

# HEALTHCARE ADMINISTRATION

Specialization: General Option



## ABOUT THIS DEGREE PROGRAM

### DIGITAL HEALTH CORE

DeVry University's Digital Health Core program is designed to help students develop a set of interdisciplinary skills for today's rapidly evolving health information field. Courses explore principles used throughout the healthcare ecosystem and provide students hands-on experience working with industry-standard software systems.

### IS THIS PROGRAM FOR YOU?

This program is designed to prepare you for administration roles in the healthcare industry and helps you develop the knowledge and skills to support healthcare organizations be more effective in providing care to patients. When you pursue the General Option, you can choose a mix of courses that match your professional interests or apply eligible credits from your prior education or relevant work experience.

### A PROGRAM TO FUEL YOUR FUTURE

This specialization can help prepare you to play an important role in areas such as healthcare policy, managed care, insurance, information systems and finance to prepare you to impact patient care and healthcare delivery. This specialization also allows you to choose a mix of courses that match your professional interests.

## CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Graduates of DeVry's Healthcare Administration program with a specialization in Healthcare Management may consider, but are not limited to, the following careers:

- Medical and Health Services Managers
- Technical Program Manager
- Program Coordinator
- Customer Service Manager
- Financial Planning & Analysis Manager
- Office Manager

## WHAT YOU'LL LEARN

### ESSENTIALS

- Communicate methods and findings
- Solve complex problems
- Apply appropriate technologies
- Collaborate in a dynamic work environment
- Analyze financial and business-related data

### DIGITAL HEALTH CORE

- Learn medical terminology to read and understand medical documentation
- Review medical data to ensure quality and integrity
- Audit records to ensure compliance with standards
- Examine legal and regulatory issues in healthcare
- Study US healthcare delivery systems and processes
- Explore healthcare reimbursement and payment methodologies

### PROGRAM

- Analyze, design and implement practical approaches to solve and prevent business problems in healthcare settings
- Sustain a working understanding of evolving issues in the healthcare industry
- Collaborate with others to deliver professional healthcare services in diverse work environments
- Apply project management and business analysis principles
- Communicate effectively both orally and in writing

## QUICK FACTS

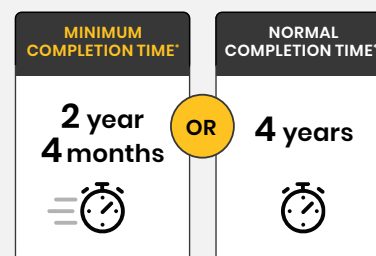
**121**  
CREDIT HOURS  
minimum credit hours  
required for graduation

**28%**  
GROWTH  
nationally from 2022-2032 for employment  
of Medical and Health Services Managers<sup>1</sup>

## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

### ACHE HIGHER EDUCATION NETWORK

Our Bachelor's in Healthcare Administration Degree Program has been designated as a participant in the American College of Healthcare Executives (ACHE) Higher Education Network (HEN). With this designation, learners in this program can access resources and tools that enhance networking opportunities, access to continuing education, and exposure to current healthcare management issues.



## ACCELERATE ON YOUR SCHEDULE

Choose the schedule that best fits your goals and commitments. You can earn your **Bachelor's Degree** in as few as **2 years 4 months.\***

Or, follow a normal schedule and complete your program in 4 years.\*\*

\* Minimum completion time does not include breaks and assumes 3 semesters of year-round, full-time enrollment in 14-20 credit hours a semester per 12-month period.

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## ESSENTIALS

### COMMUNICATION SKILLS

ENGL112	Composition
ENGL135	Advanced Composition
SPCH275	Public Speaking

### HUMANITIES

ETHC445	Principles of Ethics
LAS432	Technology, Society, and Culture

### SOCIAL SCIENCES

ECON312	Principles of Economics
SOCS18	Culture and Society

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SOCS325	Environmental Sociology

### MATHEMATICS AND NATURAL SCIENCES

BIOS105	Fundamentals of Human Anatomy and Physiology
MATH114	Algebra for College Students
MATH221	Statistics for Decision-Making

### PERSONAL AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

CARD205	Career Development
HIT101	Professional Skills for Healthcare

**47**  
CREDIT HOURS

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HIT111	Basic Medical Terminology
HIT125	Electronic Health Records and Digital Health
HIT223	Medical Ethics, Compliance and Patient Privacy
HIT235	Health Insurance Billing and Reimbursement

**12**  
CREDIT HOURS

## PROGRAM

### PROGRAM FOCUS

ACCT212	Financial Accounting
ACCT360	Managerial Accounting
BIAM110	Introduction to Business Analytics
BUSN115	Introduction to Business and Technology
HSM210	Medical Office Administration
HSM310	Introduction to Health Services Management
HSM320	Health Rights and Responsibilities
HSM330	Health Services Information Systems
HSM340	Health Services Finance
HSM420	Managed Care and Health Insurance
MGMT303	Principles of Management
MGMT404	Project Management

**47**  
CREDIT HOURS

### SENIOR PROJECT

BUSN460	Senior Project
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## SPECIALIZED

Students select applicable courses from the College of Engineering & Information Sciences, College of Business & Management and College of Health Sciences provided prerequisites are met or with approval from the appropriate academic administrator.

The following suggested courses ensure students meet prerequisites:

ACCT304	Intermediate Accounting I
BUSN379	Finance
BUSN412	Business Policy
HRM320	Employment Law

**15**  
CREDIT HOURS

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