

Florida A & M University School of Allied Health Sciences
Division of Health Care Management
Master of Health Administration Course Descriptions

Number	Course Title	Credits	Course Description
HSA 5103	Introduction to Health and Medical Care Organizations	3	Analysis of the interaction of health organizations with political, financial, cultural, economic, and social systems. Emerging alternative delivery systems are explored.
HSA 5426	Legal Aspects and Ethics in Health and Medical Care	3	Legal and ethical considerations affecting the organization and management of health care institutions.
HSA 5752	Health Care Biostatistics	3	This course provides the student with basic knowledge in the application of statistics.
HSA 5926	Executive Seminar in Health & Business Communications	3	An overview of communication theory and its application in health care management.
HSA 5935	Professional Leadership Development I	1	This course is the first part of a learning experience designed to enhance the professional socialization of students.
HSA 6149	Health Care Planning and Marketing	3	Planning and marketing strategies and outcomes examined from the perspective of health care organization and professional.
HSA 6175	Health Care Financial Management I	3	Application of financial and accounting principles and concepts in health management.
HSA 6178	Health Care Financial Management II: Case Studies	3	Case presentations involving financial issues, trends, and problems facing health organizations.
HSA 6342	Leadership and Human Resources Management in Health Care	3	Leadership and human resources theories, principles, concepts and techniques used by health care managers to maximize the effectiveness of employees.
HSA 6385	Quality Management in Health Care	3	This course presents the concepts and organizational foundations of quality and the provision of quality care in a health care delivery environment.
HSA 6388	Managerial Skills Development and Application	3	This course focuses on assisting students to further their understanding of the healthcare environment through case competitions, volunteerism, webinars, and professional certifications. Students integrate and apply core concepts by participating in national case competitions.
HSA 6507	Health Information Systems	3	Concepts and implementation of clinical and health information systems to support managerial planning, control, decision making, and management.
HSA 6735	Application of Research Methods in Health Care Management	3	An application of statistical methods, quantitative methods, and operations research within health services management and policy contexts.
HSA 6875 Or	Health Management Fieldwork Or	6	A semester-long, project-based fieldwork experience in a health care organization or agency. A Criminal Background Screening is required.
HSA 6978	Master's Thesis		Or Must be declared by the student and approved by the program coordinator in the third semester of the program. Preparation of a Master's thesis consistent with requirements of the School of Graduate Studies and Research
HSA 6925	Professional Leadership Development II	1	This course is the second part of a learning experience designed to enhance the professional socialization of students.
HSA 6938	Health Management Capstone	3	The course is designed to provide students an opportunity to synthesize and integrate knowledge from all formal and informal coursework.