Healthcare Systems Project – C861
Course Feedback

Overview

You will explore healthcare systems by evaluating the needs of a group medical center to expand care to a growing population of underserved and underinsured patients. You will assess the value of affiliation with other providers and potential payers, analyze several healthcare organizations as potential partners for affiliation, and determine what type of affiliation structure will best meet the needs of the medical center. This project culminates in the creation of a proposed “affiliation recommendation” that summarizes the assessment of three candidate organizations.

Competencies

▲ Leading Change
The graduate proposes solutions using effective strategies and processes to lead change.

▲ Innovative Solutions
The graduate develops innovative solutions using various models to address future challenges and emerging opportunities in healthcare.

▲ Key Systems in Integrated Healthcare
The graduate analyzes the evolution of the U.S. healthcare system and its impact on stakeholder interactions.

Learning

Getting Started
Welcome to Healthcare Systems Project! This course will assess your competency by having you complete a performance assessment where you recommend an organizational affiliation to improve health outcomes. To help you track your progress in the course, view the Pacing Guide located in the Course Information section. To get started, click “Go to Course Materials.” This course encompasses four assignment topics: Framework for Affiliation, Determining Goals and Culture, Evaluating Potential Affiliates, and Defining Affiliation Structure. In each assignment topic, you'll explore the Discover Section, complete the Engage activities, and finish the assignment worksheet. Each assignment is designed to build your skills to help you complete a final recommendation. There is also a Leadership Development component in the Project section. The completion of the Leadership Development activities will help you develop as a leader and a professional.

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