

## Online Master of Science in Health Informatics School of Health Information Science, University of Victoria

The University of Victoria is offering the only online Masters degree in Health Informatics in Canada. This two-year program is being offered to nurses, allied health professionals, information technology and health informatics professionals, as well as those in other related disciplines who wish to advance their knowledge of health informatics. Our flexible program allows students to complete their master's degree while continuing to work full-time.

The Distributed (online) MSc is designed as an intensive 2-year program with 5 courses each year, along with a major project spanning two years. The stream consists of graduate level online health informatics courses from the School, as well as online elective courses from the University of Victoria and our partner institutions at the Universities of British Columbia, Alberta and Calgary. Students meet on-campus at the University of Victoria for two 2-week workshops in May of each year. Most UVic online courses consist of synchronous, real-time classes using the latest in web-conferencing software.

There are three entry dates in September, January and May of each year. Current tuition for the distributed program is approximately (CAD) \$24,350.00, which includes on-campus room and board for the two workshops.

Courses offered in the Health Informatics Master's program include:

- Patient Care Information Systems
- Clinical Decisions Support Systems
- Electronic Health Records
- Information Management and Technology
- Health Information System Design
- Health Care Quality Improvement
- PDA Use for Clinicians
- Evaluation in E-Health
- E-Health Sustainability

For more information on the program and admissions requirements, go to our website at <a href="http://hinf.uvic.ca/">http://hinf.uvic.ca/</a>.

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