**BA-337 Introduction to Health Care Management**
An introductory course relating the concepts and functions of the manager to the specific realm of managing the health services delivery system.

**BA-470 Current Issues in Health Care Management**
Through the media of reading, lectures and presentations, students will be exposed to many of the challenges facing the health care delivery system in relation to its environment. These areas will include organization for delivery of health care services, financing, political and social issues. Ethical considerations in delivery of health care will be addressed. The student will become a more knowledgeable user of health care services.

**BA-471 Health Care Law**
This course surveys current ethical and legal responsibilities of health care providers and administrators. Emphasis is placed upon institutional defensive law (medical negligence and torts), health care regulation (administrative law), patient confidentiality, informed consent and advanced directives, professional discipline, health care access, government health care policies, managed care, criminal fraud and abuse, patient rights, labor and employment law, environmental regulation, insurance law, public safety and homeland defense/terrorism.

**BA-498 Business Internship**
A link between the classroom and experience on the job, the internship provides qualified students a three-way arrangement among the professor-advisor, the employer and the student-employee. Students may obtain appropriate employment on their own or in conjunction with the internship advisor of the school of business. A minimum of two 40-hour work periods is required for each semester hour of credit for which the course is taken.

**EC-471 Healthcare Economics**
This course provides an overview of the issues in health economics and identifies challenges facing the American healthcare industry today. It is designed for students with sufficient knowledge in consumer and producer theories. Applying microeconomic principles, we examine the structure of healthcare delivery and its financing, demand for healthcare, the role and types of insurance, government regulations and healthcare reform. At issue is how healthcare markets contrast with other markets in the economy.

**IST-471 Healthcare Information Systems**
This course introduces the student to the types of computer information systems used in the health care industry. The emphasis is on the purpose, functionality, and strategic use of various systems. Relevant topics include electronic patient medical records, outcomes management, and use of mobile technology in healthcare practice. Both practitioner and administrator perspectives will be examined. Additional areas covered include regulation, technology standards, security, and management challenges.