Bachelor’s Degree Program
Technical Management
Specialization: Health Information Management

ABOUT THIS DEGREE PROGRAM

For those with prior college education or professional experience, the bachelor’s degree in Technical Management at DeVry University can help advance your career in many business areas and industries, such as finance, accounting, operations, marketing or project management. With qualifying college credits, you may be able to earn your bachelor’s degree in less time.

Professionals in industry and education from across the country contribute to help develop the curriculum for our degree programs. Our program can help you develop critical communication and interpersonal skills, as well as teach you key business concepts and tactics. As a student, you can address real business issues taken from the boardrooms and offices of Fortune 500 companies.

To further advance your business career, you can benefit from selecting a business specialization that can expand your knowledge for the specific career path you choose to pursue.

Specializations offered within the Technical Management degree program:
- Accounting
- Business Information Systems
- Criminal Justice
- Finance
- Health Information Management
- Health Services Management
- Hospitality Management
- Human Resource Management
- Operations Management
- Project Management
- Sales and Marketing
- Security Management
- Small Business Management and Entrepreneurship
- Sustainability Management
- Technical Communication

Those with prior work or educational experience may also want to consider our Management degree program, which is available with many of the same specializations.

GENERAL EDUCATION COURSEWORK

At DeVry University, we believe in the value of a comprehensive education. This means broadening your knowledge and skill sets beyond the area of your degree program, to prepare you to succeed in today’s diverse and evolving workplace.

From day one, you can learn important analytical and communication skills, such as problem-solving, reasoning and analysis, academic and professional writing, and mathematics and statistics skills. These skills can better equip you to work across cultures and understand a wide range of concepts that influence your area of study.

General Education Coursework:
- Communication Skills
- Humanities
- Mathematics
- Natural Sciences
- Personal and Professional Development
- Social Sciences

Note: DeVry’s academic catalog, available via www.devry.edu/uscatalog, contains the most current and detailed program information, including graduation requirements.

CORE-DEGREE COURSEWORK

All of these courses:
- BIS-155 Data Analysis with Spreadsheets with Lab
- BUSN-115 Introduction to Business and Technology
- COMP-100 Computer Applications for Business with Lab
- MGMT-303 Principles of Management
- MGMT-404 Project Management

2-3 of these courses:
- ACCT-212 Financial Accounting
- ACCT-344 Cost Accounting
- ACCT-346 Managerial Accounting
- BIS-245 Database Essentials for Business with Lab
- BUSN-319 Marketing
- BUSN-379 Finance
- ECOM-210 Fundamentals of E-Commerce

1 of these courses:
- BUSN-412 Business Policy
- BUSN-420 Business Law
- BUSN-427 Global Issues in Business
- MGMT-340 Business Systems Analysis
- MGMT-410 Human Resource Management

7-8 of these courses:

These electives are chosen through academic advising, from courses different from those used to meet any other graduation requirement. They may be selected from courses listed in the academic catalog, provided prerequisites are satisfied.

SPECIALIZATION PREREQUISITE

To enroll in any Health Information Management specialization courses, students must hold a DeVry-approved associate degree in health information technology.
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DeVry University’s Bachelor’s degree in Technical Management can help prepare you for the workplace with a solid business foundation. Our specialization in Health Information Management can further focus your studies and help equip you for the career you want to pursue.

Health care continues to be one of the most critical, vibrant and fast-growing sectors of the U.S. economy. Management of health information is increasingly important to improve outcomes and streamline and rationalize the nation’s mammoth healthcare system.

Our Health Information Management specialization coursework covers such areas as advanced classification systems, data security and privacy management. Our curriculum can help you become familiar with information systems and health policy, to prepare you for a career in a variety of healthcare outlets, including hospitals, doctors’ offices, nursing care facilities, outpatient care centers and home healthcare services.

Graduates of DeVry University’s Technical Management program with a specialization in Health Information Management may consider careers including:
- Compliance Auditor/Officer
- Healthcare Administrator
- Healthcare Data Analyst
- Health Informatics Specialist
- Health Records Equipment/Software Sales
- Management Consultant
- Medical Records Supervisor
- Patient Account Manager

According to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, employment of medical and health services managers is expected to grow by 16 percent between 2008 and 2018, faster than the average for all occupations. According to their Occupational Outlook Handbook, “the healthcare industry will continue to expand and diversify, requiring managers to help ensure smooth business operations.”

KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS

HEALTHCARE DATA SECURITY AND PRIVACY² — Learn the processes, procedures and equipment required for data storage, retrieval and retention while understanding the laws, rules and regulations that govern access to confidential healthcare information

HEALTHCARE FUNCTIONS AND SERVICES² — Study the principles, application, availability and analysis of health management functions including health data development, staffing, operations and project management. Learn how to optimize the quality of care while remaining in compliance with laws and regulations.

HEALTHCARE FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT²— Examine cost/benefit analysis and managerial accounting within the context of healthcare finance and resource management. Compare capital, operating and other budgeting consideration against a variety of organizational goals.

HEALTHCARE STATISTICS AND RESEARCH²— Apply statistical analysis tools, epidemiological principles and biomedical research methodologies and protocols to health information management processes and cases.

ADMINISTRATION AND MANAGEMENT³— Understand business and management principles involved in strategic planning, resource allocation, human resources modeling, leadership technique, production methods, and coordination of people and resources.

COMPLIANCE EVALUATION³ — Use relevant information and individual judgment to determine that events or processes comply with laws, regulations or standards.

CAREER-FOCUSED COURSEWORK

HEALTHCARE DATA SECURITY AND PRIVACY²
HIM335 Health Information Systems and Networks with Lab
HIM335 Advanced Classification Systems and Management with Lab
HIM370 Healthcare Data Security and Privacy
HIM410 Health Information Financial Management
HIM420 Healthcare Total Quality Management
HIM435 Management of Health Information Functions and Services
HIM460 Health Information Management Practicum
MATH-325 Healthcare Statistics and Research

HEALTHCARE FUNCTIONS AND SERVICES²
HIM335 Health Information Systems and Networks with Lab
HIM335 Advanced Classification Systems and Management with Lab
HIM370 Healthcare Data Security and Privacy
HIM410 Health Information Financial Management
HIM420 Healthcare Total Quality Management
HIM435 Management of Health Information Functions and Services
HIM460 Health Information Management Practicum
MATH-325 Healthcare Statistics and Research

HEALTHCARE FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT²
BUSN-460 Senior Project

HEALTHCARE STATISTICS AND RESEARCH²
BUSN-462 Senior Project I
BUSN-463 Senior Project II

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The Health Information Technology associate degree program at DeVry University is accredited online, and at several onsite locations (see academic catalog for locations), by the Commission on Accreditation for Health Informatics and Information Management Education (CAHIIM), www.cahiim.org. The most recent information on the status of CAHIIM accreditation of a location’s program is available from the location and at www.devry.edu.

Graduating from a CAHIIM-accredited program offers employers assurance that you have the expected professional knowledge and skills and have experienced a curriculum that is relevant to today’s electronic health record environment. Completion of a CAHIIM-accredited program is an eligibility requirement for graduates to take the AHIMA professional HIM Certification Exam.

²DeVry University, on the internet at www.devry.edu/degree-programs/college-business-management/health-information-management-about.jsp.

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