

Bachelor of Science in Healthcare Administration

Catalog: FALL 2025/SPRING 2026/SUMMER 2026

Admitted Date: _____

NSHE ID: _____

Date Advised: _____

Student: _____

GPA: _____

Advisor: _____

Entrance requirements: Students must meet and maintain the School of Public Health minimum GPA requirement of **2.75** for admission into the Department of Healthcare Administration and Policy. <https://www.unlv.edu/publichealth/admissions/bs-hca>

First and Second Year Seminar 5-6 Credits

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
HSC 100 or other FYS	2			
PBH 205 (satisfied by major)	-			

English 6 Credits

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
ENG 101	3			
ENG 102	3			

U.S. and NV Constitution 3-6 Credits

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem

Mathematics (not MATH 121/122/123/132) 3 Credits

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
MATH 124 or higher (C or higher)	3			

Life and Physical Science 7 Credits

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
BIOL 100 w/ Lab (preferred)	3/1			
	3			

Analytical Thinking 3 Credits

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
	3			

Humanities 6 Credits

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
COM 101 (preferred)	3			
	3			

Fine Arts 3 Credits

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
	3			

Multicultural 3 Credits

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
HCA 203 (for major)	-			

International 3 Credits

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
	3			

Foundation Requirements 18, 21, or 24 Credits

*Min C Grade in courses below

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
HCA 216* <u>OR</u>	3			
ACC 201 AND	3			
ACC 202	3			
HCA 205** <u>OR</u>	3			
ECON 102 AND	3			
ECON 103	3			
IS 101	3			
SOC SCI: PSY 101 (preferred)	3			
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KIN 200 or other approved Statistics	3			

HCA Core Requirements

36 Credits

* 2.75 GPA or better in Major Courses

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
HCA 175 U.S. Healthcare System	3			
HCA 201 Healthcare Law	3			
HCA 202 Epi. Conc. In Healthcare Admin.	3			
PBH 205 Intro to Public Health	3			
HCA 299 Develop. Leaders in Healthcare	3			
HCA 300 Mgmt of Health Service Orgs	3			
HCA 302 Healthcare Finance	3			
HCA 308 Healthcare Info Sys. Mgmt.	3			
HCA 330 Strategic Planning	3			
HCA 402 Quantitative Mgmt.	3			
HCA 403 Managed Healthcare	3			
HCA 404 H.R. Mgmt. – Healthcare Orgs.	3			

HCA Pre-Practicum and Practicum

6-9 Credits

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
HCA 401 Pre-Practicum in Healthcare Adm.	3			
HCA 493 Healthcare Practicum	6			

HCA Guided Electives

12-15 Credits

* 2.75 GPA or better in Major Courses

	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
HCA 203 Multi. Diversity & US Healthcare	3			
HCA 431 Quality Mgmt in HC Orgs.	3			
HCA 452 Health Politics & Policy	3			
HCA 480 Mgmt/Org Long Term Care	3			
(see note for Guided Elective options)				

Electives (as needed to reach 120 min credits)

0-13 Credits

	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem

Total number of Credits

(120 Minimum)

Last 30 credits in residency

YES or NO

Students will be assigned Pre-HCA designation until they have completed the follow pre-major requirements with a "C" or higher:

1. MATH 124 or higher,
2. PSY 101, SOC 101, or approved Social Science,
3. HCA 175,
4. A minimum 2.75 cumulative GPA.

* Must maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.75 or better in HCA courses. **Guided Electives** listed are preferred by the department; advisors can substitute approved courses. Extra 3 credits of Guided Electives are required if HCA 493 is approved for 3 credit reduction (HC experience).

Note: In the healthcare profession, fingerprinting may be required.