

Health Information Technology Program

Students should consider this pathway if they...

- Enjoy working at the computer and on various programs
- Are considering going to a 4-year university
- Have an interest in computer software and digital records
- Good with problem solving and math
- Likes office environments
- Can teach others how to use technology and/or software
- Are organized and good attention to detail

Required High School Courses

- English 9, 10, 11, 12
- Math 1, 2, 3, 4
- Spanish I, II
- World History
- Civics
- Amer. History
- Financial Literacy
- Earth/Environ
- Biology
- Chemistry
- Health and PE

Program Options for Students

Option 2	Required Courses* (University Transfer Component Courses)	Required Courses** (University Transfer Courses)	Required Program Courses (Not University Transfer Courses—determined by university)
Associate of Applied Science in Health Information Technology (70 hours)	ENG 111 Writing and Inquiry ENG 112 Writing/Research PSY 150 General Psychology ART 111 Art Appreciation MAT 143 Quantitative Literacy	ACA 122 College Transfer Success BIO 168 Anatomy and Physiology I BIO 169 Anatomy and Physiology II CIS 110 Introduction to Computers	HIT 110 Intro to Healthcare & Him HIT 112 Health Law and Ethics HIT 114 Health Data Sys/Standards HIT 124 Prof Practice Exp II HIT 211 Diagnosis Coding & Reporting HIT 213 Inpt Proc Coding & Reporting HIT 226 Pathophysiology & Pharmacology HIT 217 Quality & Data Analysis HIT 214 Op Procedure Coding/Reporting HIT 215 Revenue Cycle Management HIT 222 Prof Practice Exp III HIT 216 Quality Management HIT 218 Mgmt Principles in HIT HIT 280 HIM Capstone MED 121 Medical Terminology I MED 122 Medical Terminology II DBA 110 Database Concepts

*University Transfer Component Courses:

A North Carolina community college student who satisfactorily completes, with a grade of "C" or better, courses identified in the Universal General Education Transfer Component will receive credit applied toward the university's lower-division general education course requirements, subject to the following distribution limit: maximum of 6 hours in English Composition, 9 hours in Humanities/Fine Arts/Communications, 9 hours in Social/Behavioral Sciences, 8 hours in Mathematics, and 8 hours in the Natural Sciences.

**University Transfer Courses:

A North Carolina community college student who satisfactorily completes a transfer course that is not designated as a Universal General Education Transfer Component course will receive transfer credit for the course. The receiving institution will determine whether the course will count as general education, pre-major, or elective credit.

Note: To be eligible for the transfer of credits to a NC University, the student must graduate with an Associate in Arts (AA) or Associate in Science (AS) degree and have an overall GPA of at least 2.0 on a 4.0 scale and a grade of "C" or better. Students who do not complete the degree are eligible to transfer credits on a course-by-course basis.

Options after Graduating

- Enter the workforce—entry level positions in healthcare settings, technology/software companies, etc.
- Enroll in a 4-year university (transferring credit is decided by the bachelor degree granting institution)