### **Admission Requirements**

For a complete list of admission requirements, click on Admissions at MHA.Eccles.Utah.edu.

# **Application Deadlines**

#### Fall 2018

Application Review Begins: Oct. 15 International Final Deadline: March 15 Domestic Final Deadline: June 30

# **Estimated Tuition & Fees**

Full-Time MHA: \$51,300 MHA/Full-Time MBA: \$79,000 MHA/PMBA: \$84,000 Professional MHA: \$47,000 MHA/MPH: \$53,300 MHA/MPA: \$52,700

MHA

Master of Healthcare Administration

# **Scholarship Overview**

A separate application is not required for scholarships, and all admitted students are considered for merit-based awards. Criteria for selection of awards include demonstrated excellence in academic or professional pursuits. Notification of awards is included with admission decisions.

On average, 80% of enrolled students receive scholarship awards ranging from \$5,000 to \$25,000. The amount of a scholarship award depends on the competitiveness of the admitted applicant pool.

Applicants who do not qualify for resident tuition may be eligible to receive non-resident tuition assistance. All out-of-state applicants are automatically considered for this waiver. Applicants with a Utah address who may not qualify for residency should email MHAinfo@Eccles.Utah.edu to request consideration. The Master of Healthcare Administration (MHA) program provides students with the leadership skills and technical tools needed to improve the human condition and prepare for increasingly responsible leadership roles across a broad spectrum of healthcare-delivery organizations. The small size of the MHA program ensures one-on-one attention from professors, as well as opportunities to work with some of the nation's top-ranked hospitals and healthcare facilities. Graduates develop relationships that allow them to explore remarkable opportunities in healthcare administration and much more.

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# MHA

# AT-A-GLANCE

The MHA program of study includes a hands-on cohort series and access to a top network of alumni and executives. Students exit the program prepared for leadership roles in a variety of fields, including healthcare delivery, public health, healthcare policy and health services research.



# **Top Alumni Network**

Connecting with the MHA alumni community is one of the strongest networking opportunities available to students. Our alumni are employed across the U.S. and remain highly involved with our program. They engage with students in both formal and informal ways, including helping students network with their organizations and participating in mentoring opportunities.

# **Dual Degree Programs**

- ►MHA/Full-Time MBA
- ►MHA/Professional MBA
- ►MHA/Master of Public Health
- ►MHA/Master of Public Administration\*

\*The MHA/MPA is not CAHME accredited.

# **Career Development**

The MHA career development manager works to provide career-focused training and resources that complement classroom studies and facilitate mutually beneficial connections between students, alumni and corporate recruiters. Leveraging their internship experience and network of local executives and MHA faculty, MHA students secure top-level jobs and administrative fellowships.

# CAHME accredited

- Member of the Association of University Programs in Health Administration
- Healthcare executives serve as program faculty and work closely with students.
- Students take a mix of day and evening classes.

# **Experiental Programs for MHA Students**

The MHA program offers a number of applied-learning opportunities to help students expand their network, increase their skills and connect with executive-level mentors:

- MHA Student Association
- Health Administration Case Competitions
- UMentor Healthcare Leadership Program
- ACHE Annual Congress on Healthcare Leadership



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# PROFESSIONAL MHA



# **Total Credit Hours**

#### Fall Semester Start With full-time and part-time enrollment options

# **Evening & Online Classes**

The Professional MHA (PMHA) program prepares mid-careerists for administrative positions in both the public and private sectors of the healthcare industry. Students enter the program with prior healthcare experience and can keep their full-time jobs while attending school. PMHA graduates will have the academic credentials to move into leadership positions in a variety of settings, including healthcare delivery, public health, healthcare policy and health services research.

### Work Experience

Students applying to the PMHA program must have a minimum of three years of full-time work experience in healthcare prior to the start of their degree. Students who are currently employed in healthcare have the opportunity to maintain full-time employment while pursuing the PMHA program.

#### **Degree Schedule**

Entering full-time students take courses in a lock-step schedule with 9-12 credit hours during fall and spring semesters and three credit hours during summer semesters. Classes are scheduled in the evenings or are available online.

#### Instructors

PMHA students learn from experts in the field. Most courses are taught by current or recently retired healthcare executives. Lessons learned will be immediately applicable to your work situation.

### **Career Outcomes**

The combination of the practical knowledge you will gain from the program and your work experience will give you the skills and knowledge required to move into leadership positions.

# CURRICULUM

#### Administrative and Management Skills - 9 Credit Hours

- ACCTG 6600 Financial Accounting (3)
- IS 6550 Healthcare Information Technology (3)
- MGT 6530 Competitive Advantage through People (1.5)
- MGT 6540 Ethics of Management (1.5)

#### Analytics -9 Credit Hours

- OIS 6040 Data Analysis and Decision Making I (1.5)
- OIS 6420 Quality Management (1.5)
- OIS 6670 Services Operations (3)
- Any Approved Data Analytics Course (3)



#### Social and Behavioral Sciences - 9 Credit Hours

- ECON 6190 Health Economics (3)
- PADMN 6321 Health Policy (3)
- MHA 6850 Population Health Management (3)

#### MHA Cohort Courses -21 Credit Hours

- MHA 6530 Healthcare Administration (3)
- MHA 6540 Managerial Accounting and Finance for Healthcare (3)
- MHA 6550 Marketing for Health Professionals (3)
- MHA 6560 Health Law (1.5)
- MHA 6802 Healthcare Financial Management (3)
- MHA 6803 Healthcare Strategic Management (3)
- MHA 6804 Principal Based Leadership in Healthcare (1.5)
- MHA Approved Elective (3)



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