Our healthcare systems are changing – globally, nationally, regionally, and locally – and much of that change is happening without the support of systems engineers who understand the issues associated with massive systemic change involving a diversity of people and organizations. Many healthcare professionals have significant expertise in their respective healthcare occupations, but often lack expertise in continuously improving the design of systems, processes, or products. A May 2014 study recommended that “the United States build a healthcare workforce that is equipped with essential systems engineering competencies that will enable system redesign.”

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PROGRAM OVERVIEW

This web-based online masters program in Healthcare Systems Engineering is designed to attract students with a variety of educational backgrounds and keen interest in working in the healthcare field. It provides existing healthcare practitioners, and individuals with an engineering background who are interested in joining the rapidly expanding field of healthcare systems, with models and tools such as quantitative analysis, systems modeling, and computer simulation for effective decision-making in healthcare organizations and systems.

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1 Better Health Care And Lower Costs: Accelerating Improvement Through Systems Engineering, May 2014, President’s Council of Advisors on Science and Technology (PCAST)