



Southwestern Michigan College

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Western Michigan University Health Administration Curriculum Guide

The mission of the Health Administration program is to develop innovative future leaders that will improve the health and wellbeing of the communities they serve. Our curriculum, collaboratively delivered by the College of Health and Human Services and the Haworth College of Business, is a true embodiment of the combined bodies of knowledge required for health administrators: health and management. We deliver our program through instruction by expert faculty and applied learning in the field, preparing students to either enter the workforce upon graduation or continue their studies in a health administration-related graduate program.

Western Essential Studies (WES) requirements:

- Students must fulfill the **Western Essential Studies (WES)** requirements for graduation from WMU. Please see the [WES transfer guide](#). Your community college advisor should be able to help you with this information.

Required support courses:

I. SMC COURSES for GENERAL EDUCATION, which follow the Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA) (30 credits minimum).

SMC Course	WMU WES Equivalent
English Composition/Communication: ENGL 103 + SPEE 102	ENGL 1050/COM 1040
Humanities: 2 courses	Varies
Mathematics: MATH 129 (recommended)	MATH 1160
Natural Sciences: 2 courses	Varies
Social Sciences: 2 courses	Varies

II. SMC COURSES for HEALTH ADMINISTRATION MAJOR (27 credits)

SMC Course	WMU Equivalent
Core courses	
HEED 101	MDSC 2010

Cognate courses

ACCO 201	ACTY 2100
ACCO 202	ACTY 2110
ISYS 110	CIS 1020
BUSI 220	MKGT 2500
BUSI 225	MGMT 2520
ECON 202	ECON 2010
ECON 201	ECON 2020

Elective course

BUSI 210	FIN 2010
HEED 137	PH CR

Important notes:

- Please check our website for additional program information:
<https://wmich.edu/healthprograms/academics/health-admin>.
- An additional 11 credit hours of health or business-related transfer courses may be used as electives for the Health Administration program.
- An internship is required for all Health Administration students. Students must complete 225 contact hours over a minimum of 10 weeks in a health or human service organization.

Contact information:

We look forward to sharing more information about our programs. Please contact us:

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We offer appointments via phone, Zoom/Webex, or in person.