## **HEALTH & WELLNESS**

Your Pathway

# **HEALTH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY**

Associate in Science Degree

This degree will prepare you for a career working with health information in a variety of healthcare settings in diverse roles. Health Information Technology professionals perform the essential functions of acquiring, analyzing, maintaining, and securing health information vital to providing quality patient care.

Suggested Sequence of Classes

## MAJOR SEQUENCE ONLY

#### FALL SEMESTER - FIRST YEAR 12 units

HIT 10 Introduction to Health Information 3 units

HIT 11 Computer Info Systems for Health Information Technology 2 units

**HEOC 11 Medical Terminology 3 units** 

BIOL 5 Introduction to Human Biology 3 units

HIT 30 Basic Pharmacology 1 unit

#### SPRING SEMESTER - FIRST YEAR 8 units

HIT 15 Legal Aspects of Healthcare 3 units

HIT 20 Hospital and Health Statistics 3 units

HIT 25 Health Information in Alternative Setting 2 units

## **FALL SEMESTER - SECOND YEAR 11 units**

HIT 7 Introduction to Human Disease Process 3 units

HIT 35 CPT Coding 3 units

HIT 42 Principles of Leadership 2 units

HIT 40 ICD Diagnostic Coding 3 units

## **SPRING SEMESTER - SECOND YEAR 10 units**

HIT 45 ICD Procedure Coding 2 units

HIT 50 Healthcare Reimbursement 2 units

HIT 55 Healthcare Quality Management 3 units

HIT 60 Professional Practice Experience 3 units

\*General Education courses are not included in this suggested sequence of classes; please see a counselor to create an education plan that's right for you.

## **POTENTIAL CAREERS**

Compliance Consultant Service Desk Analyst Medical Records Specialist

### **SALARY POTENTIAL**

\$47,265 per year

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Please meet with a counselor to customize your own educational plan, explore course options, and consider department and counseling faculty recommendations.





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