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MASTER OF HEALTH ADMINISTRATION

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Taught by experienced and practice-based faculty, the online Master of Health Administration (MHA) degree covers a range of crucial health administration skills, including methods and tools to ensure cost-effective quality care and patient safety. Students explore current health administration, health policy and public health concerns essential to the management of complex healthcare organizations. Coursework prepares learners to handle the real-world issues that healthcare managers face with robust and agile management and business skills for operations, finance, marketing, quality assurance, patient care, employee satisfaction and more. The curriculum includes a capstone course enabling students to address a real healthcare problem.

Purdue's online MHA program is intended for early and midcareer professionals looking to pursue administrator roles. A healthcare background is preferred but not required.

PROGRAM AT A GLANCE 13 COURSES | 40 CREDITS | 6 SEMESTERS

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PROGRAM STARTS THREE PER YEAR: FALL, SPRING AND SUMMER

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- Cody Mullen, Ph.D. Clinical Associate Professor Founding Program Director, Master of Health Administration

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WHAT YOU WILL LEARN

- Identify the main components and issues of the organization, financing and delivery of health services and health systems in the United States.
- Demonstrate analytical and systems thinking to identify obstacles and opportunities in organizational processes and design.
- Demonstrate leadership skills by supporting individuals and teams through coaching and mentoring to improve human capital.
- Develop financial roadmaps by interpreting and communicating financial and accounting information, developing and evaluating program budgets, and strategically investing in long-term improvements.

GRADUATE CERTIFICATES

Students who want to specialize in a healthcare administration topic can opt to earn a healthcare administration graduate certificate in one of the following areas. These nine-credit certificates can be counted toward the master's and be earned in as little as nine months.

HEALTHCARE LEADERSHIP

Learn to navigate shifting government regulations and new technology while evaluating market trends and the changing healthcare landscape. Coursework covers the best practices of economics, marketing, management and strategy for organizational success and optimal performance.

HEALTHCARE OPERATIONS

Manage the business side of healthcare with a certificate that empowers you for success in healthcare-specific finance and business. Learn about everything from accounting practices to capital infrastructure through a healthcare lens.

HEALTHCARE QUALITY IMPROVEMENT

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