

## PROGRAM BREAKDOWN

### Master of Science in Healthcare Management

#### MASTER'S DEGREE IN HEALTHCARE MANAGEMENT BECOME A MANAGER THAT EVERYONE WILL LOOK UP TO

Have you ever wondered if it's possible to bring together the best business practices and the best healthcare practices, all under one roof? You no longer have to wonder, because at Atlantis University, this is possible. You better believe it! **The Master's Degree in Healthcare Management** is designed to instruct you in the most advanced theories of the current healthcare management environment.

First, we'll provide you with a solid business foundation with a series of business-oriented classes. Then, we'll enhance those analytical and technological skills that you've developed by applying these concepts to real-world scenarios within the healthcare industry.

The end result is this. Once you graduate from this program, you'll be prepared to design and execute quality improvement initiatives in any kind of healthcare organization. Whether your goal is to become a manager, administrator, consultant, or any other leadership position, this degree will be a step in the right direction.

#### THE OBJECTIVES

- To transform students into decision-makers who can confidently manage projects and supervise teams in their workplaces.
- To provide healthcare professionals with an opportunity to develop their leadership skills and strengthen their credentials

#### THE JOB PROSPECTS

According to the US Bureau of Labor Statistics, careers in Medical and Healthcare Management are hot and in-demand right now! With over 400,000 jobs and a projected increase of 32% over the next few years, the outlook is great. And if that wasn't enough to convince you, then try this one on for size: the average median pay for Healthcare Managers is over \$100,000 per year. That sounds pretty sweet, right?

#### EDUCATION LEVELS

##### BACHELOR'S DEGREE

The **Master's Degree in Healthcare Management** balances advanced healthcare practices with comprehensive business management techniques. The goal is to equip students with practical tools and experiences that will allow them to lead teams in a fast-paced environment. All while maintaining a holistic, empathetic approach to patient care.

In order to graduate, students will take courses in Leadership, HR Fundamentals, Healthcare Ethics, Financial Management, and more. The degree culminates with two specialized assignments: a Community Health Assessment Research Project and a Healthcare Management Capstone Project.

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(36 Graduate Level Semester Credit Hours – Estimated Completion Time 20 months)

**Students enrolled in the Masters of Science in Healthcare Management must complete the following for graduation:**

- 15 credits from the core course
- 18 credits from the technical courses.
- 3 credits for the final capstone project.
- Complete the three (3) co-requisite courses.

COURSE NUMBER	COURSE NAME	CREDIT HOURS
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Core Courses (15 credits)

MHS 510	Leadership and Organizational Behavior	3 credit hours
MHS 520	Human Resources Management	3 credit hours
MHS 530	Principles of Healthcare Financial Management	3 credit hours
MHS 540	Legal & Ethical Consideration in Care Coordination	3 credit hours
MHS 550	Community Health	3 credit hours

Technical Courses - 18 Credits

Public Health Procedures and Methods (9 Credits Required)

HSA 520	Special Topics in the US Healthcare System	3 credit hours
HSA 581	Public Health Administration	3 credit hours
HSA 635	Methods of Health Care Negotiations & Conflicts Resolution	3 credit hours

Health Informatics (9 Credits Required):

HSA 625	Healthcare Informatics and Technology	3 credit hours
HSA 565	MS for Healthcare Management	3 credit hours
HSA 630	Healthcare Data Management and Analytics	3 credit hours

Final Research Project – 3 credits

HSA 699	Capstone Project	3 credit hours
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**Degree requirements (3 co-requisite course):** All students must complete the three co-requisite courses as part of the requirement for graduation.

LIS 400	Information Resources for Academic and Professional Success	0 credit hours
LIS 500	Scholarly Writing and Research Strategies	0 credit hours
LIS 700	Research Methodology	0 credit hours