

Why choose Health Information Management & Technology?

WSU's health information programs offer you the following advantages:

- Flexible course delivery: Take the courses you need via internet or in a traditional classroom setting.
- Knowledge and experience: Learn from experienced instructors who know the industry inside and out.
- Multiple entry points: You can successfully join the program at every level (see schedule on back for career ladder options).

What degrees/certificates are available?

Institutional Certificate

Healthcare Coding & Classification

Health Information Management

(Bachelor's degree required)

Associate of Applied Science (AAS)

Health Information Technology

Bachelor of Science (BS)

Health Information Management

The courses for these degrees are delivered on campus or online. You can achieve your educational and career goals one step at a time following our unique career ladder approach.

What are average salaries of graduates?

The average salary for certified healthcare coders in Utah is \$43,000. The average salary of bachelor's degree graduates is \$62,000. Associate's degree graduates earn around \$49,000 in the state of Utah. This may vary depending on the region, workplace and skill level.

What will I learn in the program?

Students with a *BS degree* develop a background in information systems technologies and their application to the provision of healthcare, advanced statistical procedures and management applicable to information systems, human resources and quality improvement in healthcare.

AAS degree graduates learn technical functions such as coding diseases and operations, releasing medical information appropriately, maintaining statistical measures, using related computer application software and supervising employees.

In the *certificate program*, students will learn to code outpatient and inpatient healthcare services using the ICD-10-CM, ICD-10-PCS, and CPT coding systems. This ten course program prepares you for national certification exams.

How do I apply to the program?

Applications to the program should be sent to the Dr. Ezekiel R. Dumke College of Health Professions Admissions Office. An overall GPA of 2.75 is required for a BS degree, and 2.0 is required for an AAS and Certificate.



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Healthcare Coding, Health Information Technology and Health Information Management

Prerequisites

HTHS 1101 Medical Terminology (2)

HTHS 1110

Integrated Human Anatomy & Physiology I (4)

Institutional Certificate Healthcare Coding & Classification:

HTHS 1111

Integrated Human Anatomy & Physiology II (4)

HTHS 2230

Introduction to Pathophysiology (3)

HTHS 2240

Introduction to Pharmacology (3)

HIM 2300

Diagnosis Coding (3)

HIM 2320

Ambulatory & Physician Office Coding (3)

HIM 2330

Healthcare

Reimbursement (2)

HIM 2410

ICD-10-PCS Coding (2)

HIM 2863

Professional Practice Experience in Coding (1)



AAS Degree Health Information Technology

HIM 2000

Introduction to Health Information Systems & Settings (3)

HIM 2250

Health Care Privacy & Security (3)

HIM 2500

Healthcare Data Management (3)

HIM 2861

Professional Practice Experience I (2)

HIM 2862

Professional Practice Management (2)

HIM 3000

Healthcare Informatics (3)

HIM 3300

Introduction to Quality Improvement in Healthcare (3)

HAS 3000

The Health Care System

WEB 1700

Introduction to Computer Applications (3)

Math 1030

Contemporary Mathematics (3)

BS Degree Health Information Management

HIM 3200

Epidemiology & Biostatistics (3)

HIM 3450

Health Care Systems Analysis & Design (3)

HIM 3500

Biomedical Research Support (2)

HIM 3550

Health Care Data Analytics (3)

HIM 361

Advanced Principles of Revenue Cycle Management (3)

HIM 4100

Health Information Services Management (3)

HAS 3230

Health Communication (3)

HAS 3240

Human Resource Development in Healthcare (3)

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Health Care Administrative & Supervisory Theory (3)

HAS 3750

HAS 3260

Health Care Financial Administration (3)

HAS 4860

Practicum/Internship (4)

MIC 2010

Business Computer Skills (1)

ACTG 2010

Survey of Accounting (3)

WSU General Education Requirements

General education requirements vary and are specified by each program. Students should consult with an advisor before selecting educational courses.

For more information on general education requirements, visit our website at weber.edu.



The Health Information Management and Technology programs are accredited by the Commission on Accreditation for Health Informatics and Information Management Education (CAHIIM).

If you have a record of convicted criminal actions, it may affect your ability to complete the Health Administrative Services programs and future employment opportunities. Additionally, all applicants may be required to complete a drug screening prior to participating in their internship. If a background check reveals a history of convicted criminal actions or the drug screen reveals the presence of a non-prescribed controlled substance, then you may be unable to complete the program and will not be entitled to any refunds of tuition dollars or other fees.



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