

Fort Scott Community College
TRANSFER PROGRAM TO THE UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS
B.S. in Health Information Management

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Health Information Management (HIM) is a combination of business, science and information technology. Health Information Management professionals are managers: experts in processing, analyzing and reporting information vital to the health care industry. These professionals work in hospitals, accounting firms, insurance companies, information systems vendors, government agencies, pharmaceutical research companies and others.

The HIM program begins in August when students enter their first semester of professional coursework on the KU Medical Center campus in Kansas City, KS. After graduation, HIM students are eligible to sit for the American Health Information Management Association National Registry Examination. Graduates that pass this exam become credentialed and nationally recognized as a Registered Health Information Administrator (RHIA).

Eligibility and Prerequisites

- Students enter the program after accumulating two (2) years of college course work, including prerequisite courses, totaling at least 60 hours.
- Students may apply if currently enrolled or working towards prerequisite coursework. However, all prerequisites must be completed before the start of the program.
- An overall GPA of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale for college coursework is required to be eligible to apply. No grade lower than a C is accepted in any prerequisite course.
- All individuals admitted to the program will be asked to verify that they can meet the technical standards with or without accommodations.

See <http://www.kumc.edu/school-of-health-professions/health-information-management/technical-standards.html>.

- Acceptance into the program is conditional, pending the results of the criminal background check.
- Students accepted to the program must have a personal laptop or tablet computer with minimum requirements as set forth by the program for accessing notes and taking tests in class.

Application Process

- Apply to the program by the February 1 deadline and submit the \$60 application fee.
- Arrange to have one official copy of each transcript from every college and university that you have attended sent directly to KU Medical Center. Electronic transcripts may be submitted to KUMCAdmissions@kumc.edu. For mailed transcripts, please use the following address:

Office of Admissions
Mail Stop 4029
3901 Rainbow Blvd
Kansas City, KS 66160

- Additional application materials such as a Personal Goals Statement, Resume, and 3 Letters of Reference are also required.
- Applicants must complete a video interview. A link will be provided upon submission of your application.

Applications are reviewed upon successful completion & submission of ALL materials.

Health Information Requirements:**KU Course Requirements****Ft Scott Equivalents**

ENGLISH (2 courses)					Core
ENGL 101 Composition	3		ENG 1013 English	3	GE21
ENGL 102 Critical Reading and Writing	3		ENG 1023 English	3	GE21

COMMUNICATION (1 course)					Core
COMS 130 Speaker-Audience Communication	3		SPE 1093 Public Speaking	3	GE22

MATHEMATICS (3 courses)					Core
MATH 101 College Algebra	3		MAT 1083 College Algebra	3	GE12
MATH S365 Elementary Statistics	3		MAT 2253 Elementary Statistics	3	GE12
ACCT 200 Financial Accounting	4		BUS 1013 & 2013 Accounting (both must be taken)	6	

Social Science (2 courses)					Core
PSYC 104 General Psychology	3		PSY 1013 General Psychology	3	GE3S
SOC 104 Elements of Sociology	3		SOC 1013 Sociology	3	AE41, GE11, GE3S

ETHICS					Core
PHIL 160 Intro to Ethics	3		No equivalent		AE51, GE11, GE3H

NATURAL SCIENCES					Core
BIOL 246 Intro of Physiology	3		No equivalent		
BIOL 240 Intro to Anatomy	3		BIO 1255 A&P	5	

KU Core Curriculum (additional requirements not covered by degree requirements)

Additional courses that satisfy the KU Core are continuously updated and available at <http://kucore.ku.edu/courses>.

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Goal 3: Breadth of Knowledge (3 Units)-one from each category					
Arts & Humanities				GE3H	
ART 101 Drawing I	3		ART 1013 Drawing & Composition		3
			ENG 2013 American Literature		3
			ENG 2023 American Literature 2		3
ENGL 211 Intro to Drama			ENG 2213 Intro To Literature: Drama		3
ENGL 210 Intro to Poetry			ENG 2223 Intro To Literature: Poetry		3
			ENG 2233 Intro To Lit: American Fiction		3
			ENG 2253 Intro To Lit: Short Story		3
			HIS 2703 Native American History		3
			REL 1043 Life & Thought of Paul		3
REL 104 Intro to Religious Studies	3		REL 1093 Religions of Mankind		3
			REL 1073 Old Testament Life Heritage		3
PHIL 140 Intro to Philosophy	3		PHI 1113 Philosophy Of Life		3
PHIL 148 Reason and Argument	3		PHI 1113 Classical Formal Logic		3
THR 100 Intro to Theatre	3		DRA 1313 Theater Appreciation		3
THR 106 Intro to Acting	3		DRA 1013 Acting		3
HA 150 Western Art History	3		ART 1743 Art History		3
HIST 128 Hist US thrgh Civil War	3		HIS 1013 United States History		3
HIST 129 Hist of US After Civil War	3		HIS 1023 United States History 2		3
			HIS 2013 History of Civilization		3
			HIST 2023 History of Civilization 2		3

HSES 244 Foundations of Physical Education	3	PHE 1013 Intro to Physical Education	3
Natural Sciences		GE3N	
BIOL 100 Principals of Biology	3	BIO 1215 General Biology	5
BIOL 150 Prn Molecular/Cellular	5	BIO 1225 Princ of Biology	5
BIOL 152 Princ of Organismal Biology	5	BIO 1235 Princ of Biology 2	5
BIOL 200/203 Microbiology	5	BIO 1245 Microbiology	5
		BIO 2235 General Zoology	5
CHEM 110 College Chemistry	4	CHE 1095 Basic Chemistry	5
CHEM 130 Chemistry	5	CHE 1015 General Chemistry	5
CHEM 135 Chemistry 2	5	CHE 1025 General Chemistry 2	5
PHSX 114 College Physics	5	PHS 2065 College Physics: Non-Calc	5
PHSX 211/216 General Physics	4	PHS 2015 College Physics: w/Calc	5
PHSX 212/236 General Physics 2	4	PHS 2025 College Physics 2 w/ Calc	5
		PHS 1213 Fundamentals of Physical Science	3
		PHS 1213 Fundamentals of Physical Science	5
GEOG 104 Princ Physic Geography	3	GEO 1013 Principles Of Geography	3

Goal 4: Culture and Diversity (2 Units)			
Outcome 2		AE42	
REL 104 Intro to Religious Studies	3	REL 1093 Religions of Mankind	3
GEOG 100 World Regional Geography	3	GEO 1023 World Regional Geography	3
HA 150 Western Art History	3	ART 1743 Art History	3
		HIS 2703 History of Native Americans	3
		REL 1093 Religions of Mankind	3
ANTH 108 Cultural Anthropology	3	SOC 1113 Cultural Anthropology	3

- Courses may not be used to satisfy more than one area requirement
- A maximum of 64 hours of community college course work can be applied toward a KU degree
- “S” before a number (Ex. MATH S365) indicates the course will be satisfied but will not count toward the number of Junior/Senior (upper-level) hours required for graduation
- The requirements listed above are subject to annual change
- Courses with a grade of D or below do not transfer