Health Systems Management Degree Requirements:

This 42- to 45-credit program requires the following:

Management Core Courses (18 credits)

- The Legal Environment of Health-Care Management (HSMG 630)
- Health Systems Management: Organizational Design and Human Resources (HSMG 766)
- Health-Care Systems, Organization and Management* (PUAD 750)
- Policy Issues in Health Care (PUAD 751)
- Health Administration (PUAD 755)
- Strategic Management in Health Care (PUAD 757)

Epidemiology Core Course (3 credits)

Choose one.

- Epidemiology (HSMG 640)
- Epidemiology of Health Services (HSMG 643)

Quantitative Core Courses (9 credits)

Three courses are required.

- Biostatistics (HSMG 632) (*This is a prerequisite for the following three courses.*)
- Quantitative Management Methods for Decisions in Health Systems (HSMG 650)

and either

- Survey Research and Data Analysis for Health Administrators (HSMG 651)
 - or
- Health Planning and Program Evaluation (HSMG 691)

Financial/Information Technology Core Courses (12 credits)

Four courses are required.

- Health-Care Management Information Systems (HSMG 695)
- Health Insurance and Prepaid Health Care (HSMG 697)

and two of the following:

- Accounting for Health-Care Organizations (ACCT 761)
- Health Finance (HSMG 699)
- Health Economics (HSMG 701)

Additional Degree Requirement (3 credits)

• Internship (HSMG 752)*

* Students with relevant coursework and/or professional experience may petition a waiver of this course requirement, bringing the total number of credits required down to 42 from 45.