Integrated Behavioral Health - Management (Graduate Certificate)

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Propel your career into the future as an innovative integrated care manager or entrepreneur, and thrive in the new culture of value-based care.

Program Description

Degree Awarded: Certificate Integrated Behavioral Health - Management (Certificate)
The integrated behavioral health management certificate meets the growing demand for health care managers of programs that integrate behavioral health into primary care and other traditional medical settings. This program trains students to manage and contain health care costs while working to obtain a return on investment through revenue management in the various health care financial models.

Students learn to develop management strategies that address the needs of populations with evidence-based practices and team-based care that is focused on quality, leveraging technology and cost effectiveness.

The program may be completed as a stand-alone program, as a supplement to a student's existing clinical skills or their current practice within an integrated team-based health care setting, or it can complement a student's major program of study.

At a Glance

- College/School: College of Health Solutions
- Location: Online

Degree Requirements
15 credit hours

**Required Core (12 credit hours)**
- IBC 601 Models of Integrated Primary Care (3)
- IBC 614 Quality and Performance Measurement, Improvement and Incentives in Health Care (3)
- IBC 626 Behavioral Health Management (3)
- IBC 630 Financial Management of Health Care (3)

**Electives (3 credit hours)**

**Additional Curriculum Information**
Students should see the academic unit for the approved course list of electives. Other coursework may be used with the approval of the academic unit.

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**Admission Requirements**

Applicants must fulfill the requirements of both the Graduate College and the College of Health Solutions.

Applicants are eligible to apply to the program if they have earned a master's degree, in a related field, from a regionally accredited institution.

Applicants must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.00 (scale is 4.00 = "A") in the last 60 hours of their first bachelor's degree program, or applicants must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.00 (scale is 4.00 = "A") in an applicable master's degree program.

All applicants must submit:

1. graduate admission application and application fee
2. official transcripts
3. statement of intent
4. one professional reference
5. current resume or curriculum vitae
6. proof of English proficiency

**Additional Application Information**

An applicant whose native language is not English must provide proof of English proficiency regardless of their current residency.

All applicants are required to submit contact information for at least one professional reference. The reference will be contacted via email to provide responses to a series of short answer questions to complete the recommendation.

Applicants are asked to respond to the following prompt for the statement of intent:
The integrated behavioral health (management) certificate focuses on management of organizations that offer integrated behavioral health services (e.g., utilizing quality improvement strategies, cost containment and control). Clearly articulate your specific career goals and the detailed ways an IBH (management) certificate will help you accomplish those goals. Please be sure to incorporate information from the program description and required courses.

**Tuition Information**

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

**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.

**Career Opportunities**

This innovative program can help advance students' career options. Those who have earned this specialization are more marketable to employers.

**Contact Information**

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