HEALTH SCIENCE ADMINISTRATION, BA/MPA PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

Roosevelt undergraduate students concerned about the time and cost of obtaining a graduate degree can reduce both by participating in a joint program. This program allows undergraduate students to start on their MPA degrees by taking graduate level courses during the completion of their undergraduate Health Science Administration BA.

Health Science Administration majors in the College of Arts and Sciences can participate in this accelerated program leading to a BA in Health Science Administration and a Master of Health Administration degree. The program allows students to take three graduate-level courses as part of their undergraduate degrees. Once students are admitted to the MPA, the courses will apply toward completion of the MPA degree.

This joint degree provides the student knowledge and skills in both a specific occupational area and public sector management processes. The number of Healthcare Administration jobs are projected to grow twice as fast as all other job categories (20% increase) over the next decade[1]. The joint Health Science Administration BA/MPA makes the graduate an attractive potential employee for top management positions in the Healthcare field.

[1] United State Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, April 13, 2018

Major in Health Science Administration (https://catalog.roosevelt.edu/undergraduate/health-science/healthscience-ba/)

Completion of 60 credit hours of undergraduate course work

Graduate courses taken during the last two semesters of undergraduate degree

Have and maintain a minimum grade point average of 3.0

No residency requirement

Obtain permission from the MPA director to take the required MPA courses

Upon completion of the Health Science Administration BA, apply to the MPA program under the normal admission process (https://www.roosevelt.edu/academics/programs/masters-in-public-administration-mpa).

The student will take the following three MPA graduate courses as part of the Health Science Administration BA. All of the courses will receive credit toward the Master's in Public Administration degree once the student is admitted to the MPA program.

Required Courses

Code	Title	Credit Hours
PADM 402	ISSUES IN DEVELOPMENT & ADMINISTRATION PUBLIC POLICY	3
PADM 407	DATA ANALYTICS	3
PADM 453	MEDICAL ETHICS AND THE LAW	3

Year 1

Fall	Credit Hours	Spring	Credit Hours
FYS 101	1	Ideas of Social Justice	3
ENG 101	3	ENG 102	3
MATH 110	3	Humanities #2	3
Physical Science	3	Social Science #1	3
Humanities #1	3	Biological Science with Lab[1]	4-5
	13		**16-17**

Year 2

Fall	Credit Hours	Spring	Credit Hours
OLED 320	3	Major Elective #1[3]	3
MATH 217	3	HSAD 351	3
Humanities #3	3	COMM 101	3
Social Science #2	3	General Elective	3
Experiential Learning #1[2]	3	Social Science #3	3
	15		**15**

Year 3

Fall	Credit Hours	Spring	Credit Hours
HSAD 360	3	HSAD 363	3
DSIT 103	3	HSAD 365	3
Major Elective #2	3	General Elective	3
General Elective	3	General Elective	3
General Elective	3	General Elective	3
	15		**15**

Year 4

Fall	Credit Hours	Spring	Credit Hours
Major Elective #3[3]	3	HSAD 370	3
PADM 402	3	HSAD 390 or 399	3
General Elective		PADM 453	3
General Elective[3]	3	PADM 407	3

General Elective[3]	3		
	12	**12**	

Year 5

Fall	Credit Spring Hours	Credit Summer Hours	Credit Hours
PADM 400	3 PADM 401	3 PADM 419	3
PADM 405	3 PADM 404	3 Concentrati Course #3	3
PADM 420	3 PADM 497	3 Concentration Course #4	3
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Total Credit Hours 140-141

1 Human Biology Recommended
2 HSAD 250 Recommended
3 OLED 355 Recommended