

The Alliance for Medical Management Education

The University of Texas at Dallas - The School of Management
The University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center at Dallas



Curriculum

Master of Science in Healthcare Management

The **Master of Science in Healthcare Management** is the degree of choice for physician executives. It provides the critical knowledge, skills and credentials for physicians who have moved—or are ready to move—into an administrative or leadership role in their healthcare organization.



The Master of Science degree requires completion of the nine healthcare management classes OR any eight classes plus a self-directed field study. Classes meet in Dallas in focused 4-day sessions—Saturday through Tuesday—to minimize time away from clinical practice. A different class is offered every two months. Classes may be started at any time and taken in any order. The program can be completed in as little as 14 months or extended up to six years.

Classes are jointly taught by senior business and medical school faculty with real-world healthcare experience. The curriculum includes:

- [Negotiation and Conflict Management in Healthcare](#)
- [Financial Management of Healthcare Organizations](#)
- [Strategic Leadership of Healthcare Organizations](#)
- [Medical Cost and Performance Management](#)
- [Service Quality Improvement and Patient Satisfaction](#)
- [Motivational Leadership in Healthcare Organizations](#)
- [Healthcare Information Management and Technology](#)
- [Healthcare Policy and Regulation](#)
- [Coaching Skills for Physician Leaders: The Science and Practice of Influencing Behavior](#)

Classes are eligible for graduate academic credit, Category 1 CME credit toward the AMA Physician's Recognition Award and CEU credit for healthcare administrators. A **Graduate Certificate in Healthcare Management** is awarded for successful completion of any five healthcare management classes.

Healthcare Management Executive MBA

The **Healthcare Management Executive MBA** is a general business

degree preferred by healthcare administrators and by those physicians who wish to pursue a career in healthcare consulting. It requires completion of the healthcare management curriculum plus an additional eight non-healthcare related [general business classes](#). These classes provide an integrated overview of functional areas of management as well as analytical tools for effective decision-making.

The general business classes may be taken on-line for maximum flexibility and convenience. Cited by Forbes Magazine as one of the "Best of the Web," on-line classes are taught using a combination of text, audio and teleconferencing. The on-line classes require no on-campus visits.

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