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**BECOME A HEALTH SERVICES ADMINISTRATION MAJOR**

Engaging and interactive classes are the backbone of the health services administration curriculum at IPFW. You will take courses in a variety of issues and topics such as public health policy, healthcare business, and leadership. In many classes, students apply knowledge from the field to real work situations through innovative simulations.

**HEALTH SERVICES ADMINISTRATION CAREER OPTIONS**

The job outlook for health services administration professionals is strong. According to the 2014–15 *Occupational Outlook Handbook*, job growth for health services administration professionals is expected to increase by 23 percent between 2012 and 2022.

*Possible Careers:*
- Clinical management
- Health insurance management
- Health information management
- Health systems management
- Home healthcare administration
- Hospital administration
- Long-term care administration
- Public and nonprofit health services management

*Possible Areas of Employment:*
- Centers for Medicare and Medicaid services
- County departments of health
- Federal, state, and local government agencies
- Hospitals
- Indiana family and social services administration
- Long-term care facilities
- Managed care organizations (HMO, PPO)
- Nonprofit health agencies

**APPLYING CLASSROOM KNOWLEDGE TO REAL-LIFE EXPERIENCES**

Service learning experiences in the form of internships are strongly encouraged because they give you the opportunity to apply classroom theory and techniques and network with professionals in your field. The Department of Public Policy partners with a variety of health-related agencies in northeast Indiana to create meaningful internships.

*Sample of Internships:*
- Dupont Hospital
- Parkview Regional Medical Center
- Lutheran Hospital
- Kingston Care Health Center
- Matthew 25 Health and Dental Clinic
- Parkview Home Health and Hospice

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