Health Information Technology
Earn Your Associates Degree in 18 Months!

1 **Be In Demand***

Our HIT graduates are in demand by area HMO's, hospitals, medical institutions, government agencies, technology organizations and more!

2 **Our Reputation**

For more than 125 years, we've been training students for new careers while providing our partners with well trained professionals!

3 **Enroll Today**

Financial Aid and Veteran's benefits available for those who qualify; Limited class size – contact us today at 207.307.3900.

RHIT Certification

Certification places you among the elite in your field, and serves as tangible recognition of meeting industry standards. The most widely recognized national certification for Health Information Technology is the Registered Health Information Technician® (RHIT).

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Get the Skills to Become a Certified Health Information Technician

If you are interested in working in healthcare, but not directly with patients, then becoming a Health Information Technician might be the perfect career choice for you. Health Information Technology (HIT) is the practice of acquiring, analyzing, and protecting digital and traditional medical information vital to providing quality patient care. It is a combination of business, science, and information technology. Health Information Technology professionals care for patients by caring for and protecting their medical data.

With a degree in Health Information Technology, you'll be prepared to work in hospitals, nursing homes, mental health facilities, and other medical institutions. As regulations and technologies evolve, Health Information Technicians can expect to be in high demand as the medical sector continues to grow due to an aging population. The Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) projects that there will be a 13% growth rate for HIT professionals, with approximately 27,800 new jobs anticipated by 2026.

Major Courses of Study

HI103	Fundamentals of Law for Health Info Management	3
HI205	Healthcare Administration and Supervision	4
HI217	ICD-10-CM Coding	3
HI219	ICD-10-PCS Coding	3
HI220	Externship in Health Information Technology	3
HI224	Health Care Data Analysis & Statistics	4
HI225	Health Care Reimbursement Methodologies	4
MO212	Pharmacology & Pathophysiology	3
MO223	CPT Coding	4
MO224	Advanced Coding	4
ZO101	Medical Terminology	3

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General Education Courses *

EH102	Speech	3
EH111	College Composition	3
MS110	College Algebra	3
HY103	U.S. History 1865 to Present	3
PY101	Intro to Psychology	3
ZO115	Human Anatomy and Physiology of the Structural Systems	4
ZO116	Human Anatomy and Physiology of the Organ Systems	4

General Education Courses are Online

TOTAL CREDITS	**61.0**
TOTAL CONTACT HOURS	**1065**

Earn 2 Valued Industry Certifications:

RHIT® CAHIMA   CCS® CAHIMA

Commission on Accreditation for Health Information Management Education

Beal University's Health Information Technology Associate's Degree program is CAHIIM accredited, which is crucial for your ability to become employed. Being CAHIIM accredited means graduates of this program are eligible to sit for their RHIT and CPC certification exams, which allows them to become certified professionals.

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For additional student information, see the Beal University Student Catalog