The Master of Science in Healthcare Management (MS) program provides specialized content for those working in healthcare and those who wish to enter the healthcare industry. It is designed for new graduates and mid-career professionals to acquire in-depth training in the area of management that focuses on the needs of healthcare providers. Students from a range of disciplines such as dentistry, medicine, nursing, nutrition, occupational and physical therapies, pharmacy, and social work, as well as students who are non-clinical professionals working in healthcare or who have an interest in working in the healthcare industry are welcome. The MS in Healthcare Management is designed to help newly promoted and rising healthcare professionals to make an effective transition from clinical and technical roles into broader managerial roles and enable people with an educational or professional background in business to apply business knowledge to the healthcare industry.

**DEGREE REQUIREMENTS**

Students in the Master's degree program in Healthcare Management are required to take 33 credit hours, or 11 courses at 3 credits each. The program focuses on providing a broad base of business knowledge supplemented with targeted material regarding healthcare management. The degree provides training in valued knowledge and skills as identified by industry experts.

**Core Courses:**

- The Administrative Process
- Business of Healthcare **OR** Health Organizations, Policy, Financing, and Ethics
- Strategic Marketing Management
- Financial Management

**Advanced Courses:**

- Leadership and Organizational Effectiveness **OR** Applications of Leadership Models in Professional Practice
- Healthcare Finance **OR** Clinical Finance & Management
- Services Marketing and Management
- Information Systems for Healthcare
- Healthcare Management
- Labor Relations and Conflict Management
- Strategic Human Resources Management

**ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS**

- Baccalaureate degree with an overall Grade Point Average (GPA) of 3.0 or higher
APPLICATION PROCEDURES

Graduate Application: The application must be completed online at www.csi.cuny.edu/graduatestudies.

Transcripts: Applicants must request official transcripts from all post-secondary institutions attended. If you are currently enrolled in a post-secondary institution, have one transcript sent now and another sent when you complete the courses that you are taking. Applicants who have been enrolled at CSI do not need to request a CSI transcript; the Office of Recruitment and Admissions will obtain a copy.

Application Fee: A $75.00 non-refundable application fee is required of all applicants. Please make your check or money order payable to the College of Staten Island. Veterans are exempt from paying the application fee. Veterans must provide proof of their Veteran/Military status in order to be waived from paying the application fee.

Resume: A brief one-to-two page resume which should be fully up-to-date and include all post-college work experience.

Letter of Intent: A one-to-two page letter explaining your interest in pursuing a graduate program in Healthcare Management.

Letters of Recommendation: Two letters of recommendation from instructors or employers. One letter, whenever possible, should come from a current or former employer. Recommendations can be hand-delivered or mailed to the address below or emailed by the recommenders directly to graduateadmissions@csi.cuny.edu.

Graduate Management Admissions Test (GMAT) or Graduate Record Examination (GRE): The CSI Institution code for GMAT is 282KN35 and for GRE is 2778. Students from CSI or an AACSB-accredited institution who have an undergraduate GPA of 3.2 or higher can request a waiver subject to review.

English Proficiency Examination: The TOEFL, IELTS, or PTE exam is required of students for whom English is a second language.

- **Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL):** The minimum required score is 79 (Internet). For additional information or to register for the exam, please visit the TOEFL website at www.ets.org. Our institutional code is 2778.

- **International English Language Testing System (IELTS):** We will only accept the academic exam scores. The minimum required score is 6.5 (overall band). For additional information or to register for the exam, please visit the IELTS website at www.ielts.org.

- **Pearson Test of English (PTE):** Minimum required score is 53. For additional information or to register for the exam, please visit the PTE website at www.pearsonpte.com.

*All documents must be submitted to the Office of Recruitment and Admissions.*

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