

Transfer Requirements Guide for Health Information Management – Kankakee Community College

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. 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 Kankakee's 2009-10 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
UNIVERSITY WRITING REQUIREMENT (6 sem. hrs.)			
Eng 1613,1623 -- English I & II	_____	_____	_____
GENERAL BIOLOGY w/LAB			
Biol 1514 -- General Biology I	_____	_____	_____
HUMAN ANATOMY & PHYSIOLOGY I & II w/LABS			
*Biol 2644,2654 -- Anatomy & Physiology I & II	_____	_____	_____
ADDITIONAL ANALYZING THE NATURAL WORLD COURSE (3-5 sem. hrs.)			
(See reverse for approved courses)	_____	_____	_____
UNDERSTANDING THE CREATIVE ARTS (3 sem. hrs.)			
(See reverse for approved courses)	_____	_____	_____
UNDERSTANDING THE PAST (3 sem. hrs.)			
(See reverse for approved courses)	_____	_____	_____
UNDERSTANDING U.S. SOCIETY (3 sem. hrs.)			
(See reverse for approved courses.)	_____	_____	_____
MATHEMATICS (8 sem. hrs.)			
Math 1814 -- College Algebra	_____	_____	_____
*Math 1774 -- Statistics	_____	_____	_____
PSYCHOLOGY (3 sem. hrs.)			
Psyc 1513 -- Intro. to Information Processing	_____	_____	_____
COMPUTER SCIENCE (3 sem. hrs.)			
*Cs 140 -- Business Computer Systems	_____	_____	_____
EXPLORING WORLD CULTURES (3 sem. hrs.)			
(See reverse for approved courses.)	_____	_____	_____
ELECTIVES (13 sem. hrs.)	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
		GRAND TOTAL	_____

*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	1524	General Biology II	Chemistry (cont.)	1524	General Chemistry II
	1554	Human Biology	Physical Science	1524	Intro. to Physical Science
	1584	Environmental Biology	Physics	1514	General Physics I
	1614	General Zoology		1524	General Physics II
	1714	General Botany		2614	Physics I
Chemistry	1514	General Chemistry I		2624	Physics II

UNDERSTANDING THE CREATIVE ARTS

Art	1553	Art Appreciation	English (cont.)	2623	Modern World Literature
	1613,1623		Humanities	1513	Introduction to Humanities
	1633	Survey of Art		1813	African-American Cultural Expression
English	1713	Introduction to Poetry	Music	1513	Music Appreciation
	1853	Introduction to Shakespeare	Spanish	2913	Spanish Literature
	2533	British Literature		2923	Spanish-American Literature
	2613	Ancient & Medieval World Lit.			

UNDERSTANDING THE PAST

Anthropology	1713	Intro. to Anthropology	History (cont.)	2513,2523	History of the U.S.
	1743	Introduction to Archaeology		2533	Latin American History
English	1853	Introduction to Shakespeare	Music	1513	Music Appreciation
History	1513,1523		Spanish	2524	Spanish & Sp-Am Culture & Civ.
	1533	Hist. of Western Civ.			
	1823	African-American History			

UNDERSTANDING U.S. SOCIETY

Economics	1553	Macroeconomics	Pol. Sci. (cont.)	1523	State & Local Government
	1563	Microeconomics	Sociology	2513	Sociology
History	1823	African-American History		2523	Contemporary Social Problems
	2513,2523	History of the U.S.		2543	Race and Ethnic Relations
Law Enforcement	1513	Intro. to Criminal Justice		2553	Marriage & The Family
Political Science	1513	American Government			

EXPLORING WORLD CULTURES

Anthropology	1713	Intro. to Anthropology	Philosophy	2613	World Religions
	1743	Introduction to Archaeology	Spanish	2524	Spanish & Sp-Am Culture & Civ.
English	2613	Ancient & Medieval World Lit.		2913	Spanish Literature
	2623	Modern World Literature		2923	Spanish-American Literature
Geography	1513	World Regional Geography			
History	2533	Latin American History			