

Associate of Applied Science Health Information Management



PURPOSE: The curriculum is designed for persons who seek employment in the health information management field.

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS: Students entering the HIM program must meet the college's general admissions requirements, as well as program specific admission requirements. Program specific admission requirements include:

- Complete Health Information Management Application for Admission packet, including criminal background check.
- Successful completion of MTE 1-5 and English placement test.

First Year

Fall Semester				
	NAS	171	Human Anatomy & Physiology I	4
	ENG	111	College Composition I*	3
	HIM	130	Healthcare Information Systems	3
	HIM	113	Medical Terminology and Disease Processes I	1
	HIM	150	Med Term & Disease Processes I	3
	SDV	101	Orientation to Health Related Occupations	1

Spring Semester				
	HIM	114	Med Term & Disease Processes II	3
	MTH	126	Math for Allied Health	2
	HIM	230	Info Systems & Tech in Healthcare	3
	HIM	253	Health Records Coding	4
	HIM	229	Performance Improvement in Healthcare	2
	PSY	230	Developmental Psychology	3

Second Year

Fall Semester				
	HIM	149	Introduction to Medical Practice Management	2
	HIM	220	Health Statistics	2
	HIM	226	Legal Aspects of Health Record Documentation	2
	HIM	254	Adv Coding & Reimbursements	4
	HIM	251	Clinical Practice I	3
	HLT	105	CPR	1
	SDV	106	Prep for Employment	3
	Humanities Elective			3

Spring Semester				
	HIM	151	Reimbursement Issues in Med Practice Mgmt	2
	HIM	233	Electronic Health Records Management	3
	HIM	249	Supervision & Management Practices for HIM	3
	HIM	260	Pharmacology for HIM	3
	HIM	252	Clinical Practice II	3
	HIM	280	HIM Capstone	3
Total Minimum Credits for Degree				66

¹Consult with advisor.

Program Contact: Myson Joseph, mjoseph@mecc.edu, 276.523.2400 ext. 306

Ms. Fran Doyle, Assistant Dean, fdoyle@mecc.edu, 276.523.2400 ext. 313