

MASTER OF HEALTH ADMINISTRATION, M.H.A.

About

Step into the dynamic world of health administration with the Master of Health Administration (MHA) at OU Hudson College of Public Health. This professional graduate degree is your launchpad to a rewarding career in health service management. With courses like Professional Communication Skills in Healthcare Settings, Healthcare Operations Management, and Financial Management of Health Service Organizations, you'll gain a comprehensive understanding of the healthcare landscape. The 400-hour internship and case competition provide hands-on experience, bridging the gap between academic learning and real-world challenges. As a graduate, you'll be ready to step into administrative roles in diverse settings, from hospitals to university medical centers. Your journey towards becoming a leader in health administration starts here.

Cost

It is the student's responsibility to ensure they are enrolled in the prescribed courses and to pay tuition and fees at the time designated by the Bursar's Office. Details regarding tuition/fee charges and collection are available from the Bursar's Office.

Admissions

The Hudson College of Public Health at the University of Oklahoma Health is the only CEPH- accredited school of public health in Oklahoma. Our accredited programs focus on applied public health, and our graduates emerge as healthcare leaders with a strong foundation in various disciplines. Explore our programs and start your journey toward a rewarding career in public health.

At OU's Hudson College of Public Health, admission opens the door to a dynamic academic journey. Our accredited programs, backed by cutting-edge research and hands-on experiences, nurture future health leaders. Explore the intersection of theory and practice in public health at OU, where your potential meets purpose.

To learn more about the application process, please visit the application information (<https://publichealth.ouhsc.edu/admissions-and-aid/how-to-apply/>) on the Hudson College of Public Health webpage.

Course Requirements

Required Courses

Code	Title	Hours
Courses		
HAP 5183	Organizational Theory and Behavior	3
HAP 5203	Health Economics	3
HAP 5303	Health Policy and Politics	3
HAP 5453	U.S. Health Care Systems	3
HAP 5483	Health Care Law and Ethics	3
HAP 5543	Marketing of Health Services	3
HAP 5563	Human Resources Management in Health Services Organizations	3
HAP 5613	Financial Management of Health Service Organization	3

HAP 5623	Health Forecasting and Budgeting	3
HAP 5643	Quantitative Methods in Health Administration	3
HAP 5733	Managed Care and Integrated Systems	3
HAP 5863	Strategic Management in Health Services Organization ¹	3
HAP 5873	Health Information Systems	3
HAP 5883	Health Care Quality Management	3
HAP 5950	Field Work in Health Administration	1-4
HAP 5973	Seminar in Health Administration	3
HAP 7103	Managerial Epi ¹	3
HAP 7913	Professional Communication Skills	3

Additional Degree Requirements

Internship in Health Administration

Written and Oral Defense of Internship Experience

Interprofessional Education Requirement

Performance Expectations

Total Hours **52-55**

¹ These courses have been initially approved by the College's APC. They may be modified and are pending final approval by the University and Board of Regents. The course names and/or listing number(s) may be modified.

A minimum of 52 credit hours is required for the MHA degree.

Prerequisites

- Bachelor's degree from an accredited institution.
- Grade point average of 3.0 or above calculated using the upper-division coursework of the bachelor's degree.
- Proof of language proficiency for international applicants: TOEFL score of 100 or above.