

MS IN HEALTH CARE INFORMATICS (Online)

DEGREE PLAN

Program Start: Fall 2025



University of San Diego®

This degree plan is for students beginning the online MS in Health Care Informatics (MSHCI) program in the Fall 2025 term. This plan assumes that students will complete their degree in five consecutive semesters and do not take a leave of absence from their program. Taking a leave of absence will change the degree plan and delay the anticipated program completion.

Fall 2025	HCIN 501	Orientation	New Student Orientation	0	Upon Registration	08/29/2025
Fall 2025	HCIN 540	Foundational	Introduction to Health Care Information Management	3	09/02/2025	10/20/2025
Fall 2025	HCIN 543	Foundational	Database Design and Knowledge Management	3	10/21/2025	12/08/2025
Spring 2026	HCIN 552	Foundational	Clinical Documentation: Electronic Medical Record Systems	3	01/06/2026	02/23/2026
Spring 2026	HCIN 542	Core	Systems Analysis and Design for Health Care Informatics	3	02/24/2026	04/13/2026
Summer 2026	HCIN 547	Core	Health Care Analytics	3	05/05/2026	06/22/2026
Summer 2026	HCIN 600	<i>Analytics Track</i>	Population Health Analytics	3	06/23/2026	08/10/2026
Summer 2026	HCIN 630	<i>Informatics Track</i>	Health Care Law and Risk Management	3	06/23/2026	08/10/2026
Fall 2026	HCIN 556	Core	Healthcare Leadership, Values and Social Justice	3	09/01/2026	10/19/2026
Fall 2026	HCIN 620	<i>Analytics Track</i>	Machine Learning Applications for Health Care	3	10/20/2026	12/07/2026
Fall 2026	HCIN 544	<i>Informatics Track</i>	Advanced Health Care Information Management	3	10/20/2026	12/07/2026
Spring 2027	HCIN 615	Final Core	Research Fundamentals and Biostatistics	3	TBA	TBA
Spring 2027	HCIN 546	Capstone	Health Informatics Capstone	3	TBA	TBA

FALL 2025 IMPORTANT DATES

Registration Opens	06/30/2025
Registration Deadline	08/15/2025
Financial Aid Requirements Due	08/15/2025
Last Day to Drop Any Course with a Full Refund	09/01/2025
Payment Due Date	09/02/2025
Semester Begins	09/02/2025
First Course Start Date	09/02/2025
Last Day to Drop Any Course with 95% Refund/Drop Deadline	09/05/2025
First Course End Date	10/20/2025
Second Course Start Date	10/21/2025
Last Day to Withdraw from Course B	11/17/2025
Second Course End Date	12/08/2025
Semester Ends	12/08/2025

Revision Date: 09/16/24. Degree Plans are subject to change.