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Integrated Healthcare Management - BAS

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What is a Bachelor of Applied Science (BAS) degree?

The BAS degree is an applied bachelor's degree with a total of 180 credits. It is specifically designed to build on professional-technical associate's degrees that provide workplace skills, such as the Associate in Applied Science-Transfer (AAS-T) degree. The BAS degree incorporates prior work experience and more hands-on learning. Graduates with a BAS degree may apply to related master's degree programs.

Integrated Healthcare Management - BAS Program Description

The Integrated Healthcare Management - BAS (IHCM-BAS) is unique in its interdisciplinary model and focuses on applied skills that prepare graduates to make lasting changes in the healthcare field. The program provides advanced knowledge and skills for managerial positions in healthcare settings, such as Clinic Supervisors and Managers, Healthcare Managers, Health Services Directors, and more. Our program is cohort-based, has an evening, hybrid format, and does not require attendance during summer quarters.

Program Eligibility

Applicants must have:

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- Completion of the program prerequisites or equivalent credits that represent the combination of program admission required courses and other college-level courses.
- Valid Edmonds College math placement.
- A minimum grade of 2.0 in all proficiency courses.
- A cumulative GPA of 2.5 in all college-level courses used to fulfill IHCM-BAS degree requirements at the time of admissions.

Program Prerequisites - 45 credits

- ENGL& 101 English Composition I (5 cr) with a grade of 2.0 or higher.
- 15 credits of General Education courses with a grade of 1.0 or higher in each course.
 Humanities, Natural Sciences, and/or Social Sciences courses
 - 25 credits of Proficiency courses with a grade of 2.0 or higher in each course.
 - May include: Clinical Lab Assistant, Dental Assisting, Patient Care Technician, Pharmacy Technician, Medical Assistant, Mental Health Technician, Health Care Administration, Medical Billing & Coding, and/or equivalent coursework.

Applying to the Program

Applications for the program open each year during winter quarter. Our priority deadline is in April and our regular deadline is in June. Student applications are reviewed on a space-available basis after the deadlines have passed. Students are encouraged to meet with our program manager if they have questions about the program, their eligibility, or the application process. A new cohort starts each fall quarter in September.

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Remaining Program Requirements in the IHCM-BAS - 135 credits

Additional Lower Division Requirements (75 credits)

Students will complete an additional 40 credits of general education and 35 credits of proficiency during the program. Students who begin the program with an AAS-T will only need 30 remaining general education credits as they will likely have completed their proficiency requirements already. Work with our program manager to design your individual path to graduation!

Upper Division - IHCM - Requirements (60 credits)

SAMPLE YEAR ONE (Full-time Schedule)	
Fall Quarter	 IHCM 300 - Transition to Management in Healthcare (3 credits) IHCM 305 - Principles of Human Resource Management in Healthcare (2 credits) IHCM 310 - Financial Management in Healthcare Facilities (3 credits) IHCM 315 - Interprofessional Education and Collaboration (2 credits) Lower Division Coursework (5 credits)
Winter Quarter	 IHCM 320 - US Health Systems (5 credits) IHCM 325 - Trauma Informed Management (2 credits) IHCM 330 - Population Health and Community Wellness (3 credits) Lower Division Coursework (5 credits)
Spring Quarter	 IHCM 335 - Behavioral Health for Primary Care Providers (3 credits) IHCM 340 - Care Coordination and Navigation (2 credits) IHCM 345 - Interprofessional Education and Practice Simulation Lab (2 credits) IHCM 350 - Transition to Practice: Practicum I (3 credits) Lower Division Coursework (5 credits)
SAMPLE YEAR TWO (Full-time Schedule)	
Fall Quarter	 IHCM 400 - Leadership/Management in Health and Human Service Organizations (5 credits) IHCM 405 - Integration of Behavioral Health and Primary Care (3 credits) IHCM 410 - Managing Interdisciplinary Teams (2 credits) Lower Division Coursework (5 credits)
Winter Quarter	 IHCM 415 - Health Systems Research and Information Literacy (5 credits) IHCM 420 - Principles and Practice of Healthcare Quality Improvement (3 credits) IHCM 425 - Quality Improvement in Healthcare Simulation Lab (2 credits) Lower Division Coursework (5 credits)
Spring Quarter	 IHCM 430 - Health Equity, Disparities and Social Justice (3 credits) IHCM 435 - Health Equity, Disparities and Social Justice Simulation Lab (2 credits) IHCM 440 - Transition to Practice II: Practicum (5 credits) Lower Division Coursework (5 credits)

Contact Us!

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