

# Master of Healthcare Administration Program Progression/Course Sequence

**Modality:** Online with synchronous virtual class meetings

**Part Time plan – Fall Start:** Approximately 7 semesters to complete (about 2.5 calendar years). Or can take 1 course per semester – would take approximately 14 semesters (close to 3 calendar years).

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<b>Pre-Requisite:</b> Graduation from an accredited undergraduate program/GPA requirements (see application)	
<b>Possible/Typical Progression Plan:</b> Students can progress at their own pace (for example take one course per semester). Students must complete their graduate degree within 7 years of taking their first course. It is recommended that students do not take more than 3 courses per semester to be successful in obtaining their degrees.	
Fall 1 (6 cr)	Spring 1 (6 cr)
*MHA 638 Health Information Systems (3 credits) *MHA 628 Healthcare Delivery Systems, Policy, and Reimbursement (3 credits)	*MHA 615 Research and Evidence Based Practice (3 credits) MBA 641 Human Resources Management (3 credits)
Summer 1 (6 cr)	
*MHA 650 Organizational Strategy and Systems Leadership (3 credits) MHA 625 Health Program Planning and Evaluation (3 Credits) or ECON 610 Healthcare Economics (3 credits)	
Fall 2 (6 cr)	Spring 2 (7 Cr)
MHA 618 Health Care Law and Ethical Decision-Making (3 credits) MHA 605 Health Care Quality and Regulatory Management (3 credits)	MHA 619 Applied Health Care Financial Management (3 credits) MBA Elective (3 credits) **MHA 692A Capstone I (1 credit) **Capstone I must be taken prior to Capstone II (no more than 2 semesters prior).
Summer 2 (6 cr)	
MHA 651 Healthcare Operations Management (3 credits) ECON 610 Healthcare Economics (3 credits) or MHA 625 Health Program Planning and Evaluation (3 credits)	

**Fall 3 (6 cr)**

MBA 611 Marketing Management (3 credits)

\*\*MHA 692B Capstone II (3-6 Credits)

\*\*Students enrolled after fall 2018 will take 3 credit Capstone II

Capstone I and II MUST be taken at the end of the program. Capstone I must be taken before the Capstone II is completed. Capstone needs to occur in the last or 2<sup>nd</sup> to last semester of the program.

Note: Capstone I and Capstone II are only offered Fall/Spring semesters. Students should form their plan based on their needs and capstone site/mentor.

**TOTALS:**

12 Business and Economic credits

27 Degree Specific MHA Credits

4 Capstone Credits

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**43 Total Credits**

**Accreditation Information:**

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CAHME - CAHME –Formal Candidate Program. Self-Study is 2020/2021 with accreditation visit Fall of 2021.

**HIGHLIGHTS:**

Meets the highest standards of quality in healthcare management education.

Utilizes appropriate academic content for its field

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**Part Time plan – Spring Start:** Approximately 7 semesters to complete (a little more than 2 calendar years). Or can take 1 course per semester – would take approximately 14 semesters (close to 3 calendar years).

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*MHA 615 Research and Evidence Based Practice (3 credits) *MHA 628 Healthcare Delivery Systems, Policy, and Reimbursement (3 credits)	*MHA 650 Organizational Strategy and Systems Leadership (3 credits) MHA 625 Health Program Planning and Evaluation (3 Credits) or ECON 610 Healthcare Economics (3 credits)
<b>Fall 1 (6 cr)</b>	
*MHA 638 Health Information Systems (3 credits) MBA 611 Marketing Management (3 credits)	
<b>Spring 2 (6 cr)</b>	<b>Summer 2 (6 Cr)</b>
MHA 619 Applied Health Care Financial Management (3 credits) MBA Elective Course (3 credits)	MHA 651 Healthcare Operations Management (3 credits) ECON 610 Healthcare Economics (3 credits) or MHA 625 Health Program Planning and Evaluation (3 credits)
<b>Fall 2 ( cr)</b>	
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<b>Spring 3 (6 cr)</b>	
MBA 641 Human Resource Management (3 credits) **MHA 692B Capstone II (3-6 Credits) **Students enrolled after fall 2018 will take 3 credit Capstone II	
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<b>Fall 1 (9 cr)</b>	<b>Spring 1 (9 cr)</b>
*MHA 638 Health Information Systems (3 credits) *MHA 628 Healthcare Delivery Systems, Policy, and Reimbursement (3 credits) MHA 618 Health Care Law and Ethical Decision-Making (3 credits)	*MHA 615 Research and Evidence Based Practice (3 credits) MBA 641 Human Resources Management (3 credits) MBA Elective (3 credits)
<b>Summer 1 (6- 12 cr)</b>	
*MHA 650 Organizational Strategy and Systems Leadership (3 credits) MHA 625 Health Program Planning and Evaluation (3 credits) MHA 651 Healthcare Operations Management (3 credits) (or take following summer) ECON 610 Healthcare Economics (3 credits) (or take following summer)	
<b>Fall 2 (7 cr)</b>	<b>Spring 2 (6 Cr)</b>
MHA 605 Health Care Quality and Regulatory Management (3 credits) MBA 611 Marketing Management (3 credits) **MHA 692A Capstone I (1 credit) **Capstone I must be taken prior to Capstone II (no more than 2 semesters prior).	MHA 619 Applied Health Care Financial Management (3 credits) **MHA 692B Capstone II (3-6 credits) <b>**Students enrolled after fall 2018 will take 3 credit Capstone II</b>
<b>Summer 2 (6 cr)</b>	
MHA 651 Healthcare Operations Management (3 credits) (or take previous summer) ECON 610 Healthcare Economics (3 credits) (or take previous summer)	
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**Full Time Plan – Spring Start:** Approx. 5-6 semester (Close to 2 calendar years to complete).

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*MHA 615 Research and Evidence Based Practice (3 credits) *MHA 628 Healthcare Delivery Systems, Policy, and Reimbursement (3 credits) *MHA 638 Health Information Systems (3 credits)	*MHA 650 Organizational Strategy and Systems Leadership (3 credits) MHA 625 Health Program Planning and Evaluation (3 credits) MHA 651 Healthcare Operations Management (3 credits) ECON 610 Healthcare Economics (3 credits) (or take following summer)
<b>Fall 1 (6- 12 cr)</b>	
MHA 618 Health Care Law and Ethical Decision-Making (3 credits) MHA 605 Health Care Quality and Regulatory Management (3 credits) MBA 611 Marketing Management (3 credits) **MHA 692A Capstone I (1 credit) **Capstone I must be taken prior to Capstone II (no more than 2 semesters prior).	
<b>Spring 2 (10 cr)</b>	<b>Summer 2 (6 Cr)</b>
MBA 641 Human Resources Management (3 credits) MHA 619 Applied Health Care Financial Management (3 credits) **MHA 692B Capstone II (3-6 credits) <b>**Students enrolled after fall 2018 will take 3 credit Capstone II</b>	ECON 610 Healthcare Economics (3 credits) (or take previous summer) MBA Elective (3 credits)
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\*\*Not all courses are offered every semester. It is important that students plan their schedules accordingly to align with course offerings. Below is a breakdown of courses by semester. Questions should be directed to your advisor.

<b>Courses Offered by Semester: (subject to change)</b>	
Fall	MHA 618 – Health Care Law and Ethical Decision Making MHA 628 – Healthcare Delivery Systems, Policy, and Reimbursement MHA 638 – Health Information Systems MHA 605 – Health Care Quality & Regulatory Management MBA 611 – Marketing Management MBA 641 – Human Resource Management MBA 621 – Managerial Accounting (MBA Elective Course Option) MHA 692A - Capstone I MHA 692B - Capstone II
Spring	MHA 615 – Research and Evidence-Based Practice MHA 619 – Applied Health Care Financial Management MHA 628 – Healthcare Delivery Systems, Policy, and Reimbursement MHA 638 – Health Information Systems MBA 641 – Human Resource Management MBA 651 – Organizational Behavior (MBA Elective Course Option) MBA 671 – Health Care Delivery Sciences (MBA Elective Course Option) ECON 610 – Healthcare Economics (variable offerings in spring) MHA 692A - Capstone I MHA 692B - Capstone II
Summer	MHA 650 – Organizational Strategy and Systems Leadership ECON 610 – Healthcare Economics MHA 625 – Health Program Planning and Evaluation MHA 651 – Healthcare Operations Management MBA 611 – Marketing Management (variable offerings in summer) MBA 641 – Human Resource Management (variable offerings in summer) MBA 651- Organizational Behavior (MBA Elective Course Option) MBA 685 – Project Management (MBA Elective Course Option)