# Health Care Coordination, BS

**NUHCCOBS** 

Health care is a team effort. It requires collaboration between providers and patients to deliver the best possible care. You'll learn how to assess the complex needs of patients, use resources to support patients and their families, and help individuals maximize health outcomes.

### **Program description**

The BS program in health care coordination prepares students to effectively coordinate resources to optimize individual health outcomes.

Through coursework, students build a thorough understanding of health care systems, community and public health, community resources, health education and health advocacy.

The program emphasizes patient advocacy and education, the resources available from community and public health services, and the role of health policy and financing in modern health care.

Graduates of the program are prepared to work with an interdisciplinary team to use resources, provide health education and advocate for the patient when it is needed the most.

# At a glance

- College/School: Edson College of Nursing and Health Innovation
- Location: <u>Downtown Phoenix</u>, <u>West Valley</u> or <u>Online</u>, <u>ASU Local</u>
- Second language requirement: No
- First required math course: MAT 142 College Mathematics or MAT 117 College Algebra or any math course that meets the MATH designation
- Math intensity: General

### Required courses (Major Map)

2024 - 2025 Major Map (on-campus)

2024 - 2025 Major Map (online)

Major Map (Archives)

# **Concurrent program options**

Students pursuing concurrent degrees (also known as a "double major") earn two distinct degrees and receive two diplomas. Working with their academic advisors, students can create their own concurrent degree combination. Some combinations are not possible due to high levels of overlap in curriculum.

# **Accelerated program options**

This program allows students to obtain both a bachelor's and master's degree in as little as five years. It is offered as an accelerated bachelor's plus master's degree with:

Aging, MS

#### Healthcare Innovation, MHI

Acceptance to the graduate program requires a separate application. Students typically receive approval to pursue the accelerated master's during the junior year of their bachelor's degree program. Interested students can learn about eligibility requirements and <u>how to apply</u>.

# **Admission requirements**

#### General university admission requirements:

All students are required to meet general university admission requirements.

<u>First-vear</u> | <u>Transfer</u> | <u>International</u> | <u>Readmission</u>

#### **Tuition information**

When it comes to paying for higher education, everyone's situation is different. Students can learn about <u>ASU tuition and financial aid</u> options to find out which will work best for them.

### **Change of Major Requirements**

A current ASU student has no additional requirements for changing majors.

Students should visit the <u>Change of Major form</u> for information about how to change a major to this program.

### **Attend online**

#### **ASU Online**

ASU offers this program in an online format with multiple enrollment sessions throughout the year. Applicants may view the program's ASU Online page for program descriptions and to request more information.

#### **ASU Local**

It is now possible to earn an ASU degree with <u>ASU Local</u>, an integrated college experience in which students take advantage of in-person success coaching and programming experiences on site while completing one of 130+ undergraduate online degree programs, all of which come with online faculty interaction and tutoring support.

# **Transfer options**

ASU is committed to helping students thrive by offering tools that allow personalization of the transfer path to ASU. Students may use <a href="MyPath2ASU®">MyPath2ASU®</a> to outline a list of recommended courses to take prior to transfer.

ASU has <u>transfer partnerships</u> in Arizona and across the country to create a simplified transfer experience for students. These pathway programs include exclusive benefits, tools and resources, and they help students save time and money in their college journey.

## Global opportunities

#### Global experience

With more than 300 programs available, <u>study abroad</u> allows students to tailor their experience to their unique interests and skill sets. Students majoring in health care coordination can expand their knowledge of how other countries allocate resources for health care.

With a resume enhanced by the heightened cultural competency, leadership and critical thinking skills acquired studying abroad, graduates can stand out in a competitive field.

### **Career opportunities**

Graduates of this program provide health care coordination, health advocacy and health education services to individuals and families. Program graduates may obtain employment as:

- care coordinators
- health advocates
- health care coordinators
- health care navigators

- health educators
- health resource managers
- patient advocates

Example job titles and salaries listed below are not necessarily entry level, and students should take into consideration how years of experience and geographical location may affect pay scales. Some jobs also may require advanced degrees, certifications or state-specific licensure.

Career	*Growth	*Median salary
Advocate 🌼	8.6%	\$38,520
Certified Health Education Specialist (CHES)	7.2%	\$59,990
Community Health Worker	14.1%	\$46,190
Community Specialist 🌼	6.5%	\$47,290
Health Care Support Worker (General) 🌼	5.7%	\$40,420
Health Technician (General) 🌼	6.6%	\$44,990
Healthcare Professor 🌼	19.1%	\$100,300
Medical and Health Services Manager	28.4%	\$104,830
Patient Advocate	6.6%	\$44,990
Social Services Director	9.1%	\$74,240

<sup>\*</sup> Data obtained from the Occupational Information Network (O\*NET) under sponsorship of the U.S. Department of Labor/Employment and Training Administration (USDOL/ETA).



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