

# HEALTH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY, ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE



## Plan of Study

3HITT-HIT

First Term		Credits
HITT 1305	Medical Terminology I	3
HITT 1301	Health Data Content and Structure	3
BIOL 2404	Introduction to Anatomy and Physiology (lecture & lab) (or BIOL 2301 and BIOL 2101 and BIOL 2302 and BIOL 2102)	4
ITSC 1309 or BCIS 1305	Integrated Software Applications I or Business Computer Applications	3
<b>Credits</b>		<b>13</b>
Second Term		
HITT 2330	Pathophysiology and Pharmacology	3
HITT 1341	Coding and Classification Systems	3
HITT 1311	Health Information Systems	3
ENGL 1301	Composition I	3
MATH 1342	Elementary Statistical Methods (Statistics) <sup>1</sup>	3
<b>Credits</b>		<b>15</b>
Summer Year One Term		
ITSW 1307	Introduction to Database	3
HITT 1353	Legal and Ethical Aspects of Health Information	3
<b>Credits</b>		<b>6</b>
Third Term		
HITT 1342	Ambulatory Coding	3
HITT 2335	Coding and Reimbursement Methodologies	3
HITT 2343	Quality Assessment and Performance Improvement	3
HITT 2339	Health Information Organization and Supervision	3

Language, Philosophy, and Culture (Humanities) or Creative Arts (Fine Arts)		3
<b>Credits</b>		<b>15</b>
Fourth Term		
HITT 2249	RHIT Competency Review	2
HITT 2361	Clinical-Health Information/Medical Records Technology/Technician	3
PSYC 2301	General Psychology	3
SPCH 1315 or SPCH 1321	Public Speaking or Business and Professional Speech	3
<b>Credits</b>		<b>11</b>
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>60</b>

<sup>1</sup> Students must be Texas Success Initiative (TSI) complete in order to graduate: Math level 8.

**External Learning Experience:** HITT 2361 Clinical-Health Information/Medical Records Technology/Technician

**National Certification Exam:** Registered Health Information Technician (RHIT)

**Note:** Students must pass each HITT course listed in the AAS degree plan with a grade of C or higher to be eligible to receive the degree.