

Why UNF?

Location: Jacksonville is a healthcare hub, one of the most dynamic health services marketplaces in the United States

Networking: Through work opportunities and service projects, students engage with local healthcare providers including Mayo Clinic, Baptist Health System, Florida Blue, HCA, UF Health Jacksonville and Humana

Employment Rate: UNF MHA graduates have 100% employment rate

Flexibility: Programs meet the needs of full-time working professionals while providing required knowledge and skills for future leadership opportunities in healthcare

Quality: Health Administration faculty provide a high-quality educational experience blending cutting edge business and leadership skills with a commitment to community service

Individual Attention: Because class sizes are small, students receive individual attention from faculty

Top-notch Curriculum: Students are challenged to assess actual healthcare problems and put acquired knowledge, skills, theories and strategies into practice by developing comprehensive and practical solutions for application within the healthcare industry

Study Abroad Opportunities: The MHA program offers opportunities to gain hands-on experience and learn about healthcare delivery and financing in other countries through study abroad opportunities around the globe. A dual degree option is offered: MHA/MBA



Master in Health Administration

MHA and EMHA

The University of North Florida offers two programs for the Master of Health Administration for individuals who are passionate about improving people's lives through quality healthcare.

Both programs – the Master of Health Administration and the Executive Master of Health Administration – are designed to prepare individuals to serve as effective administrators, managers and leaders in the health services field.



Executive Master of Health Administration (EMHA)

Features:

- New online program
- All online classes, with three in-person weekend seminars
- Full-time completion in about 20 months; not a part-time program
- 30 credit hours required
- Curriculum focuses on the necessary competencies critical to succeeding in a variety of healthcare settings

Benefits:

- Created to meet the needs of professionals with previous healthcare experience
- Alternative to face-to-face courses
- Online courses allow healthcare executives, physicians and clinician leaders to integrate academics with work schedules

Master of Health Administration (MHA)

Features:

- Campus based with evening classes Monday through Thursday
- Full-time completion in 20 months
- 45 credit hours
- Blends classroom instruction with field experiences
- MHA student competencies include communications, interpersonal effectiveness, critical thinking, business analysis and problem-solving, management and leadership, and professionalism and ethics
- Culminates with a practicum experience that can range from a one-semester placement with a healthcare organization to a one-year paid residency with a hospital or health system

Benefits:

- No healthcare experience required
- Class schedule accommodates working students with full-time jobs
- Provides the opportunity to pursue a leadership position with a healthcare organization
- Accredited by the Council on Accreditation of Healthcare Management Education (CAHME)
- Program has a 30-year track record of success
- The curriculum is competency-based and was developed using the latest research in healthcare management education



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