

# GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN HEALTH CARE MANAGEMENT

*College of Health Sciences*

## Curriculum

The Graduate Certificate in Health Care Management provides health care professionals an opportunity to expand their knowledge of health care management issues. An accelerated format is available for many of the courses so the certificate can possibly be earned in three semesters or less.

Code	Title	Credits
<b>Required Courses</b>		
HEA 513	Legal Aspects of Health Care	3
HEA 514	Approaches to Health Care Delivery	3
HEA 516	Health Care Management	3
HEA 613	Advocacy and Quality of Health Care Services	3
HEA 614	Health Care Technology and Information Management	3
HEA 616	Strategic Leadership in Health Care	3
<b>Total Minimum Credits Required</b>		<b>18</b>

## Sample Course Plan

To track their individual degree progress, students are advised to access their Degree Progress Report (DPR) via my WCU and consult their Graduate Coordinator. For more information, visit [wcupa.edu/DegreeProgressReport](http://wcupa.edu/DegreeProgressReport) (<http://wcupa.edu/DegreeProgressReport/>).

The following is a sample suggested course sequence for this program; course offerings and availability are not guaranteed. Students should consult their academic advisor with any questions.

This program will benefit physicians, nurses, clinicians, managers, and professional staff in the health care industry. In addition, it will be valuable to those in managed care and not-for-profit organizations, government, consulting firms, and the pharmaceutical industry, among others. A certificate in health care management will be issued when the requirements of the certificate program have been fulfilled. This certificate can also be earned as part of the Master of Public Health program (Health Care Management Track).

Course	Title	Credits
<b>Year One</b>		
<b>Semester One</b>		
HEA 516	Health Care Management	3
HEA 613	Advocacy and Quality of Health Care Services	3
HEA 614	Health Care Technology and Information Management	3
<b>Credits</b>		<b>9</b>
<b>Semester Two</b>		
HEA 513	Legal Aspects of Health Care	3
HEA 616	Strategic Leadership in Health Care	3
<b>Credits</b>		<b>6</b>
<b>Summer</b>		
HEA 514	Approaches to Health Care Delivery	3
<b>Credits</b>		<b>3</b>
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>18</b>