

Course Requirements

96 hours distributed as follows:

Domain 1: Religion & Humanities

Minimum, 20 quarter hours distributed as follows

➤ **Religion**

Take 4-8 hours of religion courses: 4-8
(4 hours required per year of attendance at a SDA College)

➤ **Humanities**

Take the remaining 12-16 hours from at least three 12-16
of the following areas:
Art; Music (max 4 hours of applied art and music)
Literature; Philosophy
History; Foreign Language.

The following courses are recommended:

- ARTH 115 History of Western Art I (4)
- ARTH 116 History of Western Art II (4)
- MUHL 105 Survey of Music (3)
- ENGL 212 Shakespeare in Performance (2-3)
- ENGL 301 Themes in Literature (4)
- ENGL 331 Literature for Adolescents (4)
- PHIL 101 Introduction to Philosophy (4)
- HIST 101+102 History of World Civ I, II (4+4)
- HIST 134+135 History of the United States I, II (4+4)

Any foreign language

Domain 2: Scientific Inquiry & Analysis

➤ **Natural Sciences**

Take 12 hours from at least 2 areas, distributed as follows:

Take the following required course:

- BIOL 223 Medical Terminology 2

Take at least one course from the following: 5

- BIOL 101 Human Anatomy (5)
- BIOL 102 Human Physiology (5)

Take at least 5 hours from the following areas: 5

Chemistry; Geology; Mathematics; Physics; Statistics

Noncredit algebra requirement- take one of the following: 0

2 years of high school Algebra with a grade of C or better (0)

- MATH 096 Basic Algebra II (4)

This course is remedial and will not count for credit.

➤ **Social Sciences**

Take 12 hours from at least 2 areas: 12

Anthropology; Economics; Geography; Political Science

Psychology; Sociology

The following courses are recommended:

- ANTH 124 Cultural Anthropology (4)
- ECON 261 Macroeconomics (4)
- ECON 265 Microeconomics (4)
- GEOG 210 World Regional Geography (3)
- PLSC 124 Introduction to American Govt (3)
- PSYC 121 General Psychology (4)
- PSYC 234 Human Development (4)

- SOCI 121 Introduction to Sociology (4)
- SOCI 214 The Family (4)
- SOCI 355 "Racial" and Ethnic Relations (3)

Domain 3: Communication

Minimum, 9 quarter hours distributed as follows

Take the following required courses:

- COMM 105 Introduction to Communication 3
- ENGL 101+102 College English I, II 4+4

Take at least one of the following:

- One year of HS computer coursework, grade of C or better
- INFS 147 PC World Processing (1)
- INFS 148 PC Spreadsheets (1)

Domain 4: Health & Wellness

Take at least one course from the following: 2-3

- FDNT 235 Nutrition (3)
- HLED 162 Fitness for Life (2)
- HLED 166 Health Education (2)

Take at least two courses from the following:

- ESAC (Exercise Science Activity) courses 1+1

Domain 5: Electives & Other Requirements

Take additional electives as needed to meet the minimum requirement of 96 transferable quarter hours.

PLEASE NOTE that C minus (C-) grades are not transferable for credit to Loma Linda University

Health Sciences, A.S.

Pacific Union College offers an A.S. degree with a major in Health Sciences. This major can be taken in conjunction with the pre-healthcare administration requirements. For more information, see guidesheet NHSC-03 or contact the Health Sciences advisor in the Nursing and Health Sciences Department.

Occupational Information

What can I do with this profession?

Healthcare administration is a broad-based discipline. The BSHA program prepares individuals to support healthcare professionals such as clinicians, researchers, and executives in settings such as assisted living and skilled nursing facilities; rehabilitation centers; private, public, and proprietary clinics; and medical centers.

Healthcare administrators are the backbone of the medical professions. They ensure that health professionals have the tools, supplies, and working environment necessary to properly care for their patients, community members, and other populations.

Professional Training?

The BSHA program was designed to meet the needs of the adult learner or working professional that has already taken previous coursework to complete a baccalaureate degree or has earned an Associate’s degree at an accredited college or university. The BSHA program was designed as an online program to meet the needs of our students with full-time employment and hectic schedules.

Job Outlook

Job opportunities are expected to continue to grow. Employment of healthcare specialists is expected to increase faster than the average for all occupations through the year 2014 because of substantial growth in the health care industry.

Although hospitals will continue to employ a large portion of healthcare administrators, the job market is rapidly expanding outside of hospitals. New openings are available in home health agencies, long term care facilities, outpatient care, mental health facilities, insurance companies, commercial and industrial firms, governmental agencies, and legal offices.

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To apply online go to: <http://www.llu.edu/apply/>
 Note: Admission requirements are subject to change each year.

Sample Two-Year Program

This sample curriculum is designed to show you how a program may be constructed and to help you select a proper sequence of courses in the major. It is not likely that these courses can always be taken in the order given. Your advisor will help you design a personalized program of studies.*

First Year	F	W	S
Intro to Allied Health	2	-	-
College English I, II	4	4	-
Religion	-	3	3
Introduction to Communication	-	-	3
Exercise Science Activity	-	1	-
Social Studies**	4	-	4
Selected Sciences**	-	4	4
Humanities**	4	-	-
Electives	3	4	2
	17	16	16

Second Year	F	W	S
Issues in Allied Health	-	-	2
Human Anatomy	5	-	-
Selected Sciences**	-	4	-
Religion	-	-	3
Medical Terminology	-	-	2
Humanities	4	-	4
Exercise Science	-	1	-
Nutrition or Health**	-	-	3
Social Studies**	-	4	-
Electives	7	7	2
	16	16	16

Third and Fourth Years are taken at Loma Linda University.

* Note that MATH 096 must be taken if H.S. requirements have not been met. MATH 096 will not transfer to LLU. MATH 095 is a prerequisite for MATH 096.

** See “Courses Requirements” for requirements and options when selecting courses in the various areas.