

➤ Short Course in Health Economics and Finance



Duration

- Option A (for credit eligibility): 4 days plus assessments*
 - Option B (not for credit): 4 days
- *N.B. Assessments may need to be completed in own time during and after completion of 4 day course.

Delivery mode

- Internal (face-to-face workshops at Murdoch University, South Street campus)
- External (fully online)

Schedule

- 9.00am - 4.00pm on 28 June, 3 July, 12 and 17 July 2017

Enrolment Deadline

14 June 2017

Course description

This course introduces students to key frameworks and principles of health economics. It consists of three full-day workshops, in which you will learn how the Australian and comparative international healthcare systems are financed and funded; the core theories of supply and demand in healthcare, including the importance of information; the critical role of insurance; hospital financing and delivery; pay-for-performance schemes; and options for private/public mix in the financing and provision of healthcare.

Main learning outcomes

- Understand the economic complexities of health and healthcare for health policy and management.
- Understand the way different Health Care Systems address these fundamental trade-offs.
- Apply economic and statistical tools to concrete health economics issues that arise in the workplace.
- Link different policy recommendations to your analysis of these underlying issues.

Course Coordinators



Dr. Francesco Paolucci,
Head of Health Policy Programs at the Sir Walter Murdoch School of Public Policy and International Affairs and Associate Professor at the Murdoch School of Business and Governance



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Find out more and apply at: murdoch.edu.au/shortcoursehef

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Workshops

Workshop 1: The Economics and Finance of Healthcare

Wed 28 June 9.00am – 4.00pm	Essential Economics and Finance Toolkit
	Demand for Health and Healthcare (The Grossman Model)
	Supply of Health and Healthcare (Production of Health, Health Industry Labour Market Dynamics, The Hospital Industry)

Workshop 2: Health Economics Evaluation

Mon 3 July 9.00am – 4.00pm	Health Economic Evaluation and Health Technology Assessment
	Population Aging and its impact on Healthcare costs
	Economic Epidemiology

Workshop 3: Healthcare Financing – local and international perspectives

Wed 12 July 9.00am – 4.00pm	Health Insurance Markets (Demand & Supply for Health Insurance)
	Regulated Competition and Social Insurance
	Healthcare Financing and Reimbursement (e.g. activity-based funding)

Workshop 4: Equity and socioeconomic Disparities, Healthy Life Style

Mon 17 July 9.00am – 4.00pm	Equity and Socioeconomic Disparities in Health & Healthcare Access
	Healthy Lifestyle (obesity, smoking, addiction and their consequences)
	Case Study Applications
	Student Presentations

Enrolment options

Option A (for credit eligibility): \$2,970

Upon successful completion of this course, participants will be granted three credit points. Participants may use these credits towards eligible postgraduate programs (i.e. **Graduate Certificate in Health Administration, Policy and Leadership; Master in Health Administration, Policy and Leadership; Master of Business Administration; Master of Public Policy and Management; Master of International Affairs and Security; Master of Development Studies**)

Please email our Program Support Team and ask to enrol in the Short Course in Health Economics and Finance for credit eligibility (course code: **SSWM518**).

Option B (not for credit): \$2,520

Students seeking to participate to the workshops on a non-credit basis will not need to complete the assessments. Students completing the course will receive a certificate of participation.

Please email our Program Support Team and ask to enrol in the Short Course in Health Economics and Finance not for-credit (course code: **NSWM518**).

Group enrolment:

Discounts may apply to groups of at least 5 people. Please contact us to receive the group rates.

Guest Speakers



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