Integrated Behavioral Health - Management (Graduate Certificate)

Program Description

Degree Awarded: Certificate Integrated Behavioral Health - Management (Certificate)

The certificate in integrated behavioral health --- management is designed to provide training to master's degree-level health care managers (or aspiring health care managers) on the integration of medical and behavioral services. Integrated health care has expanded significantly in recent years in conjunction with the expansion of the primary care medical home model and other funding initiatives that reimburse primary care practices for better managing the whole-health care of their patients, including treatment of mental health concerns and enhanced behavior change coaching that result in improved health outcomes. Despite the growing need for such clinics, few individuals have received training on models of primary care integration and business and funding initiatives required for successful integration.

At a Glance

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

Degree Requirements

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.

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 of a 3.00 cumulative GPA (scale is 4.00 = "A") in the last 60 hours of a student's first bachelor's degree program, or applicants must have a minimum of a 3.00 cumulative GPA (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. personal statement
4. one letter of professional recommendation
5. current resume or curriculum vita
6. proof of English proficiency

Additional Application Information

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

The requirements for the personal statement are outlined on the online application.

Attend Online

ASU offers this program in an online format with multiple enrollment sessions throughout the year. Applicants may view the program description and request more information here.

Contact Information