Managing the Business of Health and Healthcare

Business is booming in American healthcare, and Health Administrators are on the front lines.

Outstanding Preparation

The **Bachelor of Health Administration** degree from Governors State University is designed to take you from an introductory understanding of health administration to a comprehensive background in the vital aspects of health and healthcare management.

Coursework covers diverse topics from ethics and politics in healthcare, to institutional management and healthcare law. You'll learn informatics, healthcare economics, statistics, human resource management and healthcare planning.

With this degree, you will be ready to enter the challenging field of health administration and meet the demands of a new career.

Affordable Education

Grounded in the idea that an education should be accessible to those with the ability and desire to succeed, Governors State University has fought hard to maintain low tuition without sacrificing the academic and professional quality of its programs. The result is an affordable education that allows you to reach your goals with a minimum of student debt.

Assurance of Quality

The **Bachelor of Health Administration** program is fully certified by the Association of University Programs in Health Administration (AUPHA). As a member of AUPHA, the college's undergraduate program is recognized as one of the premier health administration programs in North America.

Accessible Programs

With jobs, careers and families demanding your time, the Health Administration degree and certificate programs can be completed on a part or full-time basis. Manage your education on your terms. Live your life, meet your responsibilities and move ahead in your career.

Learn More!

Take the next step. For information about how to apply to the Bachelor of Health Administration degree program, visit us at <u>www.govst.edu/chhs/dha/bha</u>. For program information, contact Dr. Rupert Evans at <u>revans@govst.edu</u>.

FACT

Healthcare expenditures grew five percent in 2008-2009. As of 2008, 16.2 percent of the GDP was spent on healthcare. The health share of the nation's GDP is expected to reach 19.3 percent by 2019.* (*Source: National Center for Health Statistics Health, United States*)



Bachelor of Health Administration

College of Health & Human Services

Admission Requirements

- Have a GPA of 2.5 or higher on a 4.0 scale.
- Admitting occurs three times a year. Completed applications must be received by June 15 for the fall term; October 15 for the spring term; and March 15 for the summer term.
- A mandatory criminal background check must be completed by all students prior to the start of internship. Conviction of a felony or any attempt to commit a felony will preclude eligibility for internship and completion of the program.

Degree Requirements

Students must meet all university requirements for a bachelor's degree.

All required courses and the upper-division selectives must be completed with a grade of "C" or better, and successful completion of 150 hours field experience.

In addition, all students must complete a pre-graduation survey.

- I. General Education Requirement (37-41 Hours)
- II. Health Administration Application (54 Hours)
- HLAD 3101 Introduction to Health Care Management Strategies (3)
- HLAD 3102 Principles of Health Care Microeconomics (3)
- HLAD 3103 Basics of Health Care Informatics (3)
- HLAD 3104 Health Care Statistics (3)
- HLAD 3105 Health Care Organization (3)
- HLAD 3106 Introduction to Epidemiology (3)
- HLAD 3107 Medical Sociology (3)
- HLAD 3108 Policy and Politics in Healthcare (3)
- HLAD 3109 Ethics in Healthcare Administration (3)
- HLAD 4101 Health Care Organizational Behavior (3)
- HLAD 4103 Legal Aspects of Health Care (3)
- HLAD 4104 Health Care Economics (3)
- HLAD 4105 Management in Health Care Setting (3)
- HLAD 4106 Health Care Accounting (3)
- HLAD 4107 Health Care Human Resource Management (3)
- HLAD 4108 Health Planning (3)
- HLAD 4901 Institutional Management for Health Care Organizations (3)
- HLAD 4001 Special Topics in Health Administration (3)
- HLAD 4099 Health Administration Practicum (3)

Electives (25-29 Hours)

The following courses are suggested for Health Administration majors for their broadening and deepening competencies:

HLAD 5101 Introduction to Long-Term Care (3)

HLAD 5102 Nursing Home Administration (3)

Total Required – 120 Hours

Governors State University is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools. This information is for reference only. For complete degree information, please refer to the current approved Governors State University catalog online at www.govst.edu/catalog.

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