

# MASTER OF Healthcare Management (MHCM)



## OVERVIEW

Take your knowledge of the healthcare industry to the next level with a Master of Healthcare Management from AIU®. At AIU you can learn to look at the healthcare industry as leaders and top executives do. Our multi-disciplinary curriculum is specifically designed to better prepare students who want to take on more responsibility in this complex and ever-changing industry.

### CURRICULUM INCLUDES

AIU's Master of Healthcare Management program is designed for busy professionals. You won't just study advanced topics in healthcare, you'll get a comprehensive, holistic understanding of how the healthcare industry works. This intensive 48-credit program covers global, historical, organizational and operational perspectives across multiple disciplines such as law, marketing, business, government, finance, accounting, ethics and technology.

- **Healthcare Administration** offers students an overview of the healthcare delivery system in the United States. Topics include composition, function, and interrelationships of organizations and professional groups within the system.
- **Healthcare Leadership and Management** examines topics such as strategic planning, organizational design and change, departmental interaction, team building, operational budgets and ethics in healthcare.
- **Healthcare Strategies** focuses on planning and strategic development of healthcare organizations.
- **Capstone—Strategic Management for Healthcare** gives students the opportunity to apply knowledge they've learned throughout the program. During this course the class will analyze situations and develop strategies that address issues with multiple stakeholders while abiding by the governing principles of healthcare management derived from the program.

## COURSEWORK

AIU Business  
Degree

Programs are  
programmatically  
accredited by  
the Accreditation  
Council for Business Schools  
and Programs (ACBSP).



### WHY AIU?

AIU is serious about helping busy professionals get where they deserve to be. Our graduate programs are taught by industry specialists who bring real-world perspectives into the classroom and will work with you one-on-one when you need it.

At AIU we help you balance a busy career and your education with flexible schedules. Plus, you can study, check assignments and view grades at work, home or even on your commute with 24/7 access and one centralized login.



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The AIU Master of Healthcare Management is a highly-focused degree program that allows students to study healthcare management at an advanced level.

## INDUSTRY-FOCUSED CURRICULUM

Students will get an opportunity to work through challenging scenarios common to healthcare-related organizations such as hospitals, nursing homes, insurance companies and government agencies. By studying advanced topics in healthcare management, students can learn a comprehensive core of specialized knowledge and skills needed for healthcare management.

## TAUGHT BY INDUSTRY SPECIALISTS

AIU's MHCM program is taught by a team of industry

specialists who bring their real-world perspectives into the classroom. This approach can help students better understand the qualities and skills sought in today's fast-changing healthcare industry.

## ABOUT THE ACCREDITATION COUNCIL FOR BUSINESS SCHOOLS AND PROGRAMS (ACBSP)

The ACBSP accreditation means that AIU's Business degree programs meet the rigorous standards of this leading accreditation association. It helps ensure that what we teach is industry-current and industry-relevant in today's business environment and can make your degree more meaningful in the marketplace.



## OUTCOMES

### WE CAN HELP YOU LEARN HOW TO:

- Develop organizational and operational plans to solve problems and improve the healthcare environment and performance
- Recognize, evaluate and manage potential ethical and legal conflicts
- Use knowledge of economics, financial drivers and competitive-analysis concepts, principles and theory to critically analyze and evaluate healthcare management
- Apply qualitative and quantitative analysis to evaluate the quality of decision-making and research to solve problems
- Analyze various leader, follower, cultural and situational characteristics that contribute to leadership and adapt them to the needs of situations, employees and co-workers in various healthcare environments
- Evaluate the opportunities provided by technology for healthcare
- Communicate effectively in management situations

## REQUIRED COURSES

### CORE COURSES

HCM 618	Healthcare Leadership and Management	6
HCM 628	Healthcare Information Systems Management	6
HCM 630	Healthcare Administration	6
HCM 632	Legal and Ethical Implications in Healthcare	6
HCM 635	Healthcare Market Research and Analysis	6
HCM 640	Healthcare Strategies	6
HCM 642	Healthcare Financial Management and Decision Making	6
HCM 659	Capstone—Strategic Management for Healthcare	6

**Total Master's Degree Requirements**

**48 Credits**



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