**HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION MAJOR**

**The Health Care Admin. major requires 51 s.h.** Each course is 3 s.h. Unless otherwise noted.

**Required courses: OR Transfer course VCCS listed\***

\_\_\_\_\_ HCA 101 Introduction to HCA \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ HCA/INT 222 Social Science Statistics (Q) **OR**

\_\_\_\_\_ HSCI 321 Applying Statistical Concepts (Q) \_\_NA\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ HCA 243 Intro. To H. C. Quality & Risk Mgmt \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ HCA/Pols 245 Health Care Policy, Law & Ethics \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ HCA 250 Global Healthcare (I) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ HCA 300\* Health Care Research Methods (R) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ HCA 310\* Health Care Strategic Management (O) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ HCA 315\* Intro. To H. C. Information Management \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ HCA 320\* Finance of United States Healthcare \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ HCA 387 Internship (may be more than 3 s.h.)(C) **OR** \* note that HCA385 does not carry the C credit\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ HCA 385 Writing a Grant Proposal

\_\_\_\_\_ HCA 401 Senior Seminar (M) \_\_NA\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_­

\_\_\_\_\_ Buad 230 Marketing Principles

\_\_\_\_\_ Buad 302\* Managing Human Resources

\_\_\_\_\_ Econ 101 Principles of Microeconomics (S) (Q)

\_\_\_\_\_ Soc 260 Sociology of Medicine **OR** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**\_\_\_\_\_** Anth 208 Medical Anthropology (I) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Subtotal: 45 s.h.

HCA/INT 222 or HSCI 321 is a prerequisite for HCA 300. HCA 300 and HCA 387 are prerequisites for HCA 401. HCA 387 requires junior or senior standing and 401 requires senior standing. HCA 401 should be taken as the last HCA course.

**Choose 2 of the following courses:**

\_\_\_\_\_ HCA 125 Intro. To Public Health \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ HCA 225 Public Health Issues \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ HCA 235 Women’s Health Care Issues (G)(W) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ HCA 240 Long Term Care Administration \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ HCA 261 Epidemiology (Q) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Subtotal: 6 s.h.

**Total: 51 s.h.**

**Requirements for Emphasis in Public Health** (optional addition to HCA major)

HCA 125

HCA 225

HCA 261

HCA 235

**Please consult the HCA Program Handbook for advising information.**

**18 s.h in the major must be from Mary Baldwin University.**

**\* Transfer courses do not necessarily carry the same Learning Outcome Designations for the Common Curriculum**

HCA to MHA 4+1

Students, who are pursuing MBU’s Master of Healthcare Administration (MHA) degree, following the guidelines for the 4+1 option, may apply up to 18 semester hours of their graduate coursework to the 120 semester hours undergraduate total hour requirement.

The Bachelor of Arts in Healthcare Administration will be conferred at the completion of all BA in HCA requirements; The MHA does not need to be earned prior to the BA being conferred. Interested students are encouraged to communicate their interest in the 4+1 option to their faculty advisor and the MHA program director early in their academic career as careful academic planning is required.

Students may apply to the MHA after earning junior status. 4+1 option students must meet all MHA admissions requirements except for the earned bachelor’s degree. 4+1 option students may be granted conditional admission into the MHA until the BA in HCA is conferred. MHA Admissions requirements are available in the MHA section of the Academic Catalog.

**4+1 Option Course Substitutions:**

* In place of HCA 310, HC Strategic Management, the student can take MHA 501, Organizational and Systems Leadership
* In place of HCA 320, Economics and Finance of HC, the student can take MHA 502, The Business of Healthcare
* In place of HCA 300, HC Research Methods, the student can take MHA 503, Foundations of Research Methods in Administration
* In place of 1 HCA elective, the student can take MHA 504, Policy, Ethics, and Legal Perspectives
* In place of BUAD 302, Managing Human Resources, the student can take MHA 506 Health Analytics and Decision Support
* In place of HCA 315, Introduction to Healthcare Information Management, students can take MHA 508, Healthcare as a Socio-Technical System