



Health Information Management Program

Degree Check for NCCC HIT Graduates

Students must have graduated within 3 years of applying to the USM HIM program

Students must have passed the RHIT examination

The Italicized courses are NCCC courses that can be substituted for USM courses

Required for Transfer Students

EN 111 English Composition	<i>ENGL 101</i>
COM 120 Public Speaking	<i>COMM 213</i>
EN 310 Transfer Core	_____

USM Major Core Courses

HIM 300 Principles of HIM	<i>ALHT 110</i>
HIM 330 Information Governance	_____
HIM 350 Advanced HIM	_____
HIM 360 Healthcare Administration	_____
HIM 430 Healthcare Quality Improvement	_____
HIM 440 PPE	<i>ALHT 200 & 255</i>
HIM 450 Healthcare Reimbursement	<i>ALHT 150</i>
HIM 455 Coding Administration	_____
HIM 480 Research	_____
HIM 501 Healthcare Internship	_____
HCI 410 Health Information Systems	_____
HCI 440 Healthcare Security	_____

General Education Requirements

Theology Courses (6 Hours) _____

Humanities Courses (9 Hours) _____
(Literature, History, Philosophy
or Fine Arts. Must be from at
least two different disciplines.) _____

Behavioral Science (3 Hours) *PSYC 155*
(Criminology, Psychology, or USM Sociology)

Social Science (3 Hours) _____
(Economics, Political Science, or Geography)

Mathematics (3 Hours) *(Fulfilled with required MA 230)*

Natural Science (3-4 Hours) *BIOL 257 & 258*

Lifetime Wellness (3 Hours) _____

Required Non-Program Courses

BI 258 Anatomy/ BI 259 Physiology	<i>BIOL 257 & 258</i>
HIM 200 Intro. To Healthcare	_____
HIM 210 Medical Terminology	<i>ALHE 105</i>
HIM 220 Principles of Disease I	<i>ALHE 122 & NURS 230</i>
HIM 230 Principles of Disease II	<i>ALHE 122 & NURS 230</i>
HIM 270 Healthcare Coding Systems	<i>ALHT 225 & 230</i>
CIS 360 Database Programming	_____
MA 230 Introductory Statistics	_____

The University of Saint Mary requires all transfer students with between 46-75 credit hours take three Idea Seminars. USM requires new HIM students to meet with their academic advisor to evaluate potential Gen Ed coursework substitution, RHIT exam, and other issues to ensure maximum credit and preparation for the HIM program.