

Transfer Student Requirements for Baccalaureate Degree in HIM at WKU

1. Students must have successfully completed an associate degree in HIM from a Commission on Accreditation for Health Informatics and Information Management Education (CAHIIM) program, with a minimum 2.5 overall GPA
2. Students must comply with all Academic Requirements and Regulations (as published in the Undergraduate Catalog). The baccalaureate degree from WKU requires a minimum of 120 credit hours and 42 undergraduate semester hours in upper division hours.
3. Students must comply with WKU general education requirements.
4. For students transferring from a CAHIIM Accredited Baccalaureate Degree program HIM courses will be reviewed for course equivalency on a case by case basis.
5. For students transferring from a baccalaureate degree program not accredited by CAHIIM, course equivalencies will not be accepted for WKU HIM courses.
6. For other courses, refer to the [WKU Transfer Credit Articulation web page](#) to determine course equivalency acceptance between WKU and other schools.
7. The table below provides the WKU courses required for the BS in Health Information Management:

WKU Health Information Management Courses	Credits
CIT 310 SYSTEMS ARCHITECTURE I.	3
CIT 330 SYSTEMS DEVELOPMENT I	3
CIT 332 SYSTEMS DEVELOPMENT II	3
CIT 350 DATABASE ADMINISTRATION I	3
CIT 492 TECHNOLOGY MANAGEMENT I.	3
HCA 340 HEALTH CARE ORGANIZATION AND MANAGEMENT.	3
HCA 342 HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT FOR HEALTHCARE MANAGERS	3
HCA 401 FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT OR 445 HEALTH CARE FINANCE	3
*HIM 230 COMPUTER SYSTEMS AND APPLICATIONS IN HEALTH INFORMATION MANAGEMENT	3
*HIM 252 HEALTHCARE PAYMENT SYSTEMS.	3
HIM 350 HEALTH INFORMATICS RESEARCH.	3
HIM 351 INTERNATIONAL CLASSIFICATION OF DISEASES (ICD-10) CODING	1
HIM 422 CLINICAL EVALUATION AND OUTCOMES	3
HIM 450 APPLICATION & ANALYSIS OF HIM THEORY.	3
HIM 495 CAPSTONE PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE EXPERIENCE.	3
PH 383 BIOSTATISTICS IN THE HEALTH SCIENCES.	3
Two electives from: HIM 100, 221, 250, 251	8
Total	54

NOTE: * = Required if not previously completed as part of the HIM associate degree program, or evidence of mastery of content.