

Bachelor of Science

Health Information Management

Our CAHIIM-accredited program will prepare you for a rewarding career in a rapidly growing sector of the healthcare industry!

The Bachelor of Science (B.S.) in Health Information Management (HIM) prepares individuals for:

- Self-directed practice in the evolving discipline of HIM
- Continuing growth in the field of HIM
- Formal graduate study

The curriculum is a synthesis of content from information technology, advanced computer technology, business and management, biomedical sciences, healthcare organization and delivery, and information and data management.

Program Highlights:

- 100% ONLINE
 - Remote sessions with course instructors when needed
- Annual Fall admission
- No admission exam
- Earn your RHIA in 18 months (after completion of prerequisite courses)
- Accredited by the Commission on Accreditation for Health Informatics and Information Management Education (CAHIIM)

Admission Requirements:

- Cumulative GPA > 2.6
- Completion of prerequisite courses with a minimum grade of "C" in each
- Submission of a Health Information Management application

Additional Requirements Upon Program Admission:

- Evidence of a clear criminal background check
- Evidence of a negative drug screen
- History and physical examination prior to professional practice experience
- Evidence of immunization compliance prior to professional practice experience.

Academic Good Standing Requirements:

Students in the HIM program are required to maintain a GPA \ge 2.5 on HIM major courses and no grade lower than a "C". One repeat is allowed on any one major course, with no more than three repeats total.



Prerequisite Courses

BIO 101 - General Biology <u>OR</u> CHE 101 - General Chemistry
BIO 234 - Anatomy and Physiology I
BIO 235 - Anatomy and Physiology II
BIO 260 - Microbiology
COM 101 - Public Speaking <u>OR</u> COM 202 - Interpersonal Communication ENG 101 - Composition ENG 102 - Research and Composition ENG 211 - World Literature I
MAT 131 - College Algebra
PED Physical Education/ Activity Course

HIS 101 - World History I <u>AND</u> HIS 102 - World History II <u>OR</u> *
HIS 102 - U.S. History I <u>AND</u> HIS 202 - U.S. History II
Fine Art Elective: <i>Music, Art,</i> or Theater Appreciation MHL 101 <u>OR</u> ART 200 <u>OR</u> THE 135
PHI 201 - Philosophy <u>OR</u> ENG Literature <u>OR</u> PHI 250 - Logic

PSY 201 - General Psychology

PSY 351 - Introduction to Psychology Statistics[†] <u>OR</u> BUS 216 - Business Statistics[†] <u>OR</u> HAE 313 - Statistics for Healthcare Professionals[†] REL 101 - Introduction to the Old Testament REL 102 - Introduction to the New Testament SOC 101 - Introduction to Sociology

*Histories must be in same sequence.

[†]If a 3-hour course is chosen, another one-hour credit is required for degree completion.

Total Prerequisite Credit Hours = 60

Program of Study

Fall (1 st term)	Winter (2 nd term)	Spring (3 rd term)	Summer (4 th term)
HIM 310 – Medical Terminology (3 hrs.)	HIM 313 – Fundamentals of Diseases (4 hrs.)	HIM 316 – Analysis of Healthcare Data (4 hrs.)	HIM 405 = Financial Management (4 hrs.)
HIM 311 – Foundations of Health Information Management (4 hrs.)	HIM 314 – Introduction to Healthcare Statistics (3 hrs.)	HIM 317 – Diagnostic and Procedural Coding (5 hrs.)	HIM 406 – Legal Aspects of Health Information and Risk Management (3 hrs.)
HIM 312 – Advanced Healthcare Computer Applications (4 hrs.)	HIM 315 – Health Data Content and Structure (4 hrs.)		HIM 407 – Electronic Health Record and Computer Application (3 hrs.)
Total Hours = 11	Total Hours = 11	Total Hours = 9	Total Hours = 10
Fall (5 th term)	Winter (6 th term)		
HIM 401 – Supervisory Management for Healthcare Professionals (3 hrs.)	HIM 409 – Professional Development Seminar (3 hrs.)	Total HIM Program Credit Hours = 60	Total Credit Hours for Degree Completion = 120
HIM 402 – Quality Evaluation and Management (4 hrs.)	HIM410 – Professional Practice Experience (6 hrs.)		
HIM 408 – Healthcare Information Networks and System (3 hrs.)			
Total Hours = 10	Total Hours = 9	GET MORE INFO	APPLY HERE

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