**LIBERAL STUDIES REQUIREMENTS (45-46 credits)**
See Liberal Studies Guide for Goal and Enrichment choices

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### GOAL COURSE REQUIREMENTS

Complete Goal requirements as indicated below (36-37 credits)

**Course** | **Title** | **Cr** | **Gr**
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**Basic Requirements – ENGL 101 & 103** required if student entered SRU prior to Fall 2011. ENGL 102 required if student entered SRU Fall 2011 forward. **(9 credits)**
ENGL 102 | Critical Writing | 3 |  |
ENGL 104 | Critical Reading* | 3 |  |
COMM 200 | Civil Discourse | 3 |  |
**The Arts (3 credits)**
**Goal** | 3 |  |
**Global Community (9 credits)**
Goal – Non-US | 3 |  |
Goal – Non-US | 3 |  |
Goal – US | 3 |  |
**Human Institutions/Interpersonal Relationships (3 credits)**
PSYC 105 | Introduction to Psychology | 3 |  |
**Science, Technology & Math (9-10 credits)**
PHYS 201 | Elements of Physics I/ Lab | 4 |  |
CHEM 107/111 | GEN Chemistry I (CHEM111 Lab) | 4 |  |
STAT 152~ | Elementary Statistics I | * |  |
**Challenges of the Modern Age (3 credits)**
PHIL 325^ | Medical / Health Care Ethics | 3 |  |
**Enrichment Course Requirements**
Choose one course from three of the following Enrichment areas. **(9 credits)**

**Course** | **Title** | **Cr** | **Gr**
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**The Arts**
**Goal** | 3 |  |
**Global Community**
ECON 201~ | Macroeconomics | 3 |  |
**Human Institutions/Interpersonal Relationships**
ECON 202~ | Microeconomics | 3 |  |
**Science, Technology & Math**
BIOL 216 | Anatomy/Physiology w Lab | 3 |  |

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### OTHER BASIC REQUIREMENTS

Check with your advisor or a current degree audit report to see if you have been exempted from this course. The credit earned in this course will not be counted toward the 120 credit hour minimum needed to earn a degree.

ACSD 110 | Beginning Algebra | 3 |  |

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### COMPUTER COMPETENCY

Students must demonstrate “computer competency” by:

- Passed Exam
- Pass Computer Competency Exam

**OR**

CPSC _____ | Complete one of the following courses: CPSC 100, 110, 130, or PE 202 at SRU or another post-secondary institution | 1-3 |  |

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### IMPORTANT CURRICULUM GUIDE NOTES

This Curriculum Guide is provided to help SRU students and prospective students better understand their intended major curriculum. Enrolled SRU students should note that the My Rock Audit may place already-earned and/or in progress courses in different, yet valid, curriculum categories. Enrolled SRU students should use the My Rock Audit Report and materials and information provided by their faculty advisors to ensure accurate progress towards degree completion. The information on this guide is current as of the date below. Students are responsible for curriculum requirements at the time of enrollment at the University.

- Course may have a prerequisite. See Undergraduate Online Catalog.
- Course can be counted as both a Major and a Liberal Studies Requirement, but earns credit only once toward your 120-credits total.
- Course counts for 50% of Major and not for Major GPA
- PPASSE – Pennsylvania State System of Higher Education Institutions

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### MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (48 credits)

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**Required Basic Courses (21 credits)**
HCAM 230^ | The US Healthcare System | 3 |  |
ERS 250* or HCAM 250^ | Medical Terminology or Medical Terminology for Healthcare Administrators | 3 |  |
ACCT 209~ | Financial Accounting | 3 |  |
ECON 201~ | Macroeconomics | 3 |  |
ECON 202~ | Microeconomics | 3 |  |
STAT 152~ | Elementary Statistics I | * |  |
MIS 210~ | Productivity Software | 3 |  |
**Required Upper Level Courses**
Must have achieved “Sufficient Academic Performance” to take these courses. Must earn a “C” or better in all of the following ACCT, HCAM, MIS, and PHIL courses.

**HCAM 360^ | Health Care Management, Organization, Design & Behavior | 3 |  |
HCAM 365^ | Managed Care & Insurance | 3 |  |
HCAM 400^ | Legal Environment of Healthcare | 3 |  |
HCAM 405^ | Health Care Quality & Process Improvement | 3 |  |
HCAM 410^ | Strategic Leadership HC Orgs. | 3 |  |
HCAM 430^ | Financial Management of Healthcare Organizations | 3 |  |
ACCT 340^ | Legal Environment of Business | 3 |  |
MIS 403^ | Intro to Healthcare Info. Systems | 3 |  |
PHIL 325^ | Healthcare Ethics | 3 |  |
**ADDITIONAL PHYSICAL THERAPY PREREQUISITE COURSES (24 credits)**
(see page 2 for all Admission Requirements)

**BIOL 216 | Anatomy/Physiology w Lab I - STEM | 3 |  |
BIOL 217 | Anatomy/Physiology w Lab II - STEM | 3 |  |
CHEM 107/111 | General Chemistry I / Lab – STEM | 3 |  |
CHEM 108/112 | General Chemistry II / Lab – STEM | 3 |  |
PHYS 201 | Elements of Physics I/ Lab | 4 |  |
PHYS 202 | Elements of Physics II/ Lab | 4 |  |
PSYC 105 | Introduction to Psychology | 3 |  |
**PSYC | Second PSYCH requirement | 240, 344 or other PSYC elective | 3 |  |

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### ELECTIVES

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### GPA REQUIREMENT:

1st Major: Health Care Administration and Management (HCAM)
- Have a 2.0 GPA overall or higher to declare HCAM as Major
- Have a 2.5 GPA or higher in the major to graduate in HCAM

2nd Major: Pre-Physical Therapy (PT) SRU 3+3 HCAM
- Have a 3.0 GPA overall or higher
I. Policy for achieving and maintaining “Sufficient Academic Performance” *
   A. At the end of the semester in which a student has earned 40 credits (and every semester thereafter), the Major and Overall GPA will be reviewed:
      i. A student must earn a 2.50 Major GPA to achieve “Sufficient Academic Performance” and continue in the HCAM major.
      ii. A student earning below a 2.50 in the Major GPA at any time after earning 40 credits will be placed on a “one semester probation.” ** He/she must increase his/her GPA to 2.50 or higher by the end of the “one semester probation” or be PERMANENTLY removed from the HCAM major. The student will be notified by email of his/her status following the “one semester probation.” A student who has not achieved “Sufficient Academic Performance” will have his/her major changed to Exploratory.
      iii. A student can be placed on a “one semester probation” a maximum of two times as an HCAM major. He/she will be PERMANENTLY removed from the HCAM major if his/her Major GPA drops below a 2.50 a third time.
      iv. A student on a “one semester probation” may not enroll in Required 400 Level Courses unless he/she is repeating the course(s).
   B. A transfer student who enters from another university or a Slippery Rock University student who changes his/her major to HCAM:
      i. With 40 or more earned credits will have a one-semester extension before his/her Major GPA are reviewed to determine if he/she has achieved “Sufficient Academic Performance”.
      ii. With less than 40 earned credits will follow Policy I.A above.
   C. An incoming FYRST student earning college credits prior to entering SRU may reach 40 credits before completing two semesters at SRU. In this case, the review to determine “Sufficient Academic Performance” will not begin until the student has completed two semesters as a student in the HCAM major.

II. Policy for earning acceptable grades in Required 400 Level Courses
   A. A student must earn a grade of “C” or better in Required 400 Level Courses.
   B. A student will not be permitted to begin an internship unless he/she has “Sufficient Academic Performance” and he/she has earned a grade of “C” or better in Required 400 Level Courses.
   C. A student must also earn a grade of “C” or better in HCAM 400, 405, 4101 430 and MIS 403 before he/she is allowed to take HCAM 4992 and HCAM 4502.

III. Policy for changing to the HCAM major
   A. A Slippery Rock University student wishing to change his/her major to Health Care Administration and Management MUST have an overall GPA of 2.00.

IV. Additional costs associated with the HCAM major
   A. A student in the HCAM major is required to maintain a current Student Professional Liability Insurance and meet any immunization or physical requirements set forth by an internship employer while enrolled in HCAM 450 at his/her own cost.

* “Sufficient Academic Performance” is defined as having a Major GPA of 2.50 or higher. The Major GPA is comprised of Required Basic Courses, Required 300 and 400 Level HCAM Courses. Please see My Rock Audit for specific courses.
** “One semester probation” is defined as the initial semester after which “Sufficient Academic Performance” was not achieved and the first occurring summer.
1If taken – HCAM 410 is an elective for non 3+2 PA or 3+3 PT majors
2If required – not required for 3+2 PA or 3+3 PT majors

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