

Doctor of Physical Therapy and Master of Business Administration DUAL ENROLLMENT



Physical therapists often find that business skills are beneficial. With an MBA, you will have the business skills you need to be successful in healthcare management positions or running a private practice. An optional concentration in Health Administration includes courses with curriculum designed specifically for healthcare-based settings.

Online courses give you the flexibility to complete an MBA and DPT at the same time.

You will strengthen your management skills by focusing on three pillars emphasized in all areas of coursework: entrepreneurship, leadership, and faith integration. Entrepreneurship is a pillar that will train you to continually look for new ideas and opportunities for your business or your employer. Enhancing your leadership qualities will enable you to be a respected servant leader set apart by worldly standards. We also are intentional about being a Christ-centered program fostering high ethical standards essential to successful management practices. An MBA would have been invaluable with the goal to open a clinic down the road. It would have certainly helped to have a grasp of tax implications, legal jargon, small business regulations, EBITDA, etc.

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COMPETENCY-BASED ADMISSIONS

- Ensures you are prepared to succeed
- Utilizes an online assessment to measure your knowledge of core competencies essential for MBA coursework
- Provides online modules for content areas in which you need additional foundational knowledge
- Allows you to bypass prerequisite courses based on successful assessment scores
- Affords you the potential to move more quickly through the program regardless of undergraduate degree

Steps in Application Process

- **1** Application
- 2 Resume
- **3** Inbound Assessment
- 4 Online Competency Courses (*if needed*)
- **5** Begin MBA Coursework

MBA Health Administration Concentration 12 hours (choose four of the following courses)

HAD 5113	Advanced Health Care Leadership & Administration
HAD 5123	Health Care Organizations
HAD 5153	Quality & Safety in Health Care
HAD 5073	Human Resource Management in Health Care
HAD 5093	Organizational Analysis & Innovation

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