Medical Administration

Medical Office Administration with Specializations in:
- Medical Transcription
- Medical Front Office

Associate in Science Degree (CIP 1552020404)

This program is designed to prepare students for employment as office support staff and medical transcriptionists in medical offices, hospitals and other healthcare organizations. It provides training for both first-time job seekers and experienced employees who wish to advance in their careers.

Students are strongly encouraged to consult a Career Program Advisor in the department office for assistance in determining the best education plan for their career goals.

Although scheduling may not always provide for the following progression of courses, students should use the foundation, intermediate and advanced course sequence as a guide in program planning.

All degree-seeking students must satisfy entry testing requirements and satisfactorily complete all mandatory courses in reading, student success, mathematics, English, and English for Academic Purposes in which the student is placed.

Alternative Ways to Earn Credit toward this Degree

Graduates of specific programs at Orange Technical College and Osceola Technical College, as well as other institutions may be eligible to receive college credit for courses in this program. You may also be eligible to receive credit toward this degree if you have earned one of the approved Gold Standard industry certifications or Career Pathways credit. To learn more about Valencia’s award of credit options, visit valenciacollege.edu/asdegrees/credit_octc.cfm. Eligible students should contact the Career Program Advisor in their academic department for more information about the requirements for the award of credit.

College Credit Technical Certificates

The Medical Administration A.S. degree also offers the following college credit certificate programs. These certificates can put you on the fast-track to reaching your career goals. They are designed to equip you with a specialized skill set for entry-level employment or to upgrade your skills for job advancement. Most can be completed in one year or less, and all of the courses in the certificates are embedded in the A.S. degree.

You can earn the certificates as you progress through your A.S. Degree or as a separate, stand-alone credential. Click on the Certificate tab at the top of the page for more information about the certificates that are offered.

- Medical Office Support (12 credits) (CIP # 0552020403)
- Medical Office Specialist - Medical Front Office (18 credits) (CIP # 0552040704)
- Medical Office Specialist - Medical Transcription (18 credits) (CIP # 0552040704)
- Medical Office Management (34 credits) (CIP # 0551071605)

Start Right

Degree-seeking students enrolling at Valencia for the first time will have a limited range of courses from which to choose for their first 18 college-level credits. Within the first 18 college credit hours, you will be required to take ENC1101 (3 credits), and if applicable, SLS 1122 (3 credits) and a mathematics course appropriate to your selected major (3 credits). The remaining courses will be chosen from the General Education Core Courses in humanities (3 credits), science (3 credits), or social science (3 credits), and/or the introductory courses within the A.S. degree programs. For specific courses see the "Foundation Courses" on the "Program Requirements" tab. For course sequencing recommendations, see your Career Program Advisor or create an education plan by logging into Atlas, clicking on the LifeMap tab and clicking My Education Plan.

Potential Careers
- Medical Office Manager
- Medical Office Assistant
- Medical Transcriptionist
- Medical Records Specialist
- Medical Stenographer

Salary & Earnings Information

For salary and wage information, visit: www.floridawages.com (http://www.floridawages.com).

Contacts

Future Students

To learn more about this program, contact Enrollment Services at enrollment@valenciacollege.edu or 407-582-1507 or visit valenciacollege.edu/medical–administration/ (https://net1.valenciacollege.edu/future-students/degree-options/associates/medical-office-administration).

Current Students

Contact the campus Career Program Advisor below for more information:

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mhoward@valenciacollege.edu
Beverly Johnson, Career Program Advisor, West Campus: 407-582-1890
bjohnson@valenciacollege.edu

Osceola Campus
Coleen Jones, Program Chair: 407-582-4851
cjones3@valenciacollege.edu
Leonardo Rodriguez-Braga, Career Program Advisor: 407-582-1583
lrodriguez120@valenciacollege.edu

Internship and Workforce Services

If you need assistance with job resources or in locating an internship, please visit: valenciacollege.edu/internship (http://valenciacollege.edu/internship)

Program Requirements

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OST 1100C KEYBOARDING AND DOCUMENT PROCESSING I 3
OST 2854C MICROSOFT OFFICE (APPLICATIONS PACKAGE) (Applications Package) 3
OST 1335C BUSINESS COMMUNICATIONS 3

Humanities See Gen. Ed. Core or Institutional Requirement ~ 3

Select one of the following: 3
OST 1257C MEDICAL TERMINOLOGY FOR OFFICE R1 C1
HSC 1531 Medical Terminology R1 C1

Intermediate Courses
OST 1355C RECORDS MANAGEMENT AND LEGAL IMPLICATIONS C1 3
PSY 2012 General Psychology ~ 3
OST 1467C INTRODUCTION TO BODY SYSTEMS FOR OST *R1 C1 3
GEB 1011 Introduction To Business 3
OST 2756C MICROSOFT WORD R1 C1 3
OST 2501C OFFICE MANAGEMENT 3
OST 2464C MEDISOFT (OFFICE MANAGEMENT SOFTWARE) (Office Management Software) C1 3

Science or Mathematics
Select one of the following: 3
MTB 1103 Business Mathematics
APA 1111C BASIC ACCOUNTING C1
ACG 2021C PRINCIPLES OF FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING * 3

Specialization (See below) 12

Total Credit Hours 60

Advanced Courses
OST 1611C MEDICAL TRANSCRIPTION I *R1 3
OST 1108C BUILDING KEYBOARDING SPEED AND ACCURACY 3
or OST 1110C KEYBOARDING AND DOCUMENT PROCESSING II
OST 2612C MEDICAL TRANSCRIPTION II *R1 3

Select one of the following: 3
OST 1461C MEDICAL OFFICE SIMULATION R1 3
OST 2943 INTERNSHIP IN MEDICAL OFFICE R1 C1

Total Credit Hours 12

+ This course must be completed with a grade of C or better.
* This course has a prerequisite; check description in Valencia catalog.
R1 Indicates the course is part of a sequence which prepares students for the Registered Medical Transcriptionist (RMT) certification
C1 Indicates the course is part of a sequence which prepares students for the Certified Medical Administrative Specialist (CMAS) Certification

Medical Front Office Specialization
Designed for students wishing to specialize in medical front office.

Program Outcomes
- Support management in medical office administration.
- Prepare business documents.
- Manage business records.
- Demonstrate business communication skills.
- Utilize appropriate office technology.
- Execute duties of a medical office administrator.

OST 1110C KEYBOARDING AND DOCUMENT PROCESSING II *R1 C1 3
OST 2836C MICROSOFT ACCESS (DATABASE MANAGEMENT) C1 3
OST 2858C MICROSOFT EXCEL C1 3

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OST 1100C KEYBOARDING AND DOCUMENT PROCESSING I R1 3
OST 1110C KEYBOARDING AND DOCUMENT PROCESSING II *R1 C1 3
OST 1257C MEDICAL TERMINOLOGY FOR OFFICE R1 C1 3
OST 1611C MEDICAL TRANSCRIPTION I *R1 3

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Medical Transcription Specialization Electives
All OST-prefix courses not being used as a requirement in this degree except OST 1141C Computer Keyboarding.

Upon earning the Medical Administration A.S. degree, you can continue at Valencia to complete the B.A.S. degree in Business & Organizational Leadership (http://catalog.valenciacollege.edu/degrees/
Additional education at the bachelor’s level can enhance your skills and create more career opportunities. Students who wish to continue their education should consult with their Career Program Advisor to discuss transfer options and requirements, and determine the best education plan for their career goals.

Students wishing to transfer credits from this program to another institution must accept responsibility for securing approval from the transfer institution for acceptance of this degree.

Microsoft Certified Application Specialist Certification
The following courses will help prepare you to take the Microsoft Certified Application Specialist Certification. If you have received this certification prior to taking these courses, contact your Career Program Advisor about possible credit.

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Medical Office Specialist with Specializations in

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Technical Certificate
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Specialization (See below) ⁶

Total Credit Hours ¹⁸

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² This course has a prerequisite; check description in Valencia catalog.
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Medical Front Office Electives

Total Credit Hours ⁶

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Medical Front Office Specialization Electives

All OST-prefix courses not being used as a requirement in this degree except OST 1141C.

Notes:

Medical Office courses may be taught in a multilevel-class atmosphere.

Medical Office Support

Technical Certificate
This certificate prepares students for employment as medical office support personnel in health-related businesses such as medical offices and hospitals.

Program Outcomes

- Support management in medical office administration.
- Prepare business documents.
- Manage business records.
- Demonstrate business communication skills.
- Utilize appropriate office technology.
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### Medical Office Management Technical Certificate

This certificate prepares students for career opportunities in medical office management in medical offices and hospitals.

### Program Outcomes

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- Prepare business documents.
- Manages business records.
- Demonstrate business communication skills.
- Utilize appropriate office technology.

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This certificate program is eligible for Financial Aid.