

Nashville State Community College
Healthcare Management - Medical Coding Concentration
A.A.S Degree Plan

This sequence can be followed by students who begin college-level work in the fall semester. Prerequisites may apply to specific courses; it is the student's responsibility to determine if prerequisites have been met. Additional semesters will be required if prerequisite courses, including Learning Support courses, must be completed. Prior to registering each semester, the student is expected to consult with his/her advisor.

NAME: _____ **A#** _____ **CATALOG YR:** 2013-2014

FIRST YEAR – FALL SEMESTER					NOTES/COMMENTS
Course No. and Title	Credit	Term	Grade	Prerequisite	
BIOL 2010 Anatomy and Physiology I	4			Completion of all competencies in LS reading, writing and math	
ENGL 1010 English Composition I	3			Completion of all competencies in LS in reading and writing	
HCM 2000 Healthcare Delivery Systems*	3			Completion of all competencies in LS reading and writing	
HCM 2200 Medical Legal Issues*	3			Completion of all competencies in LS reading and writing	
INFS 1010 Computer Applications	3			Completion of all competencies in LS reading and math	
Total Credit Hours	16				
FIRST YEAR – SPRING SEMESTER					
Course No. and Title	Credit	Term	Grade	Prerequisite	
BIOL 2020 Anatomy and Physiology II	4			BIOL 2010 with a grade of "C" or higher	
CIS 1010 Intro to Information Technology	3			Completion of all competencies in LS reading and writing	
HCM 2400 ICD-CM Coding* (Spring Only)	3			BIOL 2010 with a grade of "C" or higher; Co-requisites: BIOL 2020 and HCM 2800	HCM 2400 and HCM 2500 cannot be taken at the same time.
HCM 2800 Pathophysiology*	4			BIOL 2010 with a grade of "C" or higher; Co-requisite: BIOL 2020	
Total Credit Hours	14				
SECOND YEAR – FALL SEMESTER					
Course No. and Title	Credit	Term	Grade	Prerequisite	
BUS 2400 Principles of Management	3			Completion of all competencies in LS reading and writing	
HCM 2300 Pharmacology*	3			BIOL 2010 with a grade of "C" or higher; Co-requisites: BIOL 2010 and HCM 2800	
HCM 2500 CPT Coding* (Fall Only)	3			BIOL 2010 with a grade of "C" or higher; Co-requisites: BIOL 2020, HCM 2800	HCM 2400 and HCM 2500 cannot be taken at the same time.
HCM 2600 Insurance and Reimbursement*	3			HCM 2000 and HCM 2200 with a grade of "C" or higher	
SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Comm or SPCH 1112 Speech	3			ENGL 1010	
Total Credit Hours	15				
SECOND YEAR – SPRING SEMESTER					
Course No. and Title	Credit	Term	Grade	Prerequisite	
ECON 2010 Macroeconomics or ECON 2020 Microeconomics	3			Completion of all competencies in LS reading and writing	
HCM 2700 Coding Capstone*	3			HCM 2400 and HCM 2500 with a grade of "C" or higher	
HCM 2900 Healthcare Management Capstone*	3			HCM 2000, HCM 2200, and HCM 2600. Permission of instructor required.	This course should be taken during the last semester before graduation.
Humanities/Fine Arts Elective	3				See catalog for approved Humanities/Fine Arts electives.
PHIL 2300 Ethics in Medicine (Spring Only)	3			Completion of all competencies in LS reading and writing	
Total Credit Hours	15				
Total Degree Credit Hours	60				

*Program Note: A grade of "C" or higher in all HCM courses must be earned prior to graduation.