

# Bachelor of Science in Health Science (BSHS): Healthcare Administration Concentration\* (FA 2021 and later)

Minimum 120 credits required for Bachelor's degree

Foundational Core (30-32 Credits)		Grade
FYWS 125 <sup>1</sup>	First Year Writing Seminar	
CTL 125	Critical Thinking	
MA _____	Foundational Core Math course	
Choose 1 course from each area *		
<sup>2</sup> Natural/Physical Science		
Literature		
History	HI-100 or HI-102	
Arts/Design/Comm.		
Philosophy		
Theology/Relig.		
Social/Behavioral Science		

Human Journey Seminars: Great Books in CIT (6 Credits)		Grade
CIT 201	CIT Seminar I	
CIT 202	CIT Seminar II	

Liberal Arts Explorations (LAE) (9 Credits Total)		Grade
Student must complete one course in each area. (see list on Registrar's Website - checksheets)		
Humanistic Inquiry (3 credits)		
Social and Global Awareness (3 credits)		
Scientific Literacy (3 credits)		

\* See list of courses.

<sup>1</sup>(Requires Grade C or higher)

<sup>2</sup>Science/Natural Science courses includes

approved Math and Computer Science courses. Students

are required to take at least one course in Biology, Chemistry, or Physics in the Foundational or Liberal Arts Exploration Core.

CS and MA courses may be used as a Science/Natural Science in either the Foundational Core **or** as a requirement in the LAE Core

but not in both categories.

<sup>3</sup>Only offered in Dingle, Ireland

<sup>4</sup>Also offered in Dingle, Ireland

Note: MA 006 and ESL courses **will not** count towards the 120 credit graduation requirement.

Approved Study Abroad courses may be used to satisfy requirements for the foundational core or a Liberal Arts Exploration

A maximum of 8 Applied Music credits may be applied towards graduation

Required Curriculum for HS Majors <sup>1</sup> (22 Credits)		Grade
HS 200	Introduction to Healthcare and Health Professions	
HS 210	Healthcare Leadership (1 cr)	
HS 204	Introduction to Research in Health Science	
HS 306	Health Management Info Systems	
HS 315	Behavioral and Mental Health	
HS 351	Legal and Ethical Aspects of Healthcare	
HS 353	Diversity and Disparities in Healthcare	
HS 355	Health Research Capstone	

Healthcare Administration Core Courses <sup>1</sup> (21 Credits)		Grade
MGT 101	Organization Management	
MGT 202	Organizational Behavior	
HS 202	Health and Wellness in Later Life	
HS 302	Healthcare Administration Practice	
HS 350	Healthcare Policy, Politics and Advocacy	
HS 352	Healthcare Leadership	
HS 354	Improving Healthcare Quality and Safety	

Healthcare Administration Elective Courses <sup>1</sup> (9 Credits)		Grade
HS 230 <sup>4</sup>	Intro to Global Health	
HS 299	Special Topics in Health Science	
HS 304	Community and Public Health	
HS 307	Alternative Healing Modalities	
HS 308	Fundamentals of Nutrition (4 cr)	
HS 309	Professional Interactions in Healthcare Settings	
HS 310 <sup>4</sup>	Human Growth and Development Across the Lifespan	
HS 317	Introduction to Emergency Preparedness	
HS 320	Sustainable Health and Nutrition	
HS 336 <sup>4</sup>	Childhood Health Inequities	
HS 342	Applied Nutrition (2 cr)	
SO 234	Sociology of Health and Healthcare	
MGT 207	Human Resources Management	
MGT 403	Management & Business Skills	
SP 109	Beginning Spanish For Health Professions	
SW 220	Medical Literacy	
HS 212 <sup>3</sup>	Population Health and Wellness <sup>4</sup>	

Required Supporting Courses <sup>1</sup> (11 Credits)		Grade
MA 131	Elementary Statistics	
BI 111/113 <sup>2</sup>	Concepts in Biology I	
MA 140 or MA 151	Precalculus or Calculus	

Health Administration Prerequisite Course		Grade
HS 299	The Language & Culture of Healthcare	

NOTE: General Electives can be used for graduate pre-requisites or general educational requirements.

NOTE: Health Science GPA of 3.0 required for BSHS Majors. No grade for HS and Supporting courses below a C.

## Checksheet Key

T	Course transferred and Requirement satisfied
W	Requirement waived
TW	Course transferred and Requirement waived

# SACRED HEART UNIVERSITY

## 3 + 2 YEAR SEQUENCING FOR PRE-Health Administration/HCA

The BSHS **3-year Accelerated Bachelor's Degree** is an undergraduate major for students who are interested in applying to the Master of Science in Health Administration program. The BSHS major will prepare students with a solid foundation in both the liberal arts and core content germane to health professions. Individualized advisement will assist students with developing a plan of study that meets pre-requisite requirements for the specific graduate program and advisement regarding GPA requirements for admission to Health Administration.

### SUGGESTED THREE YEAR SEQUENCE OF STUDY

(Certain courses can be taken in either the Fall or Spring terms. Please consult with your advisor)

YEAR 1 - Fall Session		
FYWS 125 or CTL 125	First Year Writing Seminar or Critical Thinking	3 CR
MA 140 or MA 151	Precalculus or Calculus <sup>1</sup>	4 CR
HS 200	Intro to Healthcare and Health Prof.	3 CR
Core	Foundational Core	3 CR
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		<b>Total Credits: 16</b>

YEAR 1 - Winter Session		
	Foundational Core	3 CR
		<b>Total Credit Hours: 3</b>

YEAR 1 - Spring Session		
FYWS 125 or CTL 125	First Year Writing Seminar or Critical Thinking	3 CR
BI 111,113	General Biology I w/Lab <sup>2</sup>	4 CR
Core	Foundational Core	3 CR
Core	Foundational Core	3 CR
Elective	General Elective	3 CR
		<b>Total Credits: 16</b>

YEAR I - Summer Session I		
	Health Science Core Requirement	
		<b>Total Credit Hours: 3</b>

Year I - Summer Session II		
	Foundational Core	
		<b>Total Credit Hours: 3</b>

YEAR 2 - Fall Session		
CIT 201	Human Journey CIT I	3 CR
HCA Core	Healthcare Administration Core Requirement	3 CR
HCA Core	Healthcare Administration Core Requirement	3 CR
HS Core	Health Science Requirement	3 CR
HS Core	Health Science Requirement	3 CR
MA 131	Elementary Statistics <sup>3</sup>	3 CR
		<b>Total Credits: 18</b>

YEAR 2 - Winter Session		
	Liberal Arts Exploration	3 CR
		<b>Total Credit Hours : 3</b>

YEAR 2 - Spring Session		
CIT 202	Human Journey CIT II	3 CR
HCA Core	Healthcare Administration Core Requirement	3 CR
HCA Core	Healthcare Administration Core Requirement	3 CR
HCA Elective	Healthcare Admin. Elective***	3 CR
HS 210	Healthcare Leadership	1 CR
Elective	General Elective	3 CR
		<b>Total Credits: 16</b>

YEAR 2 - Summer Session I		
	General Elective	
		<b>Total Credit Hours: 3</b>

YEAR 2 - Summer Session II		
	Health Science Core Requirement	
		<b>Total Credit Hours: 3</b>

YEAR 3 - Fall Semester		
HCA Core	Healthcare Administration Core Requirement	3 CR
HCA Core	Healthcare Administration Core Requirement	3 CR
HS Core	Health Science Requirement	3 CR
HS Core	Health Science Requirement	3 CR
LAE	Liberal Arts Exploration	3 CR
Elective	General Elective	3 CR
		<b>Total Credits: 18</b>

Year 3 - Winter Session		
	Liberal Arts Exploration	3 CR
		<b>Total Credit Hours: 3</b>

YEAR 3 - Spring Semester		
HCA Core	Healthcare Administration Core Requirement	3 CR
HCA Elective	Healthcare Admin. Elective***	3 CR
HCA Elective	Healthcare Admin. Elective***	3 CR
Elective	General Elective	3 CR
Elective	General Elective	3 CR
		<b>Total Credits: 15</b>

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<sup>1</sup>MA 140 or MA 151 will also satisfy the Math Foundational Core

<sup>2</sup>BI 111/113 will also satisfy the Natural/Physical Science Foundational Core

<sup>3</sup>MA 131 will also satisfy LAE Theme 3: Scientific Literacy requirement

\*\*\*HS 299: The Language & Culture of Healthcare is a prerequisite course for MHA. This course will also count toward your HCA Elective Requirement.

[SHU in Dingle](#) - Study Abroad opportunity that offers courses for Health Science students in the Summer and Fall Terms