



**HCOM | HEALTH COMMUNICATION
ONLINE MASTER OF SCIENCE**

Spring 2025 Cohort 2-Year Projected Schedule

(Course offerings may be subject to change)

Spring 2025	
CMN 496 Provider-Patient Communication	January 22-March 18
Spring Break 1	March 19-March 31
CMN 595 Healthy Teams in Healthcare	April 1-April 28
Spring Break 2	April 29-May 19
*alternate elective course: CMN 595 Health and Family Communication	
Summer 2025	
CMN 502 Research Methods 1	May 21-June 17
CMN 503 Research Methods 2	June 18-July 15
Summer Break*	July 16-August 26
*optional elective course: CMN 595 Health and Family Comm	June 18-July 15
Fall 2025	
CMN 501 Introduction to Health Communication	August 27-October 21
Fall Break	October 22-November 4
CMN 595 Cultural Considerations in Healthcare*	November 5-December 9
Winter Break	December 10-January 20
*alternate elective course: CMN 595 Impact of Health Information Technology	

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Spring 2025 Cohort Schedule (continued)

Spring 2026	
CMN 508 Successful Health Campaigns	January 21-March 17
Spring Break 1	March 18-March 31
CMN 595 Picturing Health*	April 1-April 28
Spring Break 2	April 29-May 12
*alternate elective course: CMN 595 Conflict Management in Healthcare	
Summer 2026	
No required coursework; electives available if desired	
Fall 2026	
CMN 507 Health Comm Orgs, Profs & Policy	August 26-October 20
Fall Break	October 21-November 3
CMN 595 Stigma in Healthcare*	November 4-December 8
Winter Break	December 9-January 19
*alternate elective course: CMN 595 Mass Media and Health	
Spring 2027	
CMN 575 Capstone*	January 20-March 10

*When you register for the Capstone, do not forget to **apply to graduate** through self-service. If you do not sign up for the degree list, you will not receive your diploma upon completing your Capstone. Make sure you register for the term in which you anticipate completing your degree:

Summer term: August degree list
 Fall term: December degree list
 Spring term: May degree list

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