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Transfer Guide for HIIM

This guide is provided for students who are planning to transfer to the Health Informatics and Information Management (HIIM) program at The College of St. Scholastica after completing the Health Information Management (HIM) Associate of Applied Science (AAS) program.

Central Oregon Community College
Health Information Management AAS

Central Oregon Community College HIM program courses	St. Scholastica HIIM BS Requirement Met
BI 231/BI 232/BI 233 Human Anatomy and Physiology 1/2/3 or BI 105 Human Biology for Health Science Careers AND HIM 100	BIO 2002 Human Body in Health and Disease
AH 111 Medical Terminology	HSC 2209 Medical Terminology
HIM 100 Pathophysiology and Pharmacology	HIM 2102 Intro to Pharmacotherapeutics
HIM 200 Intro to Health Information Management	HIM 2110 Concepts & Principles of HIM
HIM 250 Health Information Technologies	HIM 2111 HIM Technologies in Practice
HIM 210 Legal and Ethical Aspects of Healthcare	HIM 3132 Medicolegal Issues
HIM 120/121/122 Coding Classifications 1,2,3	HIM 3211 Clinical Classification Systems
HIM 260 Management Principles and Leadership in Healthcare	HIM 4315 Management Tools and Strategies
HIM 271 Quality Improvement in Healthcare AND HIM 140 Healthcare Statistics	HIM 4231 Clinical Quality Management
HIM 240 Project Management	Substitution-CIS 4108 Project Management
HIM 110 HIPPA for HIM Professionals HIM 130 Reimbursement and Classification Systems HIM 220 Revenue Cycle Management HIM 230 Health Info Standards and Governance HIM 270 Health Info Compliance and Analytics HIM 290 Professional Practice Experience CIS 120 Computer Concepts CIS 131 Software Applications	General electives Credits apply toward meeting the 120 semester credit degree requirement
WR 121 Z Composition 1	First Year Composition
COMM 218 Z Interpersonal Communication	Interpersonal Communication

Remaining HIIM Major Requirements (taken at St Scholastica)

HIM 3212 Clinical Terminologies & Health Data Standards (2 cr)
HIM 4222 Clinical Data Management (3 cr)
HIM 4415 Health Data Analytics (4 cr)
HIM 4423 Applied Research in HIM (3 cr)
HIM 4555 Professional Practice Placement (4 cr)
HIM 4556 Seminar in Health Information Management (2 cr)
HSC 2203 U.S. Healthcare Systems (4 cr)
CIS 1001 Computer Science Principles (4 cr)
CIS 3107 Database Modeling (4 cr)
CIS 3108 Systems Analysis and Design (4 cr)
CIS 3205 Management Information Systems (4 cr)
PSY 3331 Statistics (4 cr)

General Education Requirements

The HIIM BS degree requires the following general education courses for transfer students. Some of the general education requirements will be met by courses in the Health Information Management AAS program. Students may transfer courses to fulfill additional general education requirements or they may complete all remaining general education requirements at St. Scholastica. Students must complete two upper-division general education courses at St. Scholastica that fulfill the Integrations requirement. A minimum course grade of 'C-' is required to transfer a general education course.

First Year Composition - Met by WR 121 Z Composition 1.
Interpersonal Communication - May by COMM 218 Z Interpersonal Communication.
Mathematics - Met by the HIIM major (CIS 1001 and PSY 3331)
Natural Science - Met by BI 231/BI 232/BI 233 Anatomy and Physiology 1/2/3 or BI 105 Human Biology.
Veritas elective - Met by HSC 2203 in the HIIM major.
History course
Fine Arts course
Social Science course
Literature course
Philosophy course
Religious Studies course

Special note for students with a previously earned Associate of Arts (AA) or Associate of Science (AS) degree. St. Scholastica accepts AA and AS degrees to fulfill all general education requirements for the HIIM program, except a Religious Studies and upper-division Integrations course.

Students are not required to have all general education requirements completed prior to admission to the HIIM program. Students are encouraged to contact a St. Scholastica admissions counselor early for questions regarding transferring general education courses.

Admission Requirements for the HIIM BS Program:

- Cumulative GPA of 2.7 (on a 4.0 scale) or permission from HIIM Department
- Minimum of a 'C' grade in all courses required by the major department

This guide reflects the 2026-2027 catalog requirements and is subject to change.

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