

# Master of Healthcare Management (MHCM)



## OVERVIEW

Take your knowledge of the healthcare industry to the next level with a Master of Healthcare Management from AIU®. At AIU you can study the healthcare industry and have the opportunity to develop a comprehensive understanding of how the healthcare industry works. Our multi-disciplinary curriculum is specifically designed to help students prepare to pursue more responsibility in this complex and ever-changing industry.

## CURRICULUM INCLUDES

AIU's Master of Healthcare Management program is designed for busy professionals. This intensive 45-credit program covers global, historical, organizational and operational perspectives across multiple disciplines such as law, marketing, business, government, finance, accounting, ethics and technology. For example:

**Healthcare Administration:** offers students an overview of the healthcare delivery system in the United States. Topics include composition, function, and interrelationships of organizations and professional groups within the system.

**Healthcare Leadership and Management:** examines topics such as strategic planning, organizational design and change, departmental interaction, team building, operational budgets and ethics in healthcare.

**Healthcare Strategies:** focuses on planning and strategic development of healthcare organizations.

**Capstone - Strategic Management for Healthcare:** gives students the opportunity to apply knowledge they've learned throughout the program. During this course the class will analyze situations and develop strategies that address issues with multiple stakeholders while abiding by the governing principles of healthcare management derived from the program.

\*Transfer credit is evaluated on an individual basis. Not all credits are eligible to transfer. See the University Catalog for transfer credit policies.

## COURSEWORK

## WHY AIU?

AIU offers a streamlined, real-world curriculum and flexibility designed to help you schedule school around your life, not the other way around.

To accommodate busy lives, we offer full- and part-time program options and transfer-in credit\* for eligible college, work and military experience, which could cut down on the time it takes to earn a degree.

American InterContinental University™ is part of the American InterContinental University System, which is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission (hlcommission.org), a regional accreditation agency recognized by the U.S. Department of Education.



AIU's Business programs are programmatically accredited by the Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP).



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The AIU Master of Healthcare Management is a highly- focused degree program that allows students to study healthcare management at an advanced level.

## INDUSTRY-FOCUSED CURRICULUM

Students will get an opportunity to work through challenging scenarios common to healthcare-related organizations such as hospitals, nursing homes, insurance companies and government agencies. By studying advanced topics in healthcare management, students can work to develop a comprehensive core of specialized knowledge and skills needed for healthcare management.

## TAUGHT BY EXPERIENCED PROFESSIONALS

AIU's MHCM program is taught by a team of experienced professionals who bring their real-world perspectives into the classroom. This approach can help students better understand the qualities and skills utilized in today's healthcare industry.

## THE ACCREDITATION COUNCIL FOR BUSINESS SCHOOLS AND PROGRAMS (ACBSP)

The business programs at American InterContinental University are Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP) accredited. ACBSP accreditation means that AIU's Business Administration programs meet the rigorous standards of this accreditation association. It helps ensure that what we teach is industry-relevant in today's business environment.



## WE CAN HELP YOU LEARN HOW TO:

- Develop quality improvement strategies aimed at improving organizational performance.
- Practice collaborative leadership strategies to ensure effective healthcare delivery to solve healthcare problems.
- Evaluate qualitative and quantitative quality improvement data to influence processes and financial outcomes of healthcare decisions.
- Assess the opportunities and threats of innovative technology for evolving healthcare delivery systems.
- Evaluate potential ethical and legal dilemmas in healthcare using ethical principles.
- Manage healthcare practices through the effective communication of processes, policies, and regulations.

## CORE COURSES

ACG 510	Accounting for Managers	4.5
HCM 518	Healthcare Leadership and Management	4.5
HCM 528	Healthcare Information Systems Management	4.5
HCM 530	Healthcare Administration	4.5
HCM 532	Legal and Ethical Implications in Healthcare	4.5
HCM 535	Healthcare Market Research and Analysis	4.5
HCM 540	Healthcare Strategies	4.5
HCM 542	Healthcare Financial Management and Decision Making	4.5
HCM 599	Capstone—Strategic Management for Healthcare	4.5
MGT 555	Employment Law	4.5

## Total MHCM Degree Requirements

**45 Credits**

AIU cannot guarantee employment, salary, or career advancement. Not all programs are available to residents of all states.  
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