Healthcare Program Map

Location:
Online

Program Code:
31-530-2

Offering:
Online

Degree Type:
Technical Diploma

Petition Window:
March/October

Start Dates:
August/January

Total Credits:
33

RELATED PROGRAMS
- Health Information Technology
- Healthcare Customer Service

Medical Coding Specialist Program

1. Prerequisites

Semester 1	FALL/SPRING/SUMMER	Cr
(1) ENG-195	Written Communication	3
	(or) ENG-201 English 1 ‡	
(1) HEALTH-101	Medical Terminology ^	3
(1) HEALTH-107	Digital Literacy for Healthcare ^	2
(1) HEALTH-104	Culture of Healthcare ^	2
(1) BIOSCI-189	Basic Anatomy	3
	(or) BIOSCI-177 General Anatomy and Physiology	
	(or) BIOSCI-201 AND BIOSCI-202	
	Anatomy and Physiology 1 and 2	

‡ Prerequisite required.
^ Counts towards earning Healthcare Customer Service Certificate.

The course plan above is a sample schedule only. Please work with your advisor to develop a customized plan.

2. Petition Requirements

Students who petition and have all prerequisite course work completed will have priority acceptance. Students who petition and are still in progress completing prerequisite course work will be considered for acceptance based on seat availability.

(1) BIOSCI-189 or BIOSCI-177 or BIOSCI-201 & BIOSCI-202 with a grade of C or higher
(2) HEALTH-101 and HEALTH-107 with a grade of C or higher
(3) Cumulative GPA of 2.0
(4) Petition Application Form http://www.matchealth.com

3. Technical Courses

Semester 1	FALL/SPRING	Cr
(1) HIT-182	Human Diseases for Hlth Profes ‡	3
(1) HIT-197	ICD Diagnosis Coding ‡	3
(1) HIT-199	ICD Procedure Coding ‡	2
(1) HIT-162	Foundations of HIM ‡	3

Semester 2	FALL/SPRING	Cr
(2) HIT-159	Healthcare Revenue Management ‡	3
(2) HIT-165	Intermediate Coding ‡	3
(2) HIT-184	CPT Coding ‡	3

Upon Graduation

Graduates can sit for the following exams:
- The Certified Coding Associate (CCA) through the American Health Information Management Association (AHIMA)
- The Certified Professional Coder (CPC) through the American Academy of Professional Coders (AAPC)

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