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HEALTHCARE ADMINISTRATION

Loyola's Bachelor of Science in Healthcare Administration prepares students for administrative roles in a broad range of health service organizations. The degree builds on Loyola's excellent liberal arts and health systems programs and integrates core competencies such as healthcare finance, quality management, health information systems, and ethics. Graduates are prepared for careers in the growing field of healthcare management, and employed in hospitals systems, insurance companies, healthcare consulting firms and more. Graduates are equally prepared for entry into graduate and professional programs such as business administration, public health, or law.

CURRICULUM

Students must complete 121 credit hours, including the freshman seminar, University Core Curriculum, healthcare administration core courses, electives, and an internship. The program is designed so that students may minor in areas such as marketing, bioinformatics, or other related fields. Students may also pursue either an accelerated healthcare administration/business BS/MBA dual degree or healthcare administration/public health BS/MPH dual degree. For a complete list of courses that fulfill the degree requirements, visit LUC.edu/hsm.

FACULTY

Our faculty members are committed teachers and practicing leaders in their specialty fields. They share knowledge, lessons learned, and best practices in the classroom. With experience and expertise across the health care industry, faculty members serve as role models and guides for future health care professionals.

INTERNSHIP AND CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

All seniors complete a semester-long internship in the health care industry. Chicagoland provides extensive career and internship opportunities because it is home to multiple global health care/pharmaceutical companies, five academic medical centers, several of the nation's largest health systems, medical device manufacturers, health IT companies, numerous community-based health care systems, large physician group practices, long-term care and assisted living facilities, and home care services. Large insurance companies and health care associations, such as the American Medical Association and the American Hospital Association, are also located in Chicago.

RESOURCES

University life offers many opportunities for participation in on-campus clubs and organizations that respond to students' areas of interest. The Healthcare Administration Student Council provides opportunities for developing and enhancing leadership and team building skills. In addition, eligible students may be inducted into Upsilon Phi Delta, the national honor society for health care administration. Other health care related activities are included in a number of organizations across campus. The program is a member of the American College of Healthcare Executives and encourages majors to become involved as Student Associates.

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