

HEALTH ADMINISTRATION

Program Information

The Master of Health Administration (M.H.A.) is a two-year, lock-step program with a summer internship between the first and second years. Small class size permits individual attention and guidance from faculty members. The program prepares qualified individuals motivated by a social mission and responsibility to the community for various management positions in the health services industry. Organizations seek individuals who have the ability to solve business problems and build strategic relationships in a climate of continuous change.

The UF M.H.A. program develops engaged early health care careerists to use evidence-based strategies to improve healthcare quality, affordability, and access. We provide students with fundamental knowledge using a cohort model in a campus-based setting that emphasizes experiential learning and data-driven problem solving both in the classroom and in the practice environment. Students will develop proficiency to detect, analyze, manage and respond to critical administrative issues in both provider and non-provider healthcare organizations. Our program embraces ethical conduct and professionalism, diversity and inclusion, practitioner involvement and team-based learning. Faculty inform practice with research and service to the community.

Applicants from any undergraduate major are considered. For more information about our program, please see our website: <http://hsrmp.php.ufl.edu/academic-programs/master-of-health-administration> (<http://hsrmp.php.ufl.edu/academic-programs/master-of-health-administration/>).

Degrees Offered

Degrees Offered with a Major in Health Administration

- Master of Health Administration

Requirements for these degrees are given in the Graduate Degrees (<http://gradcatalog.ufl.edu/graduate/degrees/>) section of this catalog.

Courses

Health Administration Program Courses

Code	Title	Credits
HSA 5174	Fundamentals of Health Care Finance	3
HSA 6105	Professional Skills Seminar	1
HSA 6114	Health Care System and Policy	3
HSA 6115	Introduction to Management of Health Services Organizations	3
HSA 6126	U.S. Health Insurance System	3
HSA 6152	Overview of U.S. Health Policy	3
HSA 6177	Advanced Health Care Finance	3
HSA 6188	Strategic Management in Health Administration	3
HSA 6196	Healthcare Data Analytics II	3
HSA 6198	Information Management in Health Administration	3
HSA 6342	Human Resource Management for Health Services Managers	3
HSA 6385	Performance Management for Health Care Managers	3

HSA 6427	Legal and Ethical Issues in Health Administration	3
HSA 6436	Health Economics	3
HSA 6855	Internship in Health Administration	5
HSA 6905	Individual Study in Health Administration	1-3
HSA 6939	Capstone Seminar in Health Administration	3

Health Services Research, Management, and Policy Departmental Courses

Code	Title	Credits
HSA 5174	Fundamentals of Health Care Finance	3
HSA 6105	Professional Skills Seminar	1
HSA 6114	Health Care System and Policy	3
HSA 6115	Introduction to Management of Health Services Organizations	3
HSA 6126	U.S. Health Insurance System	3
HSA 6152	Overview of U.S. Health Policy	3
HSA 6177	Advanced Health Care Finance	3
HSA 6188	Strategic Management in Health Administration	3
HSA 6196	Healthcare Data Analytics II	3
HSA 6198	Information Management in Health Administration	3
HSA 6342	Human Resource Management for Health Services Managers	3
HSA 6385	Performance Management for Health Care Managers	3
HSA 6395	Healthcare Data Analytics I	3
HSA 6427	Legal and Ethical Issues in Health Administration	3
HSA 6436	Health Economics	3
HSA 6855	Internship in Health Administration	5
HSA 6905	Individual Study in Health Administration	1-3
HSA 6910	Supervised Research	1-5
HSA 6911	Research Seminar in Health Services Research	1
HSA 6930	Special Topics in Health Services Administration	1-3
HSA 6939	Capstone Seminar in Health Administration	3
HSA 6940	Supervised Teaching	1-5
HSA 7106	Seminar in Health Care Access and Utilization	3
HSA 7116	Health Services Organizational Research	3
HSA 7157	Research Foundations of Health Policy	3
HSA 7437	Advanced Health Economics	3
HSA 7707	Health Services Research Methods I	3
HSA 7708	Health Services Research Methods II	3
HSA 7759	Quality and Outcomes in Health Services Research	3
HSA 7905	Advanced Individual Study in Health Services Research	1-3
HSA 7936	Seminar in Health Care Costs and Financing	3
HSA 7938	Advanced Seminar in Health Services Research	3
HSA 7979	Advanced Research	1-4
HSA 7980	Research for Doctoral Dissertation	1-15

College of Public Health and Health Professions Courses

Code	Title	Credits
GEY 5935	Topics in Gerontology	3
GEY 6220	Overview of Geriatric Care Management	3
GEY 6306	Interpersonal Communication Within the Aging Network	3
GEY 6646	Issues and Concepts in Gerontology	3
GEY 6936	Professional Development in Gerontology/ Geriatrics	1-2
HSC 6905	Independent Study	1-3
HSC 6910	Supervised Research	1-5
HSC 6940	Supervised Teaching	1-5
PHC 6053	Regression Methods for the Health and Life Sciences	3
PHC 6120	Community Assessment and Partnerships	3
PHC 6193	Qualitative Data Analysis	3
PHC 6195	Health information for Diverse Populations: Theory & Methods	3
PHC 6316	Health, Risk, and Crisis Communication	3
PHC 6447	Ecology of HIV/Aids in the Rural South	3
PHC 6607	Critical Issues in Public Health	1
PHC 6917	Supervised Research Project	1-6
PHC 6945	Public Health Practicum	1-6
PHC 6946	Public Health Internship	1-9
PHC 7587	Theory Development and Testing in Behavioral & Community Public Health	2
PHC 7752	Seminar in Instrument Development for Public Health	2
PHC 7907	Social and Behavioral Science Journal Club	1
RCS 6036	Or to Forensic Vt P	3
RCS 6601	Forensic Rehabilitation Consultation I	3
RCS 6602	Forensic Rehabilitation Consultation II	3
RSD 6110	Rehabilitation Science Theory and Application I	3
RSD 6905	Individual Work	1-4
RSD 6910	Supervised Research	1-5
RSD 6930	Special Topics in Rehabilitation Science	1-4
RSD 6940	Supervised Teaching	1-3
RSD 7979	Advanced Research	1-12
RSD 7980	Research for Doctoral Dissertation	1-15

Student Learning Outcomes

Health Administration (MHA)

SLO 1 Knowledge and Skill

Students will apply in-depth knowledge and skill in the healthcare delivery, organization, and financing, and management

SLO 2 Skills

Students will exhibit mastery of a set of 16 competencies in 4 domains (healthcare environment and community; healthcare organizations and performance; business analysis and techniques; leadership and professionalism)

SLO 3 Professional Behavior

Students will gain experience in healthcare management and develop professional behavior skills in a summer internship