

# HEALTH SERVICES POLICY AND MANAGEMENT, M.H.A.

## Traditional Track Degree Requirements (58 Hours)

Requirements	Credit Hours
Management	31
Accounting and Finance	9
Biostatistics and Quantitative Methods	3
Public Health - PUBH 700*	3
Managerial Epidemiology and Statistics for Healthcare	3
Health Planning	3
Approved Elective**	3
Management Residency	3

\*PUBH 700 = 3 hours and is required for any M.H.A. student without a public health background (i.e., undergraduate degree in public health).

\*\*The elective must be a graduate level course. Three (or six if PUBH 700 is not required) hours of elective credit are required for graduation.

## Traditional Track Courses

### First Year

Course	Title	Credit Hours
HSPM 775	Managerial Epidemiology and Statistics in Healthcare	3
HSPM 733	Health Care Management Accounting	3
HSPM 714	Perspectives in Community Health Organizations	3
HSPM 765	Leadership in Health Care Organizations	1
HSPM 769	Organizational Behavior	3
<b>Credit Hours</b>		<b>13</b>

### Spring

HSPM 712	Health Economics	3
HSPM 716	Quantitative Methods for Health Administration	3
HSPM 718	Health Planning	3
HSPM 731	Health Care Finance I	3
PUBH 700	Perspectives in Public Health (or other approved elective)	3
<b>Credit Hours</b>		<b>15</b>

### Summer

Summer Session I		
HSPM 713	Information Systems in Health Administration	3
HSPM 766	Health Services Administration I	3
Summer Session II		
HSPM 776	Physician Practice Management	3
Elective in Summer Session II or Full Summer Session		3
<b>Credit Hours</b>		<b>12</b>

### Second Year

#### Fall

HSPM 724	Health Law	3
HSPM 770	Decision Making For Health Care Executives	3
HSPM 732	Health Care Finance II	3
HSPM 774	Quality Management in Healthcare	3
HSPM 777	Healthcare Policy and Principles of Health Insurance	3
<b>Credit Hours</b>		<b>15</b>

#### Spring

HSPM 797	Management Residency	3
<b>Credit Hours</b>		<b>3</b>
<b>Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>58</b>

## Executive Track Degree Requirements (45 hours)

Requirements	Credit Hours
Management	24
Accounting and Finance	6
Biostatistics and Quantitative Methods	3
Public Health - PUBH 700*	3
Health Planning	3
Approved Elective**	3
Management Residency/ Comparative Global Health Systems	3

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## Executive Track Courses

Course	Title	Credits
HSPM 712	Health Economics	3
HSPM 713	Information Systems in Health Administration	3
HSPM 716	Quantitative Methods for Health Administration	3
HSPM 718	Health Planning	3
HSPM 724	Health Law	3
HSPM 731	Health Care Finance I	3
HSPM 732	Health Care Finance II	3
HSPM 766	Health Services Administration I	3
HSPM 770	Decision Making For Health Care Executives	3
HSPM 774	Quality Management in Healthcare	3
HSPM 776	Physician Practice Management	3
HSPM 777	Healthcare Policy and Principles of Health Insurance	3
HSPM 797	Management Residency (Comparative Global Health Systems)	3
PUBH 700	Perspectives in Public Health (or other approved elective)	3
HSPM 778	Health Care Marketing (or other approved elective)	3
<b>Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>45</b>

## Executive Track Operations

Executive track classes are held on select weekends: Saturday 8:00 AM to 7:30 PM and Sunday 8:00 AM to 1:30 PM, five weekends per semester. Participants graduate at the end of spring of third year (May graduation). New cohorts are admitted every year.

Students must also complete and submit departmental and school evaluations.

## Possible Rotation I

### First Year

Fall		Credit Hours
HSPM 718	Health Planning	3
HSPM 766	Health Services Administration I	3
<b>Credit Hours</b>		<b>6</b>
Spring		
HSPM 712	Health Economics	3
HSPM 731	Health Care Finance I	3
<b>Credit Hours</b>		<b>6</b>
Summer		
PUBH 700	Perspectives in Public Health	3
HSPM 778	Health Care Marketing	3
<b>Credit Hours</b>		<b>6</b>

### Second Year

Fall		
HSPM 724	Health Law	3
HSPM 732	Health Care Finance II	3
<b>Credit Hours</b>		<b>6</b>
Spring		
HSPM 713	Information Systems in Health Administration	3
HSPM 716	Quantitative Methods for Health Administration	3
<b>Credit Hours</b>		<b>6</b>
Summer		
HSPM 797	Management Residency (Comparative Global Health Systems)	3
<b>Credit Hours</b>		<b>3</b>

### Third Year

Fall		
HSPM 774	Quality Management in Healthcare	3
HSPM 777	Healthcare Policy and Principles of Health Insurance	3
<b>Credit Hours</b>		<b>6</b>
Spring		
HSPM 770	Decision Making For Health Care Executives	3
HSPM 776	Physician Practice Management	3
<b>Credit Hours</b>		<b>6</b>
<b>Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>45</b>

## Management Residency Requirements – Both Tracks

M.H.A. candidates must complete and submit an acceptable written report on the management residency. Approval of the report must be by the faculty advisor, a second reader, and the preceptor at the residency site for traditional track students. An oral presentation of the report is required alongside approval of the document for students in both tracks.