# **PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION**

**Emphasis: Healthcare Management** 



### **ABOUT THIS DEGREE PROGRAM**

### A PROGRAM TO FUEL YOUR FUTURE

Learn to lead forward. The Master's Degree in Public Administration program focuses on helping you gain the skills needed to lead important projects in the public sector. Take your leadership skills to the next level by tailoring your Master's in Public Administration with a Healthcare Management emphasis.

By selecting a Healthcare Management emphasis, you will build your skills in the field of healthcare management with coursework in health rights, responsibilities, policy and economics.

### **CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

Graduates of DeVry University's Keller Graduate School of Management Master of Public Administration program with an emphasis in Healthcare Management may consider, but are not limited to the following careers:

- Administrative Services Manager
- Health Services Manager
- · Medical Services Manager
- Regulatory Affairs Manager

### WHAT YOU'LL LEARN

#### PROGRAM CORE

- Collaborate in a dynamic work environment to support community in a global environment
- Analyze data to help make informed business decisions
- Identifying opportunities for technology innovation
- Integrate managerial and technical skills to boost operating efficiencies
- Examine the alignment of organizational vision with structure, processes and culture
- Strategically direct teams and businesses

### **HEALTHCARE MANAGEMENT EMPHASIS**

- Survey the major components and organizational interrelationships of the U.S healthcare delivery system across the continuum of care
- Examine the growing importance of legal and ethical matters in healthcare from the manager's perspective
- Analyze the unique features of healthcare finance, including payment sources and reimbursement arrangements
- Examine the relationship between healthcare economics and public policy
- Consider the evolution and development of managed care approaches to delivering and financing health services in the United States

### **QUICK FACTS**



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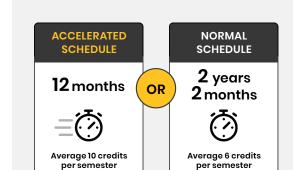
### **ACCREDITATION MATTERS**

Keller's Master of Public Administration program has achieved voluntary accreditation from the Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP, <a href="https://www.acbsp.org">www.acbsp.org</a>), demonstrating that it has met the standards of business education that promote teaching excellence.



### TWO-IN-ONE

Earn your Master's in Public Administration with an emphasis in Healthcare Management and get a Health Services Management Graduate Certificate along the way.<sup>2</sup>



### ACCELERATE AT YOUR PACE

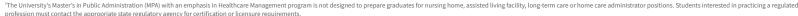
Choose the schedule that best fits your goals and commitments. With at least **9 credit hours**, of qualifying Prior Learning Credit and an accelerated pace, you can earn your **Master's Degree** in as few as **12 months**.

Or, follow a normal schedule and complete your program in 2 years 2 months.

Assumes continuous, year-round enrollment with no breaks

Eligibility and application of course waivers varies based on the type of course waiver credit earned, the student's enrolled location and/or the student's state of residence. For more information, please refer to the Course Waiver section of the Keller academic catalog.

For the Health Services Management certificate program, every course counts towards the Master of Public Administration program with a concentration in Healthcare Management. At the time of application to the next credential level, an evaluation of qualifying transfer credit will occur and the most beneficial outcome will be applied.





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### **PROGRAM CORE**

### **ACCOUNTING & APPLIED MATHEMATICS**

ACCT500\* Essentials in Accounting, Finance and Economics

MATH534\* Applied Managerial Statistics

### STRATEGIC BUSINESS

HRM587 Managing Organizational Change
MIS540 Innovation Through Technology
PROJ586 Project Management Systems

### **MANAGEMENT**

MGMT501\* Organizational Structures and Business Processes

MGMT591 Leadership and Organizational Behavior

### **CAPSTONE**

PA601 Public Administration Capstone

\*Students who hold an undergraduate business degree, a technology degree or a degree with a technology specialization may be eligible to waive up to three courses (nine credit hours). Students with undergraduate degrees in other disciplines may also be eligible to waive select courses upon review of their undergraduate transcript. Course waiver availability varies by location. See Course Waivers for details.

### **EMPHASIS**

### **HEALTHCARE MANAGEMENT**

HSM541 Health Service Systems

HSM542 Health Rights and Responsibilities

HSM543 Health Services Finance
HSM544 Health Policy and Economics

HSM546 Managed Care



## EMBEDDED PROGRAMS – DEMONSTRATE SKILLS AT EVERY STEP

Ready to obtain an additional credential with our unique 2-in-1 design? All courses in our <u>Health Services Management Graduate Certificate</u> are embedded within the Master of Public Administration with an emphasis in Healthcare Management program. This allows you to earn your Graduate Certificate on the way to your Master's.

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