## UNITED STATES UNIVERSITY





## Saddleback College Articulation Agreement: Bachelor of Science in Health Sciences: Health Services Administration

<u>The USU Experience</u>: USU students will have the opportunity to complete their Bachelor's and/or Master's degrees in an educationally enriching environment in courses that are held 8 weeks long in duration. USU offers both on-ground, hybrid, and online courses, making it easy for students to work and carry out life activities successfully while in school.

<u>Bachelor of Science in Health Science, Health Services Administration:</u> The Bachelor of Science in Health Sciences degree program with a concentration in Health Services Administration is designed for students seeking to qualify for administrative/managerial positions in the rapidly expanding healthcare sector in settings such as hospitals, clinics, managed care companies, health insurance companies, law offices, in the private and public sector.

The roles of individuals in health services administration in general include skills in leadership, financial management, health informatics, marketing, and human resources. Because the health field is so diverse, an individual can choose to specialize in one division of a hospital, for example surgery, or in a specialty area in outpatient services such as managing an independent primary care center. Leadership skills needed for success in health service administration are centered on effective communication and understanding the principles of many theories used to characterize organization management. In addition, health services administration is focused on insuring that costs (output) are offset by income through budgetary and fiduciary oversight.

<u>General Transfer Information:</u> Each transfer course must be completed with a "C" grade or better. This agreement is used in conjunction with the USU General Education articulation agreement. For the BSHS HSA program, up to 90 semester credits maximum can be transferable. **United States University will accept IGETC or CSU GE for general education pattern.** 

USU BSHS HSA Courses	Semester Credits	Saddleback College Articulated Courses
MAT 241 Intro to Probability and Statistics	3	MATH 10 Introduction to Statistics