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# Business Information Technology Medical Information Technology Associate of Technical Arts Degree Program Requirements 2011-2012

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Student ID	

ATA Degree Program Description The Associate of Technical Arts Degree in Medical Information Technology is a program for students who completed a *Medical Administrative Assistant* or *Medical Billing* Certificate. This degree consists of a combination of medical knowledge, and business and computer applications designed to prepare the graduate for employment as a coder/technician or manager/supervisor in a medical clinic, hospital, ambulatory health care facility, skilled nursing facility, state or federal health agency, law and insurance firms, pharmaceutical companies, and medical product vendors.

**Degree Outcomes** Outcomes for Edmonds Community College degrees and certificates can be found in the online college catalog at the bottom of each degree or certificate. To find specific outcomes, click on the degree or certificate from the program list in the online catalog at http://catalog.edcc.edu.

**Common Course Numbering Changes** Please refer to <a href="https://www.edcc.edu/ccn">www.edcc.edu/ccn</a> for more information.

Credit/Grade Requirements The ATA Degree requires successful completion of a minimum of 90 credits consisting of a selected Certificate in *Medical Administrative Assistant* (44 credits) or *Medical Billing Specialist* (44 credits) AND general education and program requirements as outlined. A minimum of 30 credits or one-third of the required credits, whichever is less, must be earned at Edmonds Community College. Students are required to maintain a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0 in all college-level courses.

### **General Education/Related Instruction Requirements**

Students who complete degrees or certificates of 45 credits or more are required to demonstrate learning in the following general education/related instruction areas: communication, computation/quantitative skills, and human relations/group interaction.

**Cultural Diversity** Edmonds Community College requires that students earning a degree or certificate of 45 credits or more meet the Cultural Diversity Requirement. Courses that satisfy this requirement are marked as ":CD" on the requirement sheet and/or "Meets Cultural Diversity Requirement" in the quarterly class schedule.

### Students are advised to

- Plan their schedule several quarters in advance in order to accommodate courses that are offered only once or twice a year
- Review the college catalog for required course prerequisites and include these in schedule planning
- · Communicate with a faculty adviser

**Graduation Application** A completed Graduation Application form must be submitted to Enrollment Services by the 10<sup>th</sup> day of the quarter in which the student expects to graduate. Forms are available at Enrollment Services located in Lynnwood Hall, or online at <a href="https://www.edcc.edu/credentials/">www.edcc.edu/credentials/</a>

### **Advisers** The advisers for this program are

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## **College Resources**

Department Website	http://bstec.edcc.edu
Home Page	http://www.edcc.edu
How to Enroll	http://getstarted.edcc.edu
Transfer Center	http://transfer.edcc.edu
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Advising appointments 425-640-1458

College Bookstore http://bookstore.edcc.edu

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To earn the MIT Degree, in addition to completing the *Medical Administrative Assistant Certificate* or the *Medical Billing Specialist Certificate*, students will complete

# Medical Information Technology Degree (90 credits)

Cou	rse		Qtr	Credit	Grade
I. General Educat	ion/Rela	ted Instruction Requirements (19 credits minimum)			
<b>Communicati</b> BSTEC BSTEC	on Skills 110 245	s (10 credits) Business Communications:CD Advanced Business Communications		5 5	
Computation/ ACCT BSTEC BUS	<b>Quantita</b> 101 120 130	ative Skills (4 credits minimum) Accounting Fundamentals * Ten-Key Applications Business Math		5 4 3–5	
<b>Group Interac</b> BSTEC	tion/Hu 260	man Relations Skills (5 credits) Leadership and Management:CD		5	
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## Recommended

HIV/AIDS and CPR Certification

# **Explanatory Notes**

\* Required courses for the Medical Billing Specialist ATA Degree

529T - Medical Information Technology Degree with Medical Administrative Assistant Certificate

529U - Medical Information Technology Degree with Medical Billing Specialist Certificate

Adviser's Signature	Date	Dean's Signature	Date