(76% Unreached)

A cluster of urban gateway communities, Aspiring Hispania is the first stop for many relatively young Hispanics striving for better lives in America. More than half the residents are Hispanic and split fairly evenly between married and single households. Many of these newcomers have large families and feel squeezed between high rents and lower-middle-class incomes. With their modest educations-more than one-guarter have not completed high school.



Households: 598 Percent: 2.65%



Households: 380 Percent: 1.68%

### Evangelscape: Spiritual Indicators

SPIRITUALITY INDICATOR	ZIP HHLDS	ZIP %
Unreached	16,231	71.81%
Religious but NOT Evangelical	6,461	28.59%
Spiritual but NOT Evangelical	1,211	5.36%
Non-Evangelical but NOT Interested	8,658	38.31%

#### Churchscape: Religious Indicators

SPIRITUALITY INDICATOR	ZIP	ZIP %
Active Evangelical HHlds	2,397	10.60%
Inactive Evangelical HHIds	3,974	17.58%



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Households: 624 Percent: 2.76%