Composition of Zipcode 28203

Category Zip Code 2010 Population 11,780 2010 Households 6,108 2010 Group Quarters 280

Missionscape: Cultural Bridges				
Cultural Bridge	#HHIds	%HHIds		
Home Personal Computer-HH Own	4,563	75%		
Reading Books	3,601	59%		
HH Uses Computer For Internet/E-mail	3,521	58%		
McDonald's	3,199	52%		
Watching Diet (Health/Weight)-Presently	3,184	52%		
Controlling Diet				
Non-Presc-For Regular Headaches	2,934	48%		
Movies-Genre-Action/Adventure	2,709	44%		

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

To learn more about this location, please contact Shirley Sells (ssells@ncbaptist.org).

The Communities Summary identifies the top three types of communities in the zip code, the 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 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 28203 Community Types

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Rev. 5:9

And they sang a new

song, saying: "You are

worthy to take the scroll

and to open its seals,

slain, and with your

blood you purchased

for God persons from

language and people

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and

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every

and nation."



Households: 2,236 Percent: 36.61%

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.



Households: 2,201 Percent: 36.03%

Households: 1,513 Percent: 24.77%

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.

Upscale Communities

As the wealthiest households in the nation, upscale communities boast high household incomes, significant home values and top educational achievements. Households in these exclusive suburban neighborhoods are headed by predominantly white, college educated, Baby Boom parents. Most adults work as executives and white collar professionals. They are active members of the community in business clubs, environmental groups and the arts.





Top Lifestyle Segments in Zipcode 28203



Young Cosmopolitans

(78% Unreached)

Young Cosmopolitans is a collection of households where many adults are under 35 years old, single and earning above average incomes as white-collar professionals, managers and executives. In their fast-growing cities- including a number of college towns-these upscale young people live in luxury apartments and condos, commuting to work in sporty subcompacts. Nearly half hold college degrees, and they are almost twice the average for grad degrees.

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.



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Households: 528 Percent: 8.64%



Households: 1,060 Percent: 17.35%

Households: 571

Percent: 9.35%

Households: 1,846

Percent: 30.22%

Getting By

(76% Unreached)

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.

Minority Metro Communities

(74% Unreached)

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: 355 Percent: 5.81%



Metro Beginnings

(74% Unreached)

Married couples with children would feel lonely in Metro Beginnings. No cluster has a higher proportion of one-person households, and most residents live in apartments filled with under-45-year-old singles, divorced men and women, and solo-parent families. In their diverse inner-city neighborhoods-Hispanics and African Americans make up more than half the populace-households struggle against high unemployment, low educational levels and low incomes.

Dream Weavers

(72% Unreached)

Dream Weavers is home to well-off families living an affluent, suburban version of the American Dream. Ranked second in terms of wealth, they live in new-money subdivisions, possess high incomes, have college degrees and own large houses valued at more than twice the national average. Many households contain families with school-aged children-no segment has a higher rate of married residents-and more than half contain dual-income couples.



Households: 331 Percent: 5.42%

Evangelscape: Spiritual Indicators

SPIRITUALITY INDICATOR	ZIP HHLDS	ZIP %
Unreached	4,591	75.16%
Religious but NOT Evangelical	1,334	21.83%
Spiritual but NOT Evangelical	639	10.47%
Non-Evangelical but NOT Interested	2,647	43.34%

Churchscape: Religious Indicators

SPIRITUALITY INDICATOR	ZIP	ZIP %
Active Evangelical HHlds	666	10.90%
Inactive Evangelical HHlds	851	13.94%