



Course Description

HIM1300 | Health Care Facility and Delivery Systems | 2.00 credits

This course will examine healthcare complexities, function of various types of health facilities, accreditation standards, Medicare law, and the American health delivery system. Students will learn the components of Medicare, Medicaid, Health Insurance Organizations (HMO's), and the federal laws that govern them.

Course Competencies:

Competency 1: The student will discuss the nation's health care system, the historical integration of insurance, and the advancement of technology by:

1. Determining coverage under Medicare and Medicaid
2. Describing how individuals access health care
3. Identifying the government's role in healthcare spending
4. Researching and reporting profiles of physicians

Competency 2: The student will discuss the role and scope of various health care settings, common diseases treated, appropriate prospective payment systems, and the laws that govern by:

1. Discussing preventative services and how it affects healthcare
2. Identifying accrediting agencies' responsibility to the community and healthcare settings
3. Analyzing the impact of fraud and abuse on healthcare premiums

Competency 3: The student will explain rising health care costs, technology integration, the impact of social and economic restrictions on health care, and the administrative need for continuous quality advances to improve care by:

1. Examining emerging technology in the quest to improve healthcare
2. Comparing differences in managed care and insurance plans
3. Recommending improvements to current healthcare delivery services and issues

Learning Outcomes:

- Formulate strategies to locate, evaluate, and apply information
- Create strategies that can be used to fulfill personal, civic, and social responsibilities
- Use computer and emerging technologies effectively