



Operational Excellence and Assessment Support

Academic Learning Compacts

College of Health and Public Affairs Academic Learning Compacts

Health Information Management, B.S.

Graduates in Health Information Management will demonstrate:

Discipline Specific Knowledge, Skills, Behavior and Values Outcomes

1. Proficiency in medical coding skills (ICD-9-CM and CPT) sufficient to enter the field of Health Information Management.
2. Proficiency in computer skills sufficient to enter the Health Information Management field.
3. The ability to complete administrative projects specific to the HIM field.
4. Adequate management skills as noted by the clinical supervisor and HIM program coordinator.
5. Health Information Management graduating students will become professional members of the American Health Information Management Association (AHIMA) and will take the Registered Health Information Administrator (RHIA) credentialing examination

Critical Thinking Outcomes

6. Proficiency in medical coding skills (ICD-9-CM and CPT) sufficient to enter the field of Health Information Management.
7. Preparation in performance improvement skills to enter the Health Information Management field.

Communication Outcomes

8. Proficiency in business writing related to selected assignments within the HIM field.
9. The expertise necessary to effectively communicate with physicians, nurses, other healthcare professionals and patients.
10. Proficiency in oral communication which is necessary for effective and efficient HIM Department teamwork, leadership, and management.

Assessment of Health Information Management Outcomes

These outcomes will be assessed using a variety of assessment methods, including:

- national certification exam

- case study
- clinical evaluations
- writing assignments
- oral presentations
- survey
- group project

Outcomes will be posted in PDF format on the Program in Health Information Management web site and be available in hard copy in the Department of Health Professions.