

Master program “Health Management”

Joint program of Riga Stradins University (RSU) and RISEBA University of Applied Sciences (RISEBA)

Study module plan, 2026/2027 academic year

Study plan 1st year			
Introductory day (on-site, RSU)			October 1, 2026
Semester 1: Modules and courses, (October 2026- January 2027)			
Module	ECTS	Course code	Dates
Module 1: Fundamentals Public Health and Health Systems (RSU)			October 5 - 10
Public Health and Epidemiology	3	SVUEK_088	
Health System Design	3	VVDG_006	
Health Economics I	2	SZF_113	
Module 2: Fundamentals of HCO Management (RISEBA)			November 2-7
Business Management and Strategy in the Organisation of Health Care	4,0	RISEBA_039	
Financial Management of HC institutions I	4	RISEBA_036	
Module 3: Health Economics and International Health Law (RSU)			December 7-12
International Health Law	3	JF_225	
Health Economics II	3	SZF_113	
Dates 2027			
Module 4: Leadership and Finance (RISEBA)			January 11-16
Financial Management of HC institutions II	2	RISEBA_036	
Leadership and Development of Effective Management Skills	3	RISEBA_010	
Strategic Management of Human Resources in HC	3	RISEBA_015	
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Semester 2: Modules and courses, (February 2027- June 2027)			
Module 5: Health System Management (RSU)			February 8-13
Health Technology assessment	3	VVDG_010	
Information Management in Health Care	3	VVDG_013	
Latvian language	1	VC_124	
Module 6: HCO Marketing and Project Management (RISEBA)			March 8-13
Research Methodology (RISEBA)	1	RISEBA_024	

Project Management in Health Care	3	RISEBA_023	
Marketing and Communication Management in Health Care	3	RISEBA_009	
Module 7: Multidisciplinary			April 12-17
Efficiency and Quality Management of the Organization	3	VVDG_015	
Civil protection	3	KPUMTK_012	
Latvian language	1	VC_124	
Research Methodology (RISEBA)	0,5	RISEBA_024	
Module 8: Multidisciplinary (RSU/RISEBA)			May 10-15
Ethics in Business and Health Management, optional	3	RISEBA_038	
Pharmaceutical Policy and Management (RSU), optional		VVDG_008	
Research Methodology (RISEBA)	0,5	RISEBA_024	
Latvian language	1	VC_124	
Module 9: Assignment week (RSU/RISEBA)			June 7-11
Research Methodology (RISEBA)	1	RISEBA_024	
Internship 4 weeks / Summer school 1 week	6	VVDG_036	June - August
Internship Report presentation		VVDG_035	August, on-line
Semester 3: Elective modules (Autumn 2027)	30		
Semester 4: Development of Master's Thesis (Spring 2028)	30		Defense June, 2028
Total for program	120		

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