About This Degree Program

As the healthcare system strives to provide more efficient and effective care, electronic recording and access to patient information has become a major industry goal.

Our curriculum is based on current associate degree entry-level competencies outlined by the American Health Information Management Association (AHIMA). You can learn how to capture digital health information using current coding and chart management software, in addition to having the opportunity to get hands-on, real world experience during two practicums.

Through our TechPath approach, we've put technology at the core of our programs in business, tech and health – including this program. Every TechPath class you take revolves around a unique learning rubric developed at DeVry. We call it People-Process-Data-Devices or P2D2. You’ll gain real skills in collaboration, be able to adapt to new structures, and be comfortable working with data and a wide spectrum of tech-forward tools. P2D2 is a key component of what makes TechPath a smart, new way of getting the knowledge you need to be ready to hit the ground running in the way successful companies work today.

General Education Coursework

Communication Skills
- ENGL112 Composition
- ENGL138 Advanced Composition
- ENGL216 Technical Writing
- SPCR127 Public Speaking

Humanities
- HUMN303 Introduction to the Humanities
- ETHC445 Principles of Ethics
- LAS432 Technology, Society, and Culture

Social Sciences
- ECON312 Principles of Economics
- SOCSC15 Culture and Society
- SOCSC325 Environmental Sociology

Mathematics and Natural Sciences
- BIOS315 Foundations in Biology and Chemistry with Lab
- MATH114 Algebra for College Students
- MATH211 Statistics for Decision-Making

Personal and Professional Development
- CARD405 Career Development
- COLL148 Critical Thinking and Problem-Solving

Core-Degree Coursework

Business and Technology
- ACCT212 Financial Accounting
- ACCT346 Managerial Accounting
- BIS185 Data Analysis with Spreadsheets with Lab
- BIS245 Database Essentials for Business with Lab
- BUSN115 Introduction to Business and Technology
- BUSN278 Budgeting and Forecasting
- BUSN350 Business Analysis
- COMPI00 Computer Applications for Business with Lab
- MGMT303 Principles of Management
- MGMT404 Project Management

Health Services
- HSM310 Introduction to Health Services Management
- HSM320 Health Rights and Responsibilities
- HSM330 Health Services Information Systems
- HSM340 Health Services Finance
- HSM410 Healthcare Policy
- HSM420 Managed Care and Health Insurance

Senior Project
- BUSN460 Senior Project

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ABOUT THIS SPECIALIZATION

DeVry University’s bachelor’s degree program in Healthcare Administration can help prepare you for the dynamic field of healthcare.

The healthcare field needs professionals to help improve the quality and efficiency of healthcare, while controlling costs. Healthcare managers may oversee the computerization of patients’ records and ensure the information is secure, recruit new employees, implement new technologies, facilitate changes in healthcare regulations and help evolve new models of patient care.

DeVry University’s Healthcare Management specialization has a strong emphasis on health services, coupled with fundamental business and management courses designed to help you adapt and succeed when faced with ever changing workplace challenges. Specializing in Healthcare Management at DeVry University can support and advance your commitment to serving others with the knowledge and ability to be effective in a variety of roles.

Our Healthcare Management specialization can help prepare you to play an important role in areas such as healthcare policy, managed care, insurance, information systems or finance.

Graduates of DeVry University’s Healthcare Administration degree program with a specialization in Healthcare Management may consider careers including, but not limited to, the following:

- Administrative Service Manager
- Admissions Coordinator
- Assistant Administrator
- Business Office Supervisor
- Clinical Administrative Coordinator
- Health Services Manager
- Healthcare Administrators
- Medical Office Manager
- Medical Services Manager
- Office Manager – Home Care

Employment in some occupations may require years of relevant experience.

DeVry’s Healthcare Administration program is not designed to prepare graduates for nursing home, assisted living facility, long-term care or home care administration positions. Students interested in practicing a regulated profession must contact the appropriate state regulatory agency for certification or licensure requirements. For instance, in Virginia certain educational and training requirements must be satisfied for initial nursing home administrator licensure or initial assisted living facility administrator licensure; DeVry’s program does not satisfy the educational and/or training requirements.

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HEALTH SERVICES MANAGEMENT — Understand the unique characteristics of U.S. healthcare systems and key trends, major system components and their interrelationships, and internal and external influences on delivery of services and healthcare professions.

HEALTH SERVICES INFORMATION SYSTEMS — Apply hardware and software options for managing patient records, insurance and billing data, and developing and maintaining health services information systems.

MANAGED CARE AND HEALTH INSURANCE — Explore health insurance products and managed-care approaches to the financing and delivery of healthcare services in the U.S.

HEALTH RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES — Become familiar with legal and ethical issues of healthcare services with understanding of legal relationships among providers, payers and patients, and issues of professional liability.

HEALTH SERVICES FINANCE — Gain an understanding of healthcare costs and expenditures.

HEALTHCARE POLICY — Study political, social, economic, and technological influences that underlie U.S. policy-making processes as well as cultural values and beliefs regarding health.

MARKETING — Study general marketing principles and strategies, understanding of how market information and product life cycle affect product and production design, forecasting techniques, interdependencies between marketing and operations functions, and selling skills.

HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT — Learn concepts and techniques essential to managing corporate human resources including planning, staffing, and rewards, as well as developing and maintaining positions and people.

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PROGRAM-SPECIFIC COURSEWORK

- Healthcare Management
  - BUSN319 Marketing
  - HIM335 Health Information Systems and Networks with Lab
  - HIM370 Healthcare Data Security and Privacy
  - HIM410 Health Information Financial Management
  - MGMT440 Human Resource Management