MHA

ONLINE MASTER OF HEALTH ADMINISTRATION

The Online Master of Health Administration (MHA) program develops the leadership and management skills needed to navigate today's complex U.S. healthcare system. Each course weaves in themes of effective communication, ethics, equity, evidence-based management, leadership, and career development. This CAHME-accredited program leverages NYU Wagner's high-caliber faculty and resources and incorporates innovative tools and technologies, such as simulations, to provide interactive learning experiences.

NYU Wagner's Online MHA program is really interactive. You're taught by industry professionals who have years of experience, and you're in class with healthcare peers who bring unique perspectives that create a great learning environment."

Dennis Liu (MHA 2021)



PROGRAM FEATURES

Flexible & Part-Time
Designed to help working healthcare professionals balance their careers and studies

Engaging Online Learning
Attend a required live class session for each course every week. Sessions are 60–90 minutes, depending on the course.

Expert Faculty
Learn from leading researchers and industry professionals shaping healthcare's future.

Practical Curriculum
Gain hands-on skills to tackle real challenges in U.S. healthcare management.

ACADEMIC OVERVIEW

The program combines flexible online coursework with required weekly live class sessions held Tuesday or Wednesday evenings. Over seven semesters, you'll develop expertise in healthcare finance, policy, operations, and strategy while learning alongside an experienced cohort that brings diverse perspectives and real-world insight to every conversation.

Students also participate in a required 2.5-day in-person experience at Wagner's NYC campus, where you'll connect with classmates, alumni, and faculty. By graduation, you'll be prepared to navigate the complexities of the U.S. healthcare system, lead with confidence, and apply critical thinking to drive meaningful impact in healthcare organizations.

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CURRICULUM

TERM 1	• Managing Healthcare Organizations • Health Policy and the Health System I
TERM 2	• Immersion: Skill-Building for Healthcare Managers (in-person in NYC) • Analyzing Data for Healthcare Management • Health Policy and the Health System II
TERM 3	• Data Visualization • Applied AI for Healthcare Leaders • Health Equity • Healthcare Law, Governance, and Ethics
TERM 4	• Accounting for Healthcare Management • Continuous Quality Improvement • Operations Management for Healthcare Organizations
TERM 5	• Managerial Accounting for Healthcare Organizations • Strategic Management for Healthcare Organizations • Healthcare Information Technology: Public Policy and Management
TERM 6	• Introduction to Health Economics • Principles of Human Resources for Healthcare Organizations
TERM 7	• Capital Financing and Advanced Issues in Financial Management • Healthcare Marketing and Strategic Communications • Entrepreneurship for Healthcare Organizations • Culminating Experience: Advanced Simulation in Healthcare Management

YOUR ONLINE LEARNING EXPERIENCE

- Live online discussions and lectures engage and connect students across the country.
- Intimate class sections enable students to build relationships with peers and faculty.
- In-depth case study analysis and group work foster a collaborative learning environment.
- Students graduate with a lifelong learning community and a professional network of faculty and alumni who are senior healthcare leaders.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- Bachelor's degree or U.S. equivalent
- At least one year of full-time experience in a U.S. healthcare-related role (strongly preferred)
- Online application
- Essays
- Transcripts
- Resume
- Two letters of recommendation
- $85 application fee

Additional Requirements for International Applicants:

- Proof of English Language Proficiency (TOEFL, IELTS, or Duolingo scores) is required if the bachelor's degree was not conducted in English.
- International Credential Evaluation is required for applicants who earned their degree outside of the US or Canada.

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