



Healthcare Informatics Specialist

Application Booklet

Fall Program

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THE HEALTHCARE INFORMATICS SPECIALIST

This program prepares students for employment in various healthcare settings as ~~senior~~ data analysts who are capable of acquiring managing, analyzing and presenting data so that better clinical and business decisions can be made. This certificate is also a great supplement to HIM professionals and other healthcare personnel who want to increase their data management and analytic skills. The course content includes medical terminology, healthcare delivery systems, electronic health record systems, data management and analysis, ethical and legal concepts, health data content, statistics, and employability skills.

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Note: Necessary forms can be found in the back of this booklet.

- _____ 1. Must be 18 years of age prior to start of program.
- _____ 2. Meet with an academic advisor to review program requirements.
- _____ 3. Complete the Application at www.irsc.edu and pay the \$30 application fee. Fee is nonrefundable.
- _____ 4. Request former school and/or college(s) official final transcript(s). Submit to the Office of Student Records.
- _____ 5. Read the Performance Standards on page 4.
- _____ 6. 2.5 or higher IRSC and college cumulative GPA.

PROCESS FOR APPLYING ONLINE

Applying to the

PERFORMANCE STANDARDS

Technical Standards for Admission and Progression*

Health Information Technology involves processing and analyzing health records and is characterized by the application of knowledge in the skillful performance of certain functions. Therefore, in order to be considered for admissions or to be retained in the