

Admission Requirements

- A bachelor's degree in a Health Professions/Medical discipline and experience in medical and health professions education, or a bachelor's degree in an unrelated field with the addition of 3+ years experience in medical and health professions education.
- Qualifying GPA of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale)
 - Actual undergraduate GPA of 3.0 (foreign degrees considered on a case by case basis) from the degree-granting institution, OR
 - Completed U.S. graduate degree GPA of 3.0 from the degree-granting institution, OR
 - A Replacement GPA of 3.0 computed from the most recent 40 semester credit hours of U.S. graduate and undergraduate coursework in the case where a graduate degree was started and not completed
- Three academic and professional references from those familiar with applicant's ability to be successful in an online graduate program
- Letter of intent/personal essay outlining the applicant's academic and professional goals related to medical and health professions education
- Resume or Curriculum Vitae with medical and health professions education experience listed
- International students must submit TOEFL scores and have transcripts translated and evaluated by a third party (ECE or WES)

Application Materials

All application materials must be submitted electronically through the Application Portal on the MHPE program website: www.evms.edu/mhpe. There is a \$60 application fee. Official transcripts and other supporting documentation must be sent to:

Office of Admissions & Enrollment
School of Health Professions
Eastern Virginia Medical School
P.O. Box 1980
Norfolk, Virginia 23501-1980

**For questions regarding the application process
please email the program at
mhpeinfo@evms.edu.**

Online Education at EVMS

Our online programs are selective and we purposefully restrict cohort sizes so that administrative staff and faculty have the time to engage with each individual EVMS distance learning student.

The combination of cutting edge technology and a supportive and willing staff rivals that of face-to-face programs teaching the same topics and allows our distance learning students to reach their full academic potential and subsequently their career aspirations.

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School of Health Professions



About the MHPE Master's Program

The Medical and Health Professions Education master of science degree program is designed to prepare educational leaders in various medical and health professions organizational settings. Employment of postsecondary education administrators is projected to grow 9 percent from 2014 to 2024, faster than the average for all occupations according to the Bureau of Labor Statistics. The program provides advanced education in the areas of learning, assessment, curriculum, instruction (including simulation), research, evaluation, leadership and professionalism with an emphasis on real-world, practical applications.

This 31-credit hour distance learning program is designed for working professionals who require flexibility as they pursue an advanced degree in medical and health professions education, as well as for less experienced individuals seeking a long-term role in medical and health professions education. Coursework is completed in less than two years.

Educational Format

Courses are delivered entirely online. Courses are eight weeks long with the exception of the practicum and capstone courses, which are completed over 16 weeks. Students complete a practicum at a medical or health professions education site of the student's choosing upon program and site approval.

Core Curriculum

- Applied Learning Theories
- Instructional Methods
- Curriculum Development
- Assessment of Learning
- Leadership & Professionalism
- Research Methods
- Program Evaluation
- Simulation in Healthcare
- Clinical and Community-based Teaching
- Practicum/Capstone

Concentration

Tailor your education by selecting a concentration in Graduate Medical Education (GME). Courses are shown below and will replace the Simulation in Healthcare and Clinical and Community-based Teaching courses.

Graduate Medical Education

- Introduction to GME
- Advanced Principles in GME

Prepare for a Certification

The EVMS Simulation in Healthcare course includes material useful in preparing for the Society for Simulation in Healthcare's (SSiH) Certified Healthcare Simulation Educator (CHSE) certification examination. The SSiH has additional requirements (e.g., practical experience, letters of support) that must be met in order to be eligible to sit for the exam, which are beyond the scope of the MHPE course.

Who Should Apply

The program is intended to prepare individuals for leadership positions within medical and health professions education. We welcome a wide array of learners including:

- Health professionals
 - Attending physicians, residents & fellows
 - Physician assistants
 - Nurse practitioners
 - Clinical pharmacists
 - Medical simulation professionals
 - Medical students
 - Allied health professionals
- Faculty and coordinators in undergraduate and graduate medical and health professions programs
- Residency and fellowship program directors/associate directors
- International medical graduates
- Undergraduate or graduate students in health-related disciplines with educator experience

Participants will bring their unique professional contexts and experiences to enhance their learning and engage with peers to form a learning community. Participants will also apply their learning to their professional activities.

