

# Master of Health Administration



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## Mission

The mission of the Master of Health Administration (MHA) program is to prepare early and mid-careerists in advanced health care management principles, concepts and applications in a hybrid-learning environment.

Our theory-to-practice model provides foundational knowledge, while building skills and abilities through application and simulation. A focus on competency development, professional growth and career advancement promotes life-long learning for students and faculty.

Graduates of the program will have the knowledge and competencies enabling them to demonstrate leadership in health care organizations throughout the region, state, and nation.

## Vision

The vision of the MHA program is to be the preeminent online Master's program in health management and administration in the United States, recognized for the skills, knowledge and competencies of our graduates, and for the excellent online teaching and scholarly contributions of our faculty.

## Values

In fulfilling our mission and pursuing our vision, the MHA Program will:

1. Support a commitment to honesty, integrity, and professional and ethical behavior;
2. Seek quality, innovation, and excellence in our program, faculty and student efforts;
3. Cultivate meaningful **online** student-faculty relationships so that each can learn, grow, and be fulfilled in their work;
4. Maintain a supportive, collegial learning environment that respects individuals and their uniqueness, preserves academic freedom, promotes lifelong learning, and values the experience, knowledge, and skill-sets that working adults bring to the program;
5. Foster a culture of leadership excellence through modeling, mentoring, and by providing opportunities for students to apply theories, concepts and principles.