HEALTH SCIENCES,
HEALTH INFORMATION MANAGEMENT, B.S. TO
HEALTH ADMINISTRATION,
M.H.A. ACCELERATED PROGRAM

Saint Louis University's accelerated Bachelor of Science in Health Science with a Health Information Management Concentration to Master of Health Administration (M.H.A.) is designed for students who demonstrate academic success in health information management and related coursework.

Saint Louis University's Health Information Management Program blends the study of medical sciences, information technology, legal concepts and health care management.

Students in SLU's Health Information Management Program learn the nuances of health care delivery, health care data, health information technology, and medical-legal aspects of health care. This knowledge establishes a strong foundation for students interested in pursuing a Master of Health Administration.

Students apply to the accelerated program during their junior year, and accepted students begin graduate coursework during their senior year. Students retain undergraduate status, financial aid and tuition rates until their undergraduate degree is conferred after year four. At that time, students attain official graduate student status, pay graduate tuition and become eligible for graduate assistantships.

For additional information see the catalog entries for the following programs:

Health Sciences, B..S., Health Information Management (https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/health-sciences/clinical-health-sciences/health-sciences-bs/)

Health Administration, M.H.A.

Accreditation

SLU's B.S. in health information management is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation for Health Informatics and Information Management Education.

The Master of Health Administration is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Management Education.

Requirements

Eligibility requirements for SLU's include:

- Students must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.40.
- Students must be in good academic and disciplinary standing with Saint Louis University and the Doisy College of Health Sciences.
- Students must be in their fifth semester of collegiate study on the health information management to the M.H.A. accelerated track and apply to the SLU M.H.A. program.

- Students must be eligible to complete the accelerated curriculum with no more than 15 credits during each semester during year four of the program.
- After completing 75 credits, students will apply for SLU's M.H.A. program. If admitted, these students will begin their M.H.A. program in their fourth year.
- After successfully completing the first year of the M.H.A. coursework, the student will be awarded the B.S. in health information management degree and continue in the M.H.A. program.

Please note that the SLU M.H.A. program is competitive. Enrollment in the accelerated health information management to M.H.A. 3+2 track does not guarantee admission to the SLU M.H.A. program.

Roadmap

Roadmaps are recommended semester-by-semester plans of study for programs and assume full-time enrollment unless otherwise noted.

Courses and milestones designated as critical (marked with !) must be completed in the semester listed to ensure a timely graduation. Transfer credit may change the roadmap.

This roadmap should not be used in the place of regular academic advising appointments. All students are encouraged to meet with their advisor/mentor each semester. Requirements, course availability and sequencing are subject to change.

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Anatomy & Physiology I and Anatomy & Physiology I Lab

Spring
HCE 2010 or PHIL 2050
Foundations in Clinical Health Care Ethics or Ethics
HIM 3600
HIM Theory and Practice Laboratory
HSCI 2100
Health Care Management
HSCI 3400 & HSCI 3410
Anatomy and Physiology Lecture II and Anatomy & Physiology II Lab
THEO 1000
Theological Foundations
XXXX
Elective

Year Three
Fall
BTM 2500
Data Modeling, Analysis and Visualization
HIM 4510
Health Care Financial Management
HSCI 3700
Research Methods
HSCI 4100
Healthcare Technology and Informatics
XXXX
Social Science Elective
2XXX
Philosophy or Theology Elective

Spring
HIM 3400
Coding and Classification Systems
HIM 4400
Clinical Data Analytics
HIM 4530
Professional Practice
HIM 4950
Senior Seminar
HSCI 4700
Quality Management and Performance Improvement

Health Administration, M.H.A.

Course
Year One
Fall
HMP 5000
Health Care Organization
HMP 5030
Introduction to Health Care Accounting
HMP 5300
Management of Health Care Organizations
HMP 5500
Health Policy
HMP 5900
Health Management and Policy Rounds
PUBH 5010
Mission and Practice of Global Public Health

Spring
HMP 5190
Analytical Methods for Health Management
HMP 5200
Health Economics
HMP 5110
Health Operations Management
HMP 5700
Health Care Financial Management
HMP 5900
Health Management and Policy Rounds

Summer
HMP 5910
HMP Internship

Year Two
Fall
HMP 5130
Health Information Systems
HMP 5390
Ethical Leadership in Health Management and Policy
HMP 5400
Legal Aspects of Health Services Management
HMP 5900
Health Management and Policy Rounds

Elective

Credits
18

Credits
16

Credits
15

Total Credits
60

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