

Transfer Requirements Guide for Health Information Management – Truman 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 Truman's 2008-10 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 101,102 -- Composition I & II	_____	_____	_____
GENERAL BIOLOGY w/LAB			
Bio 121 -- Biology I	_____	_____	_____
HUMAN ANATOMY & PHYSIOLOGY I & II w/LABS			
*Bio 226,227 -- Human Structure & Function 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 140 -- College Algebra	_____	_____	_____
*Math 125 -- Introductory Statistics	_____	_____	_____
PSYCHOLOGY (3 sem. hrs.)			
Psyc 201 -- General Psychology	_____	_____	_____
COMPUTER SCIENCE (6 sem. hrs.)			
*Cis 101 -- Intro. to Computer Information Systems AND	_____	_____	_____
*Cis 120 -- Intro. to Microcomputers	_____	_____	_____
EXPLORING WORLD CULTURES (3 sem. hrs.)			
(See reverse for approved courses.)	_____	_____	_____
ELECTIVES (10 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	114	General Education Biology	Geology	201	Physical Geology
	115	Human Biology	Physics	231	General Physics I
	122	Organismal Biology		232	General Physics II
Botany	201	General Botany I		233	General Physics III
Chemistry	201	General Chemistry I		235	Engineering Physics I
	203	General Chemistry II		236	Engineering Physics II
	212	Survey of Organic & Biochem.	Zoology	211	General Zoology

UNDERSTANDING THE CREATIVE ARTS

Architecture	104	History of Architecture I	Literature (cont.)	111	Poetry
	105	History of Architecture II		112	Drama
Art	130	African-American Art		113	Fiction
Fine Arts	104	The World of the Cinema		114	Ideas in Prose
	105	Hist. of Painting, Sculpture, & Architecture		121	Contemporary Afri.-Amer. Lit.
	106	African Art		150	Women's Literature
	107	Hist. of Arch., Painting & Sculpture I		211	Shakespeare
	107	Hist. of Arch., Painting & Sculpture I		155	Literature & Film
	108	Hist. of Arch., Painting & Sculpture II		117	American Literature
	110	Opera & the Humanities		126	Contemporary American Lit.
French	210	Modern Civilization & Culture	Music	129	U.S. Latino Literature
	213	Intro. to Modern Literature		128	Latin American Literature
	214	Readings in Literature		101	Fundamentals of Music Theory
Humanities	107	Popular Culture		121	Intro. to Music
	201	General Course I		221	Music Lit. & History
	202	General Course II	Spanish	223,224	Music History
	212	Non-Western Humanities		213	Intro. to Modern Literature
Literature	110	Intro. to Literature	Theater Arts	214	Readings in Literature
				134	Theater in the Modern World

UNDERSTANDING THE PAST

Anthropology	201	Intro. to Biological & Cultural Evolution of Humans	History (cont.)	117	Hist. of the Chicago Metropolitan Area
History	111,112	History of the Amer. People	Humanities	205	World Literature
	115	Afro-Amer. Hist. Since 1865		210	Comparative Mythology
	141,142	Hist. of World Civilization	Music	223,224	Music History
	212	Hist. & Culture of China	Literature	211	Shakespeare
	215	History of Latin American	Religion	101	Intro. to Religion
	247,248	African History	Spanish	210	Modern Civilization & Culture
	113	U.S. Labor History		214	Readings in Literature
	114	Afro-Amer. In Amer. History			

UNDERSTANDING U.S. SOCIETY

Criminal Justice	102	Administration of Criminal Justice	Literature	121	Contemporary African-Amer. Literature
Economics	113	Economic Hist. of the U.S.		126	Contemporary American Lit.
	201	Principles of Economics I		129	U.S. Latino Literature
	202	Principles of Economics II	Political Science	201	The National Government
History	111,112	History of the Amer. People		202	Urban Govt. & Politics
	113	U.S. Labor History	Sociology	110	Religion & Society
	114	The Afro-Amer. in Amer. Hist.		201	Intro. to the Study of Society
	117	Hist. of Chicago Metropolitan Area		201	Sociology of Urban Life
	115	Afro-American History	Social Science	203	Marriage & the Family
Humanities	107	Popular Culture		105	American Social Issues

EXPLORING WORLD CULTURES

Anthropology	201	Intro. to Biological & Cultural Evolution of Humans	History (cont.)	247	African Hist. to Colonial Period
	202	Cultural Anthropology		248	African History-Modern History
Art	130	African-American Art	Humanities	212	Non-Western Humanities
Fine Arts	104	The World of the Cinema	Literature	128	Latin American Literature
	106	African Art	Philosophy	108	Philosophy of Religion
French	210	Modern Civ. & Culture	Political Science	203	Comparative Government
Geography	101	World Geography		204	International Relations
	102	Economic Geography	Religion	106	Comparative Religion
History	212	History & Culture of China	Spanish	210	Modern Civ. & Culture
	215	History of Latin America		213	Intro. to Modern Literature