

For students planning to transfer to The College of St. Scholastica (CSS) and major in Health Information Management the following departmental equivalencies are provided. The table below lists The College of St. Scholastica's HIM major requirements along with equivalent courses at Midland College.

Midland College Equivalent or Substitution	The College of St. Scholastica B. S. Degree HIM major
ENGL 1302 Composition II	College Composition
SPCH 1311 or SPCH 1318	Interpersonal Communications
Met with approved statistics course	Math (one course required)
Met with BIOL 2404 (required for A.A.S. HIM program)	*Natural Science (one course required)
HIST 1301, 1302, 2301, 2311, 2312, 2327, 2328	*History (one course required)
ANTH 2351, ECON 2301 or 2302, GOVT 2305 or 2306, PSYC 2301, SOCI 1301 or 1306	*Social Sciences (one course required)
ENGL 2321, 2322, 2323, 2326, 2327, 2328, 2331, 2332, 2333 or complete at CSS	*Literature (one course required)
ARTS 1301, 1303, 1304, DRAM 1310, 2361, 2362, MUSI 1301, 1308, 1309, 1310 or complete at CSS	*Fine Arts (one course required)
PHIL 1301 or 2306 or complete at CSS	*Philosophy (one course required)
Students are encouraged to complete an approved Integrations course at The College of St. Scholastica to fulfill this requirement*	*Open Pathway General Education Course
PHIL 1304 or complete at CSS	Religious Studies (one course required)
*Two general education courses must be completed at The College of St. Scholastica to fulfill Integrations requirement.	
B.S. HIM Major Requirements	
BIOL 2404 Human Anatomy and Physiology (4 cr)	BIO 2110/2120 Anatomy and Physiology I & II Substitution for HIM major (not a course equivalent)
HPRS 2301 Pathophysiology (3 cr)	BIO 3020 Pathophysiology (4 cr) Substitution for HIM (not a course equivalent)
MATH 1342 Statistics 3 cr	PSY 3331 Statistics (4 cr) Substitution for HIM major (not a course equivalent)
HITT 1205 Medical Terminology I (2 cr)	HIM 2101 Medical Language (3 cr)
Complete at the College of St. Scholastica	HIM 2102 Pharmacotherapeutics (1 cr)
HITT 1301 Health Data Content and Structure (3 cr)	HIM 2110 Concepts & Principles of HIM (2 cr)
HITT 1311 Health Information Systems (3 cr)	HIM 2111 HIM Technologies in Practice (2 cr)
HITT 1353 Legal and Ethical Aspects of HIM (3 cr)	HIM 3132 Medicolegal Issues (4 cr)
HITT 1341 Coding and Classification Systems (3 cr) HITT 1342 Ambulatory Coding (3 cr) HITT 2335 Coding and Reimbursement Methodologies (3 cr)	HIM 3211 Classification of Clinical Data (4 cr)
HITT 2343 Quality Assessment & Performance Improvement (3 cr)	HIM 4231 Clinical Quality Management (4 cr)
Complete at the College of St. Scholastica	HIM 4222 Clinical Data Management (4 cr)
HITT 2339 Health Information Organization and Supervision (3 cr)	HIM 4315 Management Tools and Strategies (4 cr)
Complete at the College of St. Scholastica	HIM 4421 Alternative Health Record Systems (2 cr)
Complete at the College of St. Scholastica	HIM 4423 HIM Research Methods (3 cr)
HITT 2261 Clinical - Health Information Management (2 cr)	HIM 4520 Directed Practice (2 cr)
Complete at the College of St. Scholastica	HIM 4415 Health Data Analytics (4 cr)
Complete at the College of St. Scholastica	HIM 4555 Professional Practice Placement (4 cr)
Complete at the College of St. Scholastica	HIM 4556 Seminar in Health Information Mgt (2 cr)
HITT 1345 Health Care Delivery Systems (3 cr)	HSC 2203 U.S. Health Care System (4 cr)
BCIS 1305 Business Computer Applications (3 cr)	CIS 1001 Computer Science Principles (4 cr) Substitution for HIM (not a course equivalent)
Complete at the College of St. Scholastica	CIS 3205 Management Information Systems (4 cr)
Complete at the College of St. Scholastica	CIS 3107 Database Modeling (4 cr)
Complete at the College of St. Scholastica	CIS 3108 Systems Analysis and Design (4 cr)
Complete at the College of St. Scholastica	CIS 4108 Project Management (2cr)
HITT 2327, HITT 2340, HITT 2149	General electives - applied toward 128 cr. graduation requirement

This information is provided as a guide and is subject to the college catalog in effect at the time of admission to the College. Students admitted as first-year students at the Duluth Campus must also complete the Dignitas requirement.

Bachelors of Science Degree in Health Information Management

About The College of St. Scholastica Health Information Management Program

The College of St. Scholastica's Health Information Management degree is designed to shape not only your career path, but the delivery of healthcare itself. Since launching its first bachelor's HIM program back in 1934 when the industry was referred to as Medical Records, St. Scholastica has remained at the forefront as medical records technology has evolved and developed. St. Scholastica offered the first bachelor's distance program, the first online master's in HIM and the first master's program accredited by CAHIIM.

The B.S. In HIM program is offered in a fully online format. The College offers curriculum options for RHITs with experience in the field and for those with no prior HIM experience.

The College of St. Scholastica Health Information Management Program Benefits

- Esteemed faculty participate in active research and grants, bringing their experience directly to students
- Faculty helped write the HIM textbook used in many programs nationwide
- CAHIIM-accredited 100 percent online program
- Upon completion of this program, students are eligible to sit for the RHIA exam

Transferring to The College of St. Scholastica from Midland College

The College also accepts credits in transfer to satisfy major requirements as noted in this guide. Grades earned must be a C or better for transfer. To transfer credits an official transcript must be sent directly to The College of St. Scholastica.

Career Opportunities

The healthcare industry is booming and the use of Electronic Health Record (EHR) software nationwide has increased the need for qualified HIM professionals. The U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics predicts a 22 percent growth rate over the next decade for HIM and related careers.

Requirements for Admission to the Health Information Management Program

- High school diploma or GED; Cumulative GPA of at least 2.0 for entrance into the college
- Cumulative GPA of at least 2.7 for entrance into the program
- Minimum of a 'C' grade in all courses required by the major department.
- Application to Health Information Management program.

Note: Meeting minimum entrance requirements does not guarantee admission to the major. Each department reserves the right to select applicants with the best qualifications from those who meet minimum criteria. The College may consider applicants with a lower GPA through a special status committee; contact an admissions counselor to learn more.

St. Scholastica Graduation Requirements

- Minimum 128 semester credits earned
- Minimum 42 upper division credits (at or above the 3000 level)
- Last 32 credits taken at The College of St. Scholastica, 16 credits in the major
- Complete the requirements for general education and your major
- Meet all GPA requirements for the major

Program Start Dates

The College offers two fall starts, two spring starts and a summer start. The following application deadlines apply to each start; early submission is encouraged. Applications completed after the following deadlines will be submitted for the subsequent term.

- Fall: Aug. 5
- Fall mid-term: Sept. 30
- Spring: Dec. 9
- Spring mid-term: Feb. 17
- Summer: April 21

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