

# HEALTH CARE MANAGEMENT (PART TIME), MASTER OF SCIENCE

The Master of Science in Health Care Management (MSHCM) program prepares students to assess and act on opportunities to innovate and improve productivity in the health care sector. The program is unique in its breadth, in recognition of the fact that the health care sector is large and diverse, comprising a variety of actors in multiple industries including the following:

- Providers: clinics, hospitals, health care services companies;
- Payers: public and private insurance, social insurance;
- Innovators: pharmaceutical manufacturers, device makers, software and hardware makers;
- Institutions: regulators, civil service, civil society, advocacy groups, foundations, and funders.

The MS in Health Care Management program provides students with the most relevant business skills to be effective and efficient leaders who will improve the quality and access to health care at appropriate cost in light of the regulatory, cultural, and ethical context of the relevant health care ecosystem.

The rigorous curriculum of the MS in Health Care Management program at the Johns Hopkins Carey Business School enables students to:

- Apply the most relevant business skills and principles, and make informed decisions based on this knowledge;
- Gain an in-depth understanding of complex health care issues in order to lead and change enterprises;
- Develop the knowledge, confidence, and judgment to anticipate needed changes in a dynamic industry.

## Program Requirements

The program requires 36 credits. Part-time students must complete the program within six years.

Students enrolled in the online MSHCM program are required to take the Business Communication course. Asynchronous online sections of this course have a mandatory two-day residency component, requiring real-time, synchronous participation. Onsite residencies are held at the Carey Business School's Harbor East campus in Baltimore, MD.

## Curriculum

The curriculum for the MSHCM program includes the following courses. Course sequence and availability of specific electives may vary and not all electives are available every term nor in every format. All courses are 2 credits.

Code	Title	Credits
<b>Business Foundations</b>		
BU.520.601	Business Analytics	2
BU.120.601	Business Communication <sup>1</sup>	2
BU.131.601	Business Leadership and Human Values	2
BU.350.620	Information Systems	2
BU.410.620	Marketing Management	2

BU.680.620	Operations Management	2
BU.510.601	Statistical Analysis	2
<b>Functional Core</b>		
BU.881.707	Accounting for Decision Making in Health Care	2
BU.881.702	Frameworks for Analyzing Health Care Markets	2
BU.883.705	Health Care Financing and Financial Management	2
BU.881.703	Health Care Law and Regulation	2
<b>Elective Courses</b>		
Select seven of the following:		14
BU.555.710	Applied and Behavioral Economics in Health Care	
BU.510.650	Data Analytics	
BU.150.710 & BU.150.715	Discovery to Market I and Discovery to Market II <sup>2</sup>	
BU.883.702	Health Information Technology	
BU.881.701	Fundamentals of Health Care Systems	
BU.883.706	Health Care Organization and Management	
BU.890.713 & BU.890.714	Health Care Strategy Consulting Practicum I and Health Care Strategy Consulting Practicum II <sup>2</sup>	
BU.881.706	Health Innovation and Evaluation	
BU.881.705	Health Marketing and Access	
BU.300.620	Managing Complex Projects	
BU.883.703	Medical Devices and Diagnostics	
BU.883.708	Negotiation in Health Care Settings	
BU.883.704	Pharmaceutical Strategy	
BU.881.704	Providers and Payers	
BU.550.620	The U.S. Health Care System: Past, Present, and Future	
BU.883.707	The Wire: Business Solutions for Community Health Improvement	
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>36</b>

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<sup>2</sup> These courses must be taken in sequence.