



Twin Cities Campus

Health Care Administration M.H.A.

School of Public Health - Adm

School of Public Health

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- Program Type: Master's
- Requirements for this program are current for Fall 2018
- Length of program in credits: 42 to 60
- This program requires summer semesters for timely completion.
- Degree: Master of Healthcare Administration

Along with the program-specific requirements listed below, please read the [General Information](#) section of the catalog website for requirements that apply to all major fields.

The full-time master of healthcare administration (M.H.A.) program is appropriate for applicants with limited or no healthcare work experience, or individuals who wish to make a career change from industries other than health care. Now ranked second in the nation by U.S. News & World Report, the program is accredited by the CAHME.

The program's consistently high rankings are a reflection of many factors--an outstanding faculty of researchers and practitioners, location in one of the nation's centers of healthcare innovation, an extraordinary alumni association, and a track record of educating outstanding leaders for the healthcare industries.

Accreditation

This program is accredited by Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Management Education (CAHME)

Program Delivery

This program is available:

- via classroom (the majority of instruction is face-to-face)

Prerequisites for Admission

The preferred undergraduate GPA for admittance to the program is 3.00.

Other requirements to be completed before admission:

Full-time program applicants should have a strong commitment to managing people and resources to create and sustain outstanding healthcare services and organizations. Strong quantitative and communication skills are essential; prior experience in health care is not required.

Visit SPH for detailed application requirements at www.sph.umn.edu

Special Application Requirements:

For the executive program: At least three years of management or clinical leadership experience in a healthcare organization is required. The program reserves the right to require the Graduate Record Examination (GRE) or the Graduate Management Admission Test (GMAT) as a part of the admissions process.

For the full-time program: To prepare for the program's rigorous curriculum, the faculty highly recommends the following coursework prior to matriculation:

- Statistics
- Accounting
- Microeconomics
- Finance

Applicants must submit their test score(s) from the following:

- GRE



- General Test - Verbal Reasoning: 150
- General Test - Quantitative Reasoning: 150
- General Test - Analytical Writing: 3.5
- GMAT
 - Total score: 500

International applicants must submit score(s) from one of the following tests:

- TOEFL
 - Internet Based - Total Score: 100
 - Paper Based - Total Score: 600
- IELTS
 - Total Score: 7
- MELAB
 - Final score: 80

Key to [test abbreviations](#) (GRE, GMAT, TOEFL, IELTS, MELAB).

For an online application or for more information about graduate education admissions, see the [General Information](#) section of the catalog website.

Program Requirements

Plan C: Plan C requires 42 to 60 major credits and up to null credits outside the major. The final exam is oral. A capstone project is required.

Capstone Project: Please see website for information: www.sph.umn.edu

This program may be completed with a minor.

Use of 4xxx courses towards program requirements is not permitted.

A minimum GPA of 3.00 is required for students to remain in good standing.

At least 4 semesters must be completed before filing a Degree Program Form.

Required Courses

- [PUBH 6560](#) - Operations Research and Quality in Health Care (3.0 cr)
- [PUBH 6556](#) - Health and Health Systems (3.0 cr)
- [PUBH 6541](#) - Statistics for Health Management Decision Making (3.0 cr)
- [PUBH 6562](#) - Information Technology in Health Care (2.0 cr)
- [PUBH 6535](#) - Managerial Accounting for Health Services (3.0 cr)
- [PUBH 6547](#) - Health Care Human Resources Management (2.0 cr)
- [PUBH 6557](#) - Health Finance I (3.0 cr)
- [PUBH 6555](#) - Health Economics (2.0 cr)
- [PUBH 6558](#) - Health Finance II (3.0 cr)
- [PUBH 6565](#) - Innovation of Healthcare Services (2.0 cr)
- [PUBH 6568](#) - Interprofessional Teamwork in Health Care (2.0 cr)
- [PUBH 6564](#) - Private Purchasers of Health Care: Roles of Employers and Health Plans in U.S. Health Care System (2.0 cr)
- [PUBH 6553](#) - Health Care Management Ethics (1.0 cr)
- [PUBH 6596](#) - Legal Considerations in Health Services Organizations (2.0 cr)

Advanced Problem Solving or New Product Design (Full-time MHA students only)

Students choose between the full-time or executive MHA program. 42 credits are required for the Executive MHA program, and 60 required for the full-time program. Students in the full-time program have the option of choosing the Advanced Problem Solving or New Product Design EMPHASIS with the consent of their adviser.

Executive MHA

The Executive MHA is specifically designed for practicing executives, physicians, and other healthcare professionals seeking to advance their management and leadership capabilities. This is a 42-credit, 25-month program.

- [PUBH 7565](#) - Innovation of Healthcare Services (2.0 cr)
- [PUBH 7556](#) - Health and Health Systems (2.0 cr)
- [PUBH 7551](#) - Principles of Management in Health Services Organizations (2.0 cr)
- [PUBH 7535](#) ~~(Inactive)~~ (3.0 cr)
- [PUBH 7566](#) - Executive Capstone in Healthcare Leadership (2.0 cr)
- [PUBH 7536](#) ~~(Inactive)~~ (3.0 cr)



PUBH 7576 - Legal Considerations in Health Services Organizations (2.0 cr)
PUBH 7568 - Interdisciplinary Teamwork in Health Care (2.0 cr)
PUBH 7569 - Health Care Policy (1.0 cr)
PUBH 7541 - Statistics for Health Management Decision Making (3.0 cr)
PUBH 7537 - Healthcare Finance (3.0 cr)
PUBH 7564 - Private Purchasers of Health Care (2.0 cr)
PUBH 7547 - Health Care Human Resource Management (2.0 cr)
PUBH 7555 - Health Economics (2.0 cr)
PUBH 7562 - Information Technology in Health Care (2.0 cr)
PUBH 7571 - Organizational Integration in Health Care Delivery (2.0 cr)
PUBH 7572 - Health Care Strategies in Competitive Markets (2.0 cr)
PUBH 7573 - Managing the Embedded Medical Practice (2.0 cr)
PUBH 7553 - Health Care Management Ethics (1.0 cr)
PUBH 6570 - Healthcare Administration (1.0 - 4.0 cr)

-OR-

Full-time MHA

This program is appropriate for applicants with limited or no healthcare work experience or individuals who wish to make a career change. This is a 60-credit, two-year program.

Year 1: An Introduction to Healthcare Administration

PUBH 6544 - Principles of Problem Solving in Health Services Organizations (3.0 cr)

PUBH 7596 - Clerkship in Health Care Administration (2.0 cr)

Electives (2-4 cr) - can take up to 4 elective credits during Year I

Year II: Advanced Courses and Specialization in Healthcare Administration

PUBH 6832 - Economics of the Health Care System (3.0 cr)

PUBH 6568 - Interprofessional Teamwork in Health Care (2.0 cr)

ENTR 6041 - Initiating New Product Design and Business Development (4.0 cr)

PUBH 6554 - Healthcare Strategy and Marketing (2.0 cr)

PUBH 6727 - Health Leadership and Effecting Change (2.0 cr)

Electives (2-4 cr) - can take up to 4 elective credits during Year II

ENTR 6041 - Initiating New Product Design and Business Development (4.0 cr)

or PUBH 6577 (2 cr) Advanced Problem Solving.

Joint- or Dual-degree Coursework: Master of Healthcare Administration (MHA) and Master of Business Administration (MBA) Student may take a total of 24 credits in common among the academic programs.

Program Sub-plans

A sub-plan is not required for this program.

Students may not complete the program with more than one sub-plan.

Online/Executive MHA Program

Saudi Arabia