



HEALTHCARE ADMINISTRATION

HEALTH INFORMATICS OR COMMUNITY HEALTH

The Master of Science in Healthcare Administration (MHA) degree program prepares graduates for leadership roles in healthcare organizations. Building on the skills and knowledge of business and management professionals, this program equips future healthcare leaders with the tools to manage day-to-day operations and improve patient care.

ECPI University offers students a choice of two focus tracks:

- ▶ **Health Informatics**
- ▶ **Community Health**

The **Health Informatics track** focuses on the management and analysis of health information used by the healthcare delivery system. Students will have the opportunity to apply tools which support informatics systems and interoperability.

The **Community Health track** supports the healthcare leader seeking to work in community health areas. Community health professionals support healthcare leaders in the advancement of their professional practice through application of prevention, environmental, and social determinants related to public health issues.

Through ECPI's online delivery and year-round schedule, you could earn a Master's Degree in Healthcare Administration (MHA) with a concentration in Health Informatics or Community Health in as little as 14 months.

Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this program, the graduate will:

- ▶ Implement current best practices of leadership, critical thinking, decision-making, and interdisciplinary communication to support a healthcare organization team.
- ▶ Integrate evidence-based practice and data-driven action plans to improve the delivery of care and patient outcomes.
- ▶ Use current technologies to support an integrated healthcare model and analyze healthcare organizational structure and performance.
- ▶ Act as a change agent in collaboration with stakeholders by advocating for policies to improve delivery of care, community well-being, and social determinants impacting health.
- ▶ Analyze principles of ethics and legal aspects relevant to the management of healthcare organizations.

Program Information

Healthcare Administrators holding a master's degree in leadership will be eligible for a variety of management roles. Consult the university catalog for the most current information on this program.