Program Coordinator: S. McRae

The curriculum for the GPS/online format Bachelor of Science in Healthcare Administration program enables persons who bring an Associate’s Degree or the equivalent of 45 semester hours to complete a bachelor’s degree. The program of study includes courses in public health, communication, healthcare organization, healthcare informatics, management, and marketing. These courses will make graduates well suited for advancement in the hospitals and agencies where they work.

The outcomes of the program will allow healthcare professionals to stand out in their chosen areas of expertise and hone leadership skills for quality improvement. The program will also focus on effective oral and written communication, theoretical understanding of people and institutions, developing an ethical framework for decision making, and critical thinking skills. With this degree program King seeks to fulfill its stated mission by helping students know what it means to transform the cultures where they live, work, and worship in Christ.

Program Outcomes
1. Students will demonstrate their ability to analyze and implement industry standards for quality management and improvement.
2. Students will demonstrate effective communication with all stakeholders in academic, clinical, and practice settings.
3. Students will be able to analyze relevant data in order to prioritize goals that will facilitate desired outcomes.
4. Students will be able to demonstrate their knowledge of ethical decision making in order to exhibit empathy and facilitate alternatives for both patient care and effective management.
5. Students will demonstrate mastery of program content by their abilities to plan for effective leadership in their specialties and also to provide timely, efficient, safe, and cost-effective patient-centered care.

Healthcare Administration Major Requirements

HCAD 3110
Epidemiology and Biostatistics..........................................................4 s.h.

HCAD 3120
Introduction to Healthcare Organization and Policy.........................4 s.h.

HCAD 3130
Population-Based Health.....................................................................4 s.h.
HCAD 3210  
Informatics for Healthcare Leaders and Decision Makers........4 s.h.
HCAD 3220  
Research and Evidence-Based Practice.................................4 s.h.
HCAD 3230  
Management of Quality Improvement and Outcomes ...............4 s.h.
HCAD 3320  
Management and Leadership ...............................................4 s.h.
HCAD 4420  
Ethics and Legal Issues ....................................................4 s.h.
HCAD 4430  
Understanding Sustainability in Healthcare..........................4 s.h.
BUSA 3020  
Accounting and Finance for Healthcare Leaders ......................4 s.h.
BUSA 3621  
Human Resource Management ...........................................4 s.h.
HCAD 3310  
Applied Communication for Leadership ..................................4 s.h.
HCAD 4990  
Comprehensive Assessment ............................................... 0 s.h.
Total......................................................................................48 s.h.

**Summary of Total Credits**

General Education Minimum Requirements........................30 s.h.
Major Requirements............................................................48 s.h.
Electives/Minor/2nd Major.................................................. 46 s.h.
Minimum to Earn Bachelor of Science .................................124 s.h.