

## Transfer Requirements Guide for Health Information Management – College of Lake County

The health information management program offers professional course work in medical science, computers and systems analysis, organization and management of health information, including the legal aspects of maintaining and releasing health information. Graduates are prepared to manage health information systems in a variety of health care settings, including hospitals, ambulatory care facilities, nursing homes, home health agencies and hospice programs. Job opportunities also exist with insurance companies, state and national health care organizations and with colleges and universities as research assistants or associates. Other career opportunities include teaching, consulting and sales.

Professional course work leads to the Bachelor of Science in Health Information Management. The program is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation for Health Informatics and Information Management Education (CAHIIM) in cooperation with the American Health Information Management Association (AHIMA). Graduates are eligible to apply to write the national credentialing examination offered by the American Health Information Management Association for the Registered Health Information Administrator (RHIA) credential.

### Transfer Admission Guidelines

Health Information Management admits students only in the Fall semester. To be considered for the program applicants must complete all of the following pre-health information Management course work with a minimum GPA of 2.0/4.0 (A=4.0).

**Admission is competitive and requires supplemental application materials available from the Health Information Management Department. For on-line application materials, please refer to the Health Information Management website at [www.ahs.uic.edu/bhis/admissions/apply\\_him.php](http://www.ahs.uic.edu/bhis/admissions/apply_him.php).** Students may enter during any term to complete any of the following prerequisites in the pre-health information management program in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences. **This guide is based on College of Lake County's 2008-09 catalog and UIC's 2009-11 catalog and is valid for students who enroll through Fall 2010.**

### Worksheet

Enter department abbreviations and course numbers below as you complete course work. Total the hours earned for each requirement in the blank spaces along the right margin and total all transferrable hours at the bottom.

	Dept. & Course #	Dept. & Course #	Total Hours
<b>UNIVERSITY WRITING REQUIREMENT</b> (6 sem. hrs.)			
Eng 121,122 -- English Composition I & II	_____	_____	_____
<b>GENERAL BIOLOGY w/LAB</b>			
Bio 161 -- General Biology I	_____	_____	_____
<b>HUMAN ANATOMY &amp; PHYSIOLOGY I &amp; II w/LABS</b>			
*Bio 244,245 -- Anatomy & Physiology I & II	_____	_____	_____
<b>ADDITIONAL ANALYZING THE NATURAL WORLD COURSE</b> (3-5 sem. hrs.)			
(See reverse for approved courses)	_____	_____	_____
<b>UNDERSTANDING THE CREATIVE ARTS</b> (3 sem. hrs.)			
(See reverse for approved courses)	_____	_____	_____
<b>UNDERSTANDING THE PAST</b> (3 sem. hrs.)			
(See reverse for approved courses)	_____	_____	_____
<b>UNDERSTANDING U.S. SOCIETY</b> (3 sem. hrs.)			
(See reverse for approved courses.)	_____	_____	_____
<b>MATHEMATICS</b> (7 sem. hrs.)			
Mth 122 -- College Algebra	_____	_____	_____
*Mth 222 -- Elementary Statistics	_____	_____	_____
<b>PSYCHOLOGY</b> (3 sem. hrs.)			
Psyc 100 -- Survey of Psychology	_____	_____	_____
<b>COMPUTER SCIENCE</b> (3 sem. hrs.)			
*Cs 120 -- Introduction to Computers	_____	_____	_____
<b>EXPLORING WORLD CULTURES</b> (3 sem. hrs.)			
(See reverse for approved courses.)	_____	_____	_____
<b>ELECTIVES</b> (15 sem. hrs.)	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
		<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	_____

\*Course should be taken within five years of application to the program (exceptions may be considered depending on work experience).

**Course Substitution Table**

**UIC general education requirements changed beginning in Fall 2007. Transfer students who enroll at UIC through Spring 2009 will be allowed to follow either the GE pattern used prior to Fall 2007 or the new GE pattern adopted for Fall 2007. Transfer students who enroll at UIC in Fall 2009 or later will be required to follow the GE pattern adopted for Fall 2007.**

Use the following tables to estimate how UIC might accept any general education courses you may have already completed. Acceptable courses and credit hours may vary by institution. UIC recommends that students contact a pre-admission counselor in Undergraduate Admissions at (312) 996-4350 before choosing any courses. Only lower-division, introductory courses will be accepted for general education. **If a course is listed in more than one category, that course may only fulfill the requirement in one category.**

**ANALYZING THE NATURAL WORLD**

Biology	122	General Biology II	Earth Science	121	Physical Geology
	120	Environmental Biology		122	Historical Geology
	221	General Zoology		120	Earth Science
	222	General Botany		121	Intro. to Astronomy
	224	Human Heredity & Evolution	Physics	120	Practical Aspects of Physics
	225	Environmental Problems		121	General Physics I
Chemistry	120	Chemical concepts		122	General Physics II
	121	General Chemistry I		123	Physics for Science & Engr. I
	123	General Chemistry II		124	Physics for Science & Engr. II
	125	Elementary Organic Chemistry			

**UNDERSTANDING THE CREATIVE ARTS**

Art	121	Intro. to Art	Humanities	121	Intro. to Humanities I
	240,241,	History of Art		122	Intro. to Humanities II
	242			123	Intro. to Film
	260	History of Photography		125	Intro. to Fine Arts I
English	241	Intro. to Poetry		126	Intro. to Performing Arts
	243	Intro. to Fiction		225	The Art of Dance
	227	Intro. to Shakespeare		128	Intro. to Middle Eastern Civilization
	225,226	English Literature			
	223	Survey of Major American Writers		129	Intro. to East Asian Civilization
	229	20 <sup>th</sup> Century American Lit.		221	American Decades
	129	Women in Literature		222	Film and Society
	263	Early Amer. Minority Writers	Italian	223	Intro. to International Film
	264	Mod. Amer. Minority Writers	Music	223,224	Italian Civilization
	228	World Literature		124	Intro to Music
	244	Mythology and Fairy Tales		127	Fundamentals of Music
	246	Latin American Writers		140	20 <sup>th</sup> Century Music
French	223,224	French Civilization	Spanish	224	Music Literature
German	223,224	German Civilization	Theater	223,224	Spanish Civilization
				223	Play Analysis for Production

**UNDERSTANDING THE PAST**

Anthropology	121	Intro. to Anthropology	History (cont.)	123,124	Modern Europe
	224	Intro. to Archaeology		129	Women in History
	222	Intro. to Phys. Anthropology		223	American Popular Culture
English	227	Intro. to Shakespeare		225	American Labor History
History	121,122	History of Western Civilization		240,241	Afro-American History
	221,222	U.S. History		126	Hist. of Cont. Non-Western Civ.
	127	History of Chinese Culture and Society	Theater	223	Play Analysis for Production

**UNDERSTANDING U.S. SOCIETY**

Criminal Justice	121	Intro. to Criminal Justice	History (cont.)	225	American Labor History
Economics	221	Macroeconomics		240,241	Afro-American History
	222	Microeconomics	Humanities	221	American Decades
English	223	Survey of Major Amer. Writers	Political Science	121	American National Politics
	229	20 <sup>th</sup> Century American Lit.		122	State & Local Politics
	128	Linguistics & Society	Sociology	121	Intro. to Sociology
	263	Early Amer. Minority Writers		222	Social Problems
	264	Mod. Amer. Minority Writers		223	Sociology of the Family
History	221,222	U.S. History		225	Class, Race & Gender
	223	American Popular Culture			

**EXPLORING WORLD CULTURES**

Anthropology	221	Cultural Anthropology	History (cont.)	126	Hist. of Count. Non-Western
	121	Intro. to Anthropology	Humanities	128	Intro. to Middle Eastern Civ.
	224	Intro. to Archaeology		129	Intro. to East Asian Civilization
	228	Cross-Cultural Relationships		223	Intro. to International Film
English	228	World Literature	Italian	223,224	Italian Civilization
	244	Mythology & Fairy Tales	Philosophy	126	World Religion
	246	Latin American Writers		221	Asian Philosophy
French	223,224	French Civilization	Political Science	221	Comparative Political Systems
German	223,224	German Civilization		222	International Relations
History	127	Hist. of Chinese Cult. & Soc.	Spanish	223,224	Spanish Civilization