DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES
MASTER OF HEALTH ADMINISTRATION

At the University of Washington’s Master of Health Administration (MHA) Program, we believe in transforming health care through effective leadership and management. The field of Health Services Administration works to improve patient care and community health by effectively managing the financial, medical, and operational resources of health care organizations.

Graduates from our MHA and Executive MHA Programs fill a wide variety of health administration roles, including junior, mid-level, and senior management; administrative fellowships; business development and project management; process management and improvement; clinical program evaluation and quality management; and policy development, analysis, and evaluation.

HIGHLIGHTS
The Master of Health Administration Program is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Management Education (CAHME) and is consistently ranked by US News and World Report as one of the top 10 programs in the nation. We have built a reputation for our unique focus on leadership development, our competency-based curriculum, and our expert faculty.

Our graduates are in high demand, and we consistently see high job-placement rates for our graduates. In 2012, 100 percent of our MHA Program graduates were placed within 3 months of graduation, and over the last 5 years, the average placement rate was 94 percent.

DEGREES AND/OR CERTIFICATES OFFERED
MHA
MHA Full-time Program (for early-career professionals),
Executive MHA Part-time Program (for mid-career professionals – classes offered once a month, Thursday-Saturday)

Concurrent Degrees (MHA Program only):
MHA/MBA, MHA/MPA, MHA/MD, MHA/JD

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APPLICANT QUALIFICATIONS
MHA Program: Designed for early-career professionals interested in health care management. Applicants represent a diverse range of undergraduate training and work experience. Competitive applicants have some work experience, preferably in the field of health care/services. Applicants must have an undergraduate degree. There are no course prerequisites.

Executive MHA Program: Designed for mid-career professionals interested in health care management. Applicants have an average of 7 to 10 years of professional experience in the field of health care and are committed to entering or advancing in management and leadership roles. Applicants must have an undergraduate degree. There are no course prerequisites.

ACADEMIC/PROFESSIONAL OPPORTUNITIES
Health Services managers are in demand across the United States. Graduates assume progressively influential leadership roles and are prepared to create, transform, and manage significant elements of health care delivery. Graduates from our programs find employment in the form of management roles in hospitals, clinics, consulting firms, health insurers, government/policy, and more.

ADMISSIONS
Applications may be submitted on-line at: https://www.grad.washington.edu/applForAdmiss/. Applicants submit a resume, GRE/GMAT scores (MHA only), 3 letters of recommendation, written statement, supplemental program application, and unofficial transcripts. International applicants may need to submit TOEFL scores.

APPLICATION DEADLINE
Autumn Quarter Entry
MHA: January 31
Executive MHA: April 30