



A Specialised MSc
from a Specialised
Department

Master of Science (MSc) in Management of Health and Social Care Services

GENERAL OUTLINE

The MSc in Management of Health and Social Care Services draws upon the field of administration and management in conjecture with the interdisciplinary specialization from the fundamental knowledge of

Economics,
Administration,
Sociology,
Law,
Informatics
and
Social Research

GENERAL INFORMATION

Organization

Institution:
University of West Attica

Faculty:
Business, Economics, and Social
Sciences

Department:
Business Administration

Unit:
Social Policy

Subject - Aim

The programme aims at

A. providing students with advanced postgraduate level knowledge and knowhow, as well as research and practical training on the scientific field of Health and Social Care management.

B. establishing rigorous and specialized professionals in the development of research and technology in the administration and management of Health Service and Social Care, and contributing to the enduring improvement in the quality of offered services within the context of continuously changing socio-economic needs.

Knowledge-Skills & Career Prospects

Knowledge-Skills

The programme offers key knowledge for

A. the profound understanding of modern management, operational and administrative requirements of public and private Health Service and Social Care.

B. the design, implementation and management of interventions and developmental policies of the above mentioned services.

C. the deepening in modern financial-management, organisational-administrative methods, and methods for total quality management.

D. the development of skills in the design of policies.

E. the harmonisation of Health and Social Care Services in the new institutional setting of the EU, and international developments.

Research development

Our programme focuses on Methodological Techniques for the Development of Social Research, Inductive and Deductive approaches, Analysis and Synthesis of data, and on the capability to transform basic theoretical knowledge into innovative organisational and administrative application.

Strengthening of skills and capabilities

Discharge techniques, stress management, role-playing exercises, enhancement of personal quality and self-awareness, personal and social skills, management of occupational fatigue and burnout, job motivation and satisfaction of staff, development of communication skills, team interdisciplinary work, leadership and group dynamics, decision making and problem solving in modern labor intensive environments in health and social care services.

Fields of Education and Training by UNESCO

ISCED 0413 Management and Administration

Duration of Study

3 semesters

The first two semesters include lectures, tutorials, research coursework and exams.

In the third semester the MSc thesis is undertaken.

Credit units (ECTS)

90

Number of Modules

10

Total contact hours

520

Language

Greek

English

Start dates

Winter term:

1st week of October

Spring term:

1st week of March

Number of teaching weeks

13

Duration of weekly courses

2 days per week and 1 extra day (Saturday) every three weeks

Career Prospects

- ✓ Central Management Services & public administration in Health and Social protection organisations
- ✓ Private Health & Social Care companies
- ✓ Educational Organisations
- ✓ Volunteering Organisations
- ✓ Consulting & Research companies
- ✓ Professional career
- ✓ Academic career

PROGRAMME OUTLINE

Master of Science (MSc) in Health and Social Care Management

A'Semester- Section of modules

Social Management -Economics- Health and Social Care Management- **30 ECTS**

B'Semester- Section of modules

Administration and Services Administration - Quality of Health and Social Care - **30 ECTS**

C' Semester- Postgraduate Research

Planning - Social Research - Methodology and Development of Research Projects - **30 ECTS**

Undergraduate background of eligible candidates

Eligible candidates should have a first degree in the following fields:

- ✓ Administration and Economics
- ✓ Health and Social Welfare Sciences
- ✓ Law, Humanities and Social Sciences
- ✓ Sciences

Teaching Hours

Afternoon hours except Saturday

Students profile

Registered MSc students have graduated from a wide range of different scientific disciplines: Health and Social Welfare Management, Medicine, Law, Economics, Nursing, Midwifery, Sociology, Physical Education and Sport Science, Special Education, Speech and Language Therapy, Psychology, Philosophy and Pedagogics, Occupational Therapy, Business Administration, Community Health, Political Sciences and holders of other postgraduate degrees.

Academic Staff profile

Academic Staff, Experts and Researchers of International and National Organisations, Managers of Regional Health Authorities, Managers of Hospitals and Social Care Organisations, General Secretaries and Senior Executives of the Ministry of Health, CEOs of Certification Organisations, etc.

Entry requirements

- ✓ Grade of the undergraduate degree or other postgraduate degree (30%)
- ✓ Grades of similar modules to the ones of the MSc (10%)
- ✓ Knowledge of English (and any other European language) (15%)
- ✓ Professional experience (15%)
- ✓ Scientific research & publications (15%)
- ✓ Reference Letter(5%) and
- ✓ Interview (10%).

Application Documents:

- ✓ Application form for the MSc
- ✓ Certified copy of undergraduate degree
- ✓ Certificates of study with transcript
- ✓ CV
- ✓ Certificate of proficiency in English or other European language
- ✓ Copies of publications in peer-reviewed journals, copies of monographs
- ✓ Two reference letters
- ✓ Copy of ID or passport
- ✓ Any other relevant information



Tutor-mentor

Each MSc student will be assigned a tutor-mentor from the department.

Academic Staff

16 Academic Professors

Module attendance

Compulsory

Part time attendance

is possible by increasing the length of studies

Total Mark

67% from taught courses
33% from thesis

Assessment

Written exams,
coursework
and
completion of thesis

Fees

2.500 €

Social Care

- A.Full healthcare coverage
- B.Discount travel card
- C. Free meals

Academic Facilities

and 15 Specialised Scientists

Director: Professor George Pierrakos



- A. Free access to the University Library
- B. Free access to the University Medical Centre
- C. Free access to the University Social Services
- D. Access to the University Gym and other sports facilities

Application period
15th of May-25th of June

Exam periods
2 per module

Enrolment date
20th-30th of September

Scholarships
Basic criteria for getting a scholarship are the evaluation ranking of the candidate and his/her income status.

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CURRICULUM

SEMESTER COMPULSORY COURSES IN FULL- TIME PROGRAMME

First Semester

Topic: Social Management - Economics - Health and Social Care Management

s / n	Code	Compulsory courses	Credits (ECTS)
1	MDYP1 1	Social Politics and Economics of Social Protection	7.5
2	MDYP1 2	European and Comparative Social Law	7.5
3	MDYP1 3	Applied Information and Communication Technologies (ICT) in Health and Social Care	7.5
4	MDYP1 4	Field Research: Methodological Technical Development of Social Research	7.5
		Total Credits	30

Second Semester

Topic: Administration and Services Administration - Quality of Health and Social Care

s / n	Code	Compulsory courses	Credits (ECTS)
1	MDYP2 1	Organizational Change and Development of Health Services and Social Care	7.5
2	MDYP2 2	Bioethics Applications in Health and Social Care Services	7.5
3	MDYP2 3	Management of quality Systems in Health Services and Social Care	7.5
4	MDYP2 4	Quality Care, Therapeutic Efficiency and Quality of Life	7.5
		Total Credits	30

Third Semester

Topic: Planning - Social Research - Methodology and Development of Research Projects

s / n	Code	Mandatory Diploma Thesis	Credits (ECTS)
1	MDYP3 1	Strategic and Business Planning in Health Services and Social Care	5
2	MDYP3 2	Management of Health and Social Care Services in Local Government	5
3	MDYP3 2	Postgraduate diploma thesis - MasterThesis	20
		Total Credits	30
		Overall Credits	90

UNIVERSITY OF WEST ATTICA ACADEMIC STAFF



Director: Professor G. Pierrakos
Organisation and Management of Primary Health Care

Fmr Representative of Greek Union of Nurses in International Organisations
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Health Information Systems

fmr Manager of Health information Systems in the 1st Health Region of Attica
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Fmr Hospital manager
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Sociology of Health and Quality of Life

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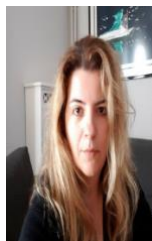
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