

# MBA: EXECUTIVE HEALTHCARE

This program is for physicians or mid-career healthcare executives who wish to acquire a graduate degree in healthcare administration to advance their understanding and preparedness to perform at a high level. Ideal students for this programs include clinicians who manage departments, physicians who aspire to departmental or organizational leadership, are serving on organizational leadership committees, or manage private practices or other entrepreneurial ventures. Additionally, healthcare administrators who desire to expand their knowledge base and academic preparation, or advance to higher levels of career rank will find this program appealing.

Students will be automatically registered for their courses unless the student notifies the Heider College of Business Graduate Program's Office.

## MBA: Executive Healthcare requirements (45 credits):

| Code            | Title  | Credits |
|-----------------|--|---------|
| <b>Term I</b>   |  |         |
| EMBA 771        | Executive Leadership and Organizational Behavior                             | 3       |
| EMBA 762        | Strategy for Healthcare Organizations  | 3       |
| EMBA 755        | Introduction to Healthcare Management  | 3       |
| EMBA 764        | Quality and Performance Improvement in Healthcare                            | 3       |
| <b>Term II</b>  |  |         |
| EMBA 782        | Finance for the Healthcare Manager   | 3       |
| EMBA 761        | Healthcare Marketing   | 3       |
| EMBA 774        | Management of Human Resources in Healthcare                                  | 3       |
| EMBA 781        | Legal and Ethical Considerations in Healthcare Management                    | 3       |
| EMBA 799        | Capstone   | 1       |
| <b>Term III</b> |  |         |
| EMBA 791        | Healthcare Accounting  | 3       |
| EMBA 775        | Health Policy and Economics  | 3       |
| EMBA 765        | Information Systems and Data Analytics in Healthcare                         | 3       |
| EMBA 797        | Quantitative Methods Evidence Based Decision Making in Healthcare Management | 3       |
| <b>Term IV</b>  |  |         |
| EMBA 798        | Independent Study  | 6       |
| EMBA 799        | Capstone   | 2       |
| Total Credits   |  | 45      |

## Admission Requirements

Applicants must meet the following admission requirements:

- Bachelor's degree in business or related field from a regionally accredited college or university OR a terminal degree in medicine or another advanced clinical discipline;
- Minimum of five years of management experience or clinical practice in a healthcare organization;
- Undergraduate or professional school GPA of at least 3.0;
- Official transcripts from all educational institutions attended;

- Current resume or Curriculum Vitae;
- Statement of purpose and professional aspiration (2-3 pages, double-spaced) outlining the reasons for applying for admission, professional goals, and intended utilization of degree;
- Three professional letters of recommendation from individuals familiar with the applicant's academic background, professional achievements, and personal qualities;
- Minimum TOEFL score of 577 (paper-based) or 90 (internet-based) for students for whom English is not their first language;
- Evidence of the ability to pay for the program (typically a FAFSA)