

PROGRAM COURSE PATHWAY

The following sequence is the suggested pathway to complete the degree in two years. This sequence is based on satisfaction of all basic skills requirements and prerequisites and presumes a fall start date. An individual's program may vary depending on transfer institution, career objectives, or individual needs. See your academic advisor for other options and to monitor your progress.

Program Name: Healthcare Information Technician, AAS

Program Learning Outcomes (PLOs):

1. The graduate will evaluate health records for accuracy according to federal guidelines. (2,3,5,6)
2. The graduate will accurately code health care data for statistical and reimbursement purposes.(2,3,5,6)
3. The graduate will organize health records from patient files, indexes and registers for use in patient care, continuing education, research and health care planning.(1,2,3,4,5,6)
4. The graduate will manage database systems to provide access to needed health information, including computer-based patient record systems.(1,2,3,5,6)
5. The graduate will accurately regulate the security and integrity of confidential patient information. (1,2,3,4,5,6)

Courses – Asterisk (*) indicates required program courses	AGEC course?	Terms**	Credits
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First Semester: Fall

CIS 110*	Yes	F, SP, SU	3
CIS 153*		F, SP	3
HES 113*		F, SP, SU	3
CIS 115*		F, SP	3
CIS 120*		F, SP	3

Second Semester: Spring

CIS 116*		F, SP	3
CIS 131*		F, SP, SU	3
CIS 208 *		SP	3
PSY 101	Yes	F, SP, SU	3
ENG 101	Yes	F, SP, SU	3
HES 129*		F, SP	3

Third Semester: Fall

MEA 116*		F, SP	3
MEA 100*		F, SP, SU	3
MEA 130*		F, SP	3
MEA 141*		F, SP	3
BUS 204*		F, SP	3

Fourth Semester: Spring

MEA 131*		F, SP	3
CIS 210*		F, SP	3
CIS 253*		SP	3
CIS 265*		SP	3
CIS 270*		SP	3

Key:

SP= Spring

F= Fall

SU= Summer

1. Aesthetic Sensibilities: An awareness of creative expression in the world around us.
2. Communication Skills: The ability to effectively convey meaning through various media on both personal and professional levels.
3. Critical Thinking Skills and Problem-Solving: The ability to analyze data and arrive at logical and defensible conclusions.
4. Cultural Diversity and Global Awareness: An appreciation of relationships and differences in values, customs, and norms of diverse global communities.
5. Techniques of Inquiry: Use of standardized methodological framework to collect, analyze, interpret, and present findings.
6. Technological Competency: A proficiency in evolving technology to compete and flourish in society.

Total credits**63****Optional Courses:**

- Choose one Global Awareness course from the AAS General Education Checklist Credits: (3-4)
- Choose one course from the following:
BUE 105
ENG 101

****terms not guaranteed**