

Bachelor of Science in Health Management (Competency Based-DA)



Approx. program length:

Credits:

120

Cost per credit:

\$NA

Tuition Guarantee

Format:

Online

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Enter your health management career with a direct-assessment Bachelor of Science in Health Management that you can earn faster – and for less. Develop skills and knowledge needed for a management career in the healthcare industry— preparing you to manage the business and regulatory needs of a healthcare organization.

What are Direct Assessment Programs?

Top skills learned in this program:

- Compliance
- Finance
- Management
- Technology

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Projected job growth:

28%

According to [Bureau of Labor Statistics](#)

What can you do with a Bachelor of Science in Health Management degree?

A BS in Health Management can help prepare you to be a:

- Office manager
- Practice manager
- Program manager
- Health manager

According to the [Bureau of Labor Statistics](#), job growth for medical and health services managers is projected to be much faster than average between 2021 and 2031.

BLS projections are not specific to University of Phoenix students or graduates.

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Total credits required:

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Requirements and prerequisites

In a competency-based program, you earn competency units by demonstrating your knowledge of a core skill, or competency. Since there are 120 competency units in this program, one competency equals one unit.

12 Core courses + 4 Elective Core courses

Here's where you'll pick up the bulk of your program-specific knowledge. By the time you finish these courses, you should have the confidence and skills needed in a healthcare environment.

- HCSDA/321: Business Communication for Health Care Managers
- HCSDA/325: Health Care Management
- HCSDA/341: Human Resources in Health Care
- HCSDA/370: Organizational Behavior
- HCSDA/412: Project Management for Health Care Professionals
- HCSDA/335: Health Care Ethics and Social Responsibility
- HCSDA/487: Technology and Systems Approach for Health Care Managers
- HCSDA/493: Data Analytics for Health Care Managers
- HCSDA/468: Regulatory and Compliance within the Health Care Industry
- HCSDA/472: Marketing in the Health Care Industry
- HCSDA/385: Health Care Finance
- HCSDA/498: Strategic Decision Making for Health Care Managers
- HCSDA/120: Medical Terminology for Health Care Professionals
- HCSDA/235: Health Care Delivery in the U. S.
- HCISDA/140: Fundamentals of Electronic Health Records
- HCSDA/451: Health Care Quality Management and Outcomes Analysis

15 General Education courses

These courses lay the foundation for all our degree programs. Because communication, math and writing skills aren't just universally applicable in healthcare – they're also useful in daily life.

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- GENDA/201: Foundations for University Success
- PSYDA/110: Psychology of Learning
- ENGDA/110: English Composition I
- HUMDA/115: Critical Thinking in Everyday Life
- FPDA/100: Everyday Economics and Finances
- ENGDA/210: English Composition II
- SOCD/110: Teamwork, Collaboration, and Conflict Resolution
- SCIDA/163: Elements of Health and Wellness
- SCIDA/220: Human Nutrition
- HUMDA/186: Media Influences on American Culture
- SOCD/100: Introduction to Sociology
- RELDA/134: World Religious Traditions II
- RELDA/133: World Religious Traditions I
- MTHDA/215: Quantitative Reasoning I
- MTHDA/216: Quantitative Reasoning II

9 Elective courses

Elective courses allow you to learn about topics you're interested in. That means you'll have a degree that's unique to you and your education goals.

- PSYDA/250: Psychology of Personality
- ETHDA/120: Cultural Diversity in the United States
- COMMDA/110: Introduction to Oral Communication
- SOCD/262: Contemporary American Society
- ETHDA/316: Ethics and Social Responsibility
- SCIDA/256: People, Science and the Environment
- HCSDA/131: Business Communication Skills for Health Care Professionals
- HCSDA/457: Public and Community Health
- HCSDA/465: Health Care Research Utilization

Schedule

Your academic counselor will help schedule your courses for a Bachelor of Science in Health Management (Direct Assessment).

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What you'll learn

When you earn your online bachelor's in health care management, you'll be equipped with a concrete set of skills you can apply on the job.

Topics covered in this degree include:

- Evaluate financial strategies related to the management of healthcare organizations.
- Examine regulatory guidelines that impact the healthcare industry.
- Assess technology factors that impact the healthcare industry.
- Analyze management principles and strategies within healthcare organizations.