

# GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN HEALTH SCIENCES

As more information about the structure, process and outcomes of health care emerges and the science of quality expands, quality improvement is emerging as an area of expertise in the industry. GW's master's program, delivered online, was developed to meet the emerging demand for quality and for patient-safety specialists who have the capacity and competence to grow and sustain a culture of continuous improvement at all levels and within all sectors of the health care delivery system.

Graduates will be prepared to lead the design, development, implementation and evaluation of health care quality and patient safety initiatives. They will have the skills and knowledge needed for success in quality and patient-safety leadership, management and research positions within health care organizations or policy agencies.

## REQUIREMENTS

The following requirements must be fulfilled: 15 credits in required courses.

Code	Title	Credits
CML 6205	Case Studies in Clinical Management and Leadership	
HCQ 6200	Introduction to Healthcare Quality	
HCQ 6202	Health Care Quality Landscape	
HSCI 6240	Issues and Trends in the Health Care System	
RAFF 6201	Introduction to Global Regulatory Affairs	