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Today’s rapidly growing health care industry offers tremendous opportunities. There’s never been a better time to be a health care or wellness professional. You may just be starting your professional life or deciding to enhance your already established career with an advanced degree. Regardless of where you are on your path, Kaplan University’s School of Health Sciences is here to help make your dreams a reality.

The school is committed to educating students to become skilled, compassionate professionals who are vital to the delivery of quality health care and helping others to lead healthier lives. Our comprehensive, career-focused programs are designed to prepare graduates to become tomorrow’s health leaders, and instill critical-thinking skills to help them function in a global technological environment. Our curriculum represents the very best in health care and wellness education—a solid foundation in theory and the latest technologies, opportunities for experiential learning, and a student-centered learning environment.

Learning online at Kaplan University is a dynamic, interactive experience. You can access your virtual classroom with some of the latest technological and curricular developments from anywhere in the world, while also being able to connect with thousands of health care professionals, students, and professors.

I encourage you to explore the breadth and depth of opportunities that Kaplan University’s School of Health Sciences offers and imagine how you could make a difference as a health care or wellness professional. I look forward to welcoming you to our community.

Dr. Keith L. Smith
Dean and Vice President, Health Programs
Kaplan University

Dr. Keith Smith is a seasoned leader who has held management positions in the business, nonprofit, and higher education sectors. He has taught leadership and organizational courses and workshops both domestically and internationally. Dr. Smith works to bring passion and inspiration to the workplace. In 2007, he joined Kaplan University as dean of the School of Health Sciences, building the school from 3 associate’s degrees and 1,200 students to 4 associate’s degrees, 6 bachelor’s degrees, 2 master’s degrees, and approximately 12,000 students by 2010. He subsequently served as vice provost for the University from 2010 to 2012. At that time, he returned to health sciences as dean and vice president of health programs, inclusive of online, campus, and learning center programs.

THE SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES
AT KAPLAN UNIVERSITY

Develop High-Tech and High-Touch Skills for a Healthy Career

Health care is evolving dramatically. The aging baby boomer generation now makes up more than 25% of the population,* and nearly 30 million Americans are expected to gain health insurance coverage by 2019.† While innovations in medical science and technology are improving patient outcomes, they require a highly skilled workforce. The health care sector is expected to add 2.3 million jobs between 2014 and 2024, many of which are in fields related to Kaplan University programs.‡ This means more qualified health care and wellness professionals are needed every day. Preparation is essential.

WHY KAPLAN UNIVERSITY?

A tradition of quality—a nontraditional approach. We offer the quality you deserve and the value you expect from Kaplan University.

Whether your focus is nutrition, public health, medical assisting, health information management, or health care administration, our goal is to help you build both the practical skills and professional competencies to support your career goals. Here’s how we do it:

FACULTY WITH REAL-WORLD EXPERIENCE: Our faculty are experienced professionals in health care industries who understand the best ways to shape our curriculum to meet your needs.

CURRICULUM REVIEWED BY HEALTH CARE AND WELLNESS PROFESSIONALS: Our courses are regularly monitored to ensure current industry alignment.

ONLINE LEARNING THAT’S COMPREHENSIVE AND INTERACTIVE: Many programs include clinical, practicum, or fieldwork experiences; all online courses offer student/instructor feedback, discussion boards, group activities, and more.

GREATER CONFIDENCE WITH THE KAPLAN COMMITMENT™: We stand behind our academic quality. The Kaplan Commitment allows undergraduate students to attend classes for an introductory period with no tuition obligation beyond the nonrefundable application fee.§

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE IS A PART OF MANY PROGRAMS: In today’s economy, it’s important to have relevant experience to get ahead in health care. We understand that. But how can you gain experience if you are just starting out or changing careers? Kaplan University’s clinical, practicum, and fieldwork experiences can offer you the opportunity to apply your knowledge to real-world health care settings.

LEARNING ONLINE, BUT NOT ON YOUR OWN: Online learning has a reputation for being a solitary experience. That’s not the case at Kaplan University. Many of our courses include live, online group meetings with your professor and classmates every week. This is just one of the ways we use technology to help you feel more engaged in class and offer you opportunities to interact with fellow students of all backgrounds.

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§ Classes count toward a degree if satisfactorily completed. No credits are earned if the student withdraws during the introductory period (3 weeks for undergraduate students), which begins day one of the first term. Students who choose to continue their studies at the University will need to meet specific requirements. Graduate programs not included. Additional terms may apply to international and non-U.S. citizen students. For further information, see catalog.kaplanuniversity.edu and www.kaplanuniversity.edu/Kaplan_Commitment.pdf. Application fee waived for campus and learning center students through December 31, 2017.
Whether you want a successful career working directly with patients or behind the scenes in a health care facility, Kaplan University’s School of Health Sciences has a program to fit your career goals.* We offer a variety of certificates and undergraduate and graduate degrees in some of today’s most in-demand health care specialties. Our hands-on, real-world approach to learning is designed to equip you with the skills and knowledge to help you stand out in a competitive job market. You’ll be taught and mentored by industry-experienced faculty members dedicated to your success. Our convenient online learning platform accommodates the busy schedules of working adults.

GRADUATE

MASTER OF HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION

The rising cost and accessibility of quality health care are critical issues that affect individuals, communities, and organizations nationwide. Effective leadership is needed in the industry to find solutions to these challenges and improve management structures in a highly competitive, market-driven environment. Kaplan University’s Master of Health Care Administration helps prepare you for leadership and management positions in a variety of governmental, nonprofit, and private health care organizations.

PROGRAM OUTCOMES

- Compare theoretical health care principles essential to leadership positions.
- Design effective strategies based on leadership and management concepts within the health care industry.
- Assess the impact economics, ethics, professional standards, and the law have on health care administration.
- Develop policies and programs to address health care industry concerns.
- Analyze statistical and financial methods in order to evaluate health care practices.

MASTER OF HEALTH INFORMATICS

Improving the health care system means integrating innovative technology into patient care. The field of health informatics (HI) connects computer science, information science, and health care. HI professionals work with the processes and tools used to record, store, and analyze health care information; and communicate with both health care providers and IT professionals. Kaplan University's online Master of Health Informatics could prepare you for an exciting career and open doors to a variety of HI management and leadership positions.

PROGRAM OUTCOMES

- Design effective strategies based on concepts of leadership and innovation in health informatics.
- Assess the impact that economics, ethics, professional standards, and the law have on the optimization of health informatics.
- Evaluate public policy and health care policies and procedures to support health informatics innovation across systems.
- Formulate data to optimize financial outcomes.

* Kaplan University cannot guarantee employment or career advancement.
MASTER OF HEALTH INFORMATION MANAGEMENT

Health information management is a diverse, rapidly evolving field with many opportunities for qualified professionals. The Master of Health Information Management can help prepare you with the knowledge and skills to pursue leadership positions in the dynamic fields of health information management, administration, education, and research. The online Master of Health Information Management is focused on the strategic and operational relevance and robustness of clinical information, resources, workflow, and connectivity within the health care industry and public health sectors.

PROGRAM OUTCOMES

- Design effective strategies based on concepts of leadership and health information management in administrative and business environments.
- Analyze the impact of economics, ethics, professional standards, and the law on health information.
- Evaluate public policy and health care policies and procedures to support the global health information management industry.
- Compare financial data analytics to optimize health information systems.

MASTER OF PUBLIC HEALTH

The Master of Public Health is a professional credential for those seeking leadership and managerial positions in governmental, nonprofit, and private organizations in the health care industry. Kaplan University’s Master of Public Health could help you develop the administrative, ethical, and professional skills to apply public health principles to health education and communication programs. In addition, you can build practical experience and strengthen your résumé through fieldwork opportunities that provide onsite training. With a Master of Public Health from Kaplan University, you could pursue a wide range of industry positions including health services manager, health consultant, health advocate, and community health organizer, among many other career paths.

PROGRAM OUTCOMES

- Demonstrate an evidence-based approach to public health practice.
- Leverage fundamental epidemiological concepts in addressing population health problems.
- Appraise current and relevant health issues and policy.
- Implement leadership, administrative, and communication skills through planning, organization, administration, and evaluation of public health programs and processes.
- Evaluate concepts and methods of social and behavioral sciences relevant to the identification and solution of public health problems.
GRADUATE

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN HEALTH EDUCATION

Health educators encourage individuals to take more responsibility for learning about the behaviors that keep them healthy or that help them improve their health. These professionals collect and analyze data; as well as plan, implement, and evaluate health education programs that focus on key health issues such as teen pregnancy and HIV prevention. Kaplan University’s Master of Science in Health Education helps prepare students to enter this dynamic field. You’ll learn how to design, implement, and evaluate health programs and hone your critical thinking and communication skills.

In addition, you can build practical experience and strengthen your résumé through field opportunities that provide onsite training.

PROGRAM OUTCOMES

- Understand the principles and practices of health care regarding administration, management, law, economics, and policy.
- Study to attain skills and knowledge to handle health care-related research, critical thinking, and problem solving.
- Apply management principles toward team building and collaborative decision making.
- Consider the forces that are influencing today’s health care delivery systems when making health care management decisions.
- Analyze and uphold the professional, ethical, and legal standards of health care administration.

UNDERGRADUATE

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION

Today’s health care industry is facing unprecedented challenges, and Kaplan University’s Bachelor of Science in Health Care Administration is helping prepare individuals to meet these challenges. The comprehensive curriculum is designed to quickly embrace industry updates and innovations. You’ll receive a solid foundation in the core disciplines of health care administration and management and have opportunities to apply what you’ve learned in real-world settings. Graduates can pursue a master’s degree* or seek professional positions in a variety of settings. The need for well-prepared health care managers across the country is expected to increase at a rate much faster than the average for all other occupations between 2014 and 2024.†

PROGRAM OUTCOMES

- Understand the principles and practices of health care regarding administration, management, law, economics, and policy.
- Study to attain skills and knowledge to handle health care-related research, critical thinking, and problem solving.
- Apply management principles toward team building and collaborative decision making.
- Consider the forces that are influencing today’s health care delivery systems when making health care management decisions.
- Analyze and uphold the professional, ethical, and legal standards of health care administration.

* While many of Kaplan University’s degree programs are designed to prepare graduates to pursue continued graduate- or doctorate-level education, the University cannot guarantee that students will be granted admission to any graduate or doctoral programs.
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN HEALTH AND WELLNESS

With the growing emphasis on preventative health care, new opportunities in health care and wellness-related industries are emerging every day. The Bachelor of Science in Health and Wellness at Kaplan University provides the relevant curriculum and broad perspective to prepare students for careers in this rewarding field. Professionals with knowledge and training in health and wellness provide support, encouragement, and education to help people live healthier lives and prevent illness or injury. If you would like to broaden your knowledge and skills with a mind-body-spirit approach to health and wellness, then our online Bachelor of Science in Health and Wellness may be just what you are looking for.

PROGRAM OUTCOMES
• Evaluate the scientific literature and research in wellness, prevention, and complementary health care.
• Discover how to use your knowledge to educate individuals and communities.
• Develop the administrative, ethical, and professional skills for leadership positions throughout the health care field.
• Complete an original comprehensive capstone project that demonstrates your ability to apply your health and wellness knowledge and skills to real-world scenarios.

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN HEALTH SCIENCE

Kaplan University provides innovative educational programs to help today’s health professionals meet the challenges of the rapidly changing health care environment. Our Bachelor of Science in Health Science program can help prepare you with the knowledge and skills to enter the exciting health care field. You’ll gain a broad understanding of the health care system and learn how to improve outcomes for those in need.

PROGRAM OUTCOMES
• Develop administrative, ethical, and professional skills to prepare you for leadership positions throughout the health care field.
• Gain an understanding of demography, epidemiology, biostatistics, and other tools used to assess community health.
• Understand and apply the concepts of health, healing, and wellness from a broad historical and multicultural perspective.
• Complete an original comprehensive capstone project that demonstrates your ability to apply your health science knowledge and skills to real-world scenarios.
ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN HEALTH INFORMATION MANAGEMENT

The American health care system is undergoing dramatic changes and improvements that center on the integration of technology in patient care. The federal government has invested billions of dollars to move hospitals and health care organizations from paper to electronic records and upgrade health information technology systems. These changes have created a need for health information management (HIM) professionals with specialized skills in collecting, analyzing, and protecting vital patient information.

Kaplan University’s online Bachelor of Science in Health Information Management program combines theory and practice, and can prepare you for success in today’s increasingly complex electronic health environment. The program also includes an externship component, which will provide on-the-job experience at a hospital or health care facility.

If you received a CAHIIM-approved Associate of Applied Science in Health Information Technology, your prior degree could put you on the fast track to your bachelor’s degree. Completion of an associate’s degree is not a prerequisite for the 4-year program.

PROGRAM OUTCOMES

• Apply best practices in decision making regarding the management of health information.
• Utilize research methods and critical thinking to create solutions for vital health care issues.
• Apply the professional, ethical, and legal standards of health information management.
• Demonstrate knowledge of the forces impacting health care delivery and health information systems.

Note: This program is not available to students in Delaware and Kentucky.

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NUTRITION

There is a growing awareness throughout the nation of the vital role of nutrition in the prevention and treatment of major diseases and living healthier lives. Kaplan University’s Bachelor of Science in Nutrition is designed to prepare you with the practical knowledge and skills to enter this rewarding profession and help improve the quality of people’s lives.*

PROGRAM OUTCOMES

• Explore the principles and pharmacology of nutrition and how dietary choices can contribute to a healthy lifestyle.
• Acquire an understanding of digestion, absorption, and metabolism of foods and nutritional needs at various stages of the life cycle.
• Develop the administrative, ethical, and professional skills necessary for leadership positions throughout the health care field.
• Complete an original comprehensive capstone project that demonstrates your ability to apply your nutrition science knowledge and skills to real-world scenarios.

ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE IN HEALTH SCIENCE

If you are a military student who has already received military training for a medical or health science occupational specialty, the Associate of Science in Health Science could help further your educational and career goals. The curriculum focuses on the important role of professionalism in health care, general education, and industry-related technical information and builds on your prior military medical training to help you achieve an associate’s degree. You can further specialize your degree by choosing

* The Bachelor of Science in Nutrition program is designed to prepare graduates academically to pursue a variety of nutrition-oriented careers and advanced education. However, Kaplan University’s Bachelor of Science in Nutrition program is not accredited by the Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics (ACEND), and does not qualify an individual to sit for the examination to become a Registered Dietitian (RD). In addition, some states will not permit individuals to become licensed in nutrition and/or dietetics if they do not possess the RD credential. If you are interested in becoming licensed in your state, it is vital that you understand your state’s requirements for licensing prior to enrollment.
from concentrations: the surgical technology concentration covers the regulatory standards and recommended practices for surgical technologists, and the telemetry concentration focuses on basic cardiac terminology, anatomy related to the heart, and electrophysiology, as well as regulatory and compliance standards.

PROGRAM OUTCOMES

• Integrate knowledge from behavioral and biological sciences as a basis for allied health practice.
• Use current technology in a variety of health care roles.
• Demonstrate competencies relevant to a concentration within health sciences.
• Execute administration skills and management processes within the interdisciplinary health care field.
• Exhibit behavior consistent with the professional, ethical, and legal standards of allied health practice.

Note: this program may not be available in all states. Enrollment in this program is limited to servicemembers of the U.S. military, including members of the Reserve or National Guard, and veterans of the U.S. military who have completed one of the articulated military occupation training courses.

MEDICAL BILLING/CODING CERTIFICATE

This certificate program is designed to provide you with knowledge and technical skills to pursue a career as a billing and insurance specialist in either a physician’s office or institutional setting, or as a patient referral specialist, coder, or medical receptionist.* Coursework provides instruction in topics such as: anatomy, physiology, and pharmacology; data information processing; medical billing, coding, and terminology; insurance billing; and medical terminology and medical office management. In addition, you will gain hands-on practical experience in medical billing, coding, and administrative functions through a 40-hour practicum experience.

MEDICAL OFFICE ADMINISTRATION CERTIFICATE

Our online program is designed to equip you with the knowledge and technical skills necessary to pursue entry-level positions.* Coursework focuses on areas including insurance processing and fundamental medical office administrative and clerical tasks. You will also have an opportunity to get valuable, on-the-job experience during your externship in a physician’s office or clinic.

Note: this program may not be available in all states. Contact an Admissions Advisor for details.

* Kaplan University cannot guarantee employment or career advancement.

MEDICAL ASSISTANT CERTIFICATE

Our program offers a comprehensive curriculum combined with hands-on training on equipment typically used in a medical setting. The various courses offered can train you to perform specific duties such as assisting the supervising physician with administering injections, taking vital signs, recording EKGs, assisting in minor surgical procedures, carrying out basic accounting procedures, and understanding the fundamentals of charting and documentation. To enhance your career-based experience, you will also complete clinical experiences and an externship that enable you to apply classroom learning in a real-world setting.

Note: this program may not be available in all states. Enrollment in this program is limited to servicemembers of the U.S. military, including members of the Reserve or National Guard, and veterans of the U.S. military who have completed one of the articulated military occupation training courses.
CAREER OUTCOMES

Health Science Knowledge Backed by Career Skills
At Kaplan University, the way you learn mirrors the way you work, so you are constantly refining the skills relevant to a career in today's competitive job market. While you increase your technical competence, you also have the opportunity to develop the collaboration, management, and communication skills to empower career success.

CLINICAL, PRACTICUM, AND FIELDWORK EXPERIENCES
Work environments outside of school can provide enriching training opportunities to support your academic and career goals. Our clinical, practicum, and fieldwork experiences can help you apply the knowledge you have gained in the classroom to a real-world setting.

Depending on your program's requirements, you can complete your experience in person in your local community or online via a remote/virtual placement.

CAREER SERVICES
Kaplan University's CareerNetwork is an interactive social platform that lets you search and apply for jobs, access online tools and resources, and collaborate with other students and the Career Services team. Highlights include:
• One-on-one attention to ensure a personalized approach to pursuing your career goals
• An assigned Career Specialist to offer you guidance and assistance
• 24/7 availability of online services
• Virtual seminars and workshops on everything from résumés and cover letters to salary negotiation, time management, and how to use your health sciences degree in the workplace
• Assistance with building and refining your career portfolio to showcase yourself to potential employers
• Job listings from a wide variety of industries
• A job tracker that records your job search activity
• A mentoring program to connect you with successful alumni in your field
• Networking opportunities and online job search assistance

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At Kaplan University’s School of Health Sciences, you don’t have to wait until graduation to gain skills that employers find valuable. Our programs offer diverse and challenging clinical and practicum opportunities that allow you to integrate and apply what you’ve learned in real-world health care environments. You’ll observe and learn from professionals in the field and contribute to the solution of health problems, while developing practical skills and personal confidence as a health professional.

Community
Some courses include live, online group meetings with your professor and classmates every week. This not only helps students feel more engaged in class, but also simulates real-world career environments in which collaboration, communication, and teamwork are sought-after skills.

Office of Student Life
Kaplan University’s Office of Student Life offers programs and services aimed at helping students engage in their program of study outside the classroom and providing both personal and professional growth opportunities. Student organizations offer students many opportunities to connect with their peers and faculty outside of the classroom. Some advantages include:

- Networking with peers and industry professionals in your field
- Leadership opportunities and development
- Recognition of your academic achievements
- Personal growth opportunities through wellness programs
- Engagement in your program of study outside the classroom
UNCOMPROMISING SUPPORT

Kaplan University students receive personal academic support from day one to graduation. From a highly engaged faculty to technical support, you have access to the assistance to help you achieve your academic goals.

**Education Advising**
A dedicated team of Education Advisors provides the following types of individualized support:
- Access to resources and academic tools
- Degree planning
- Answers to questions about your program
- Motivation to stay on track to graduation
- Course selection and registration
- Advocating for you when you need support
- Helping you handle issues before they become problems

**Tutoring and Academic Support Services**
Kaplan University offers rich academic support through a suite of tutoring services.
- Our Technology Center provides comprehensive, integrated technical support:
  - One-on-one consultation, support, and tutoring customized to your skill level and academic need
  - Library of self-paced tutorial modules

- Our Writing Center, Math Center, Technology Center, and Science Center provide subject-specific assistance. Services include:
  - Live tutoring and one-on-one support from professors and professional tutors
  - Subject support including an essay review service
  - Workshops covering a wide range of topics
  - Podcasts, self-paced tutorials, and additional resources

**Center for Disability Services**
The Center for Disability Services is responsible for the coordination of services for students with disabilities. Students seeking reasonable and appropriate accommodations may request, through their Education Advisor, to be placed in contact with the Center for Disability Services. Students may also directly contact the Center for Disability Services.
In addition to academic credentials, Kaplan University School of Health Sciences faculty members have significant professional experience in their fields. They bring you knowledge gained through the powerful combination of higher learning and industry experience.

Many health sciences faculty members are also practicing professionals within the health sciences and wellness fields, and hold doctorates or significant professional certifications; all faculty members possess at least a master’s degree.

Full-time faculty members include scholarship and research as part of their annual development plan, which helps ensure their expertise stays up-to-date for the classroom and for you.

Betty Harrison, MA, CWWS, CWWPM, Chair
Betty Harrison is the academic chair for the bachelor’s degree programs in health and wellness, nutrition science, and health science, as well as the Associate of Science in Health Science, Master of Science in Health Education, and Master of Public Health. She has an extensive background in the fields of psychology and complementary and alternative medicine, and was a practicing Doctor of Oriental Medicine (acupuncture and herbal medicine) for over 20 years. Ms. Harrison was a clinician at the prestigious Integrative Medicine Clinic at Evanston–Northwestern Hospital, which is associated with the Andrew Weil integrative medicine program.

A long-term practitioner of meditation, Ms. Harrison completed the Mindfulness Based Stress Reduction (MBSR) teacher training at the University of Massachusetts Medical Center in 2003.

Susan Archibald, PhD, Chair
Dr. Susan Archibald is the academic chair for the Bachelor of Science and Master of Health Care Administration programs and the Medical Office Administration Certificate. She holds a doctorate in human services with a specialization in health care administration from Capella University, a Master of Science in Community Health Administration and Wellness Promotion from Independence University, and a Bachelor of Science in Human Services with a specialization in gerontology from Thomas Edison State College. Dr. Archibald completed all of her education through distance and online schools, piquing her interest in becoming an online instructor.

Dr. Archibald has worked in nursing homes as an activity director, social worker, and admissions coordinator. She has worked as a social worker and consultant in the home health field, and more recently in a locked geriatric psychiatric unit as a social worker and activity coordinator. Prior to joining the Kaplan University faculty full time, she worked as an independent professional geriatric care manager. Dr. Archibald is a member of the Medical Group Management Association, the American College of Healthcare Executives, the National Association of Professional Geriatric Care Managers, and the National Certification Council for Activity Professionals.
CREDIT FOR PRIOR LEARNING

The knowledge and skills you already have could help you save time and money on your degree. Kaplan University offers five pathways to help you earn credit for your prior learning:

1. Transfer eligible credits earned at an accredited institution
2. Seek college credit for your work and life experiences
3. Earn course credit through competency assessments
4. Convert your military training into college credit
5. Receive credit for eligible professional certifications

To apply for credit, you must first submit official transcripts, course descriptions, and supporting documentation to the Office of the Registrar. Visit catalog.kaplanuniversity.edu for the Prior Learning Assessment policy.

SCHEDULE AND START DATES

We’ve found that traditional fall and spring start dates don’t exactly meet the needs of our student population. For your convenience, start dates occur throughout the year.

TAYLOR BOGDANSKE
Graduate,
School of Health Sciences
PAYING FOR SCHOOL

Explore Your Financial Options Before You Make Any Decisions

FINANCIAL AID
Our Financial Aid Office works with you from enrollment to graduation to ensure you understand your financial options and to help you plan the most efficient use of financial resources. We will help you craft a personalized financial plan that meets your particular needs.

Prior to enrolling at Kaplan University, you are encouraged to explore all available financial options, including employer tuition benefits, military tuition assistance, and scholarships.

Options for Eligible Students

LOANS (SUBJECT TO ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS)
• Subsidized Federal Stafford Loan (Undergraduate Only)
• Unsubsidized Federal Stafford Loan
• Federal PLUS Loan
• Alternative Loans

OTHER AGENCIES AND PROGRAMS
• Promise Jobs*
• Veterans Administration Benefits
• Division of Vocational Rehabilitation*
• Workforce Investment Act†
• Defense Activity for Non-Traditional Education Support (DANTES)

* Agency or program validates student and program eligibility. Eligibility can vary by state.
† The University may be eligible to be an approved training provider for Workforce Investment Act (WIA) student aid. Students must contact their local WIA One-Stop Centers or their Local Workforce Investment Boards to determine training program eligibility.
MILITARY OVERVIEW

Supporting Military Members, Veterans, and Military Spouses at Kaplan University

If you or your spouse served in the U.S. Armed Forces, Kaplan University provides the support to help you reach your educational and career goals—whether military or civilian.

Special Tuition Rates for Military
We believe your commitment of service should be rewarded. Current servicemembers, including Guard and Reserve, receive a 55% per-credit tuition reduction for undergraduate programs and technology fees are waived. Veterans receive a 38% per-credit tuition reduction. In addition, we provide reduced tuition rates for all graduate programs and for military spouses.

Credit for Eligible Prior Learning
If you served, you know the incredible value and quality of your military training. Kaplan University works hard to maximize your prior learning, experience, and coursework, which may shorten your path to a degree. Sources of prior learning for which you may be eligible for college credit include:

- External examinations such as DANTES Subject Standardized Tests (DSST) or College Level Examination Program (CLEP) tests (undergraduate students only)
- Credits due to your military occupation or training
- College courses you have taken at regionally or nationally accredited institutions

Note: see the University Catalog for the Prior Learning Assessment policy.

Special Deployment Policies
If you must drop a course or take a leave of absence due to a deployment or change of orders, special tuition waiver and leave of absence policies may be available.

Kaplan University has signed and agreed to comply with Executive Order 13607, establishing principles of excellence for educational institutions serving servicemembers and veterans and their spouses and other family members.
ABOUT KAPLAN UNIVERSITY

Kaplan University is an institution of higher learning dedicated to providing innovative undergraduate, graduate, and continuing professional education. Our programs foster student learning with opportunities to launch, enhance, or change careers. The University is committed to general education, a student-centered service and support approach, and applied scholarship in a practical environment.

We offer more than 180 programs that are designed to provide students with the relevant skills for employment in business, criminal justice, education, health care, information technology, legal studies, and more.

Accreditation and Approvals
Kaplan University is accredited by The Higher Learning Commission (HLC). This accreditation covers all our academic programs, all branch campuses, and all programs provided via distance education. For more information, please visit the HLC website at hlcommission.org, write to them at 230 S. LaSalle Street, Suite 7-500, Chicago, IL 60604, or call 800.621.7440.

Kaplan University is authorized under federal law to enroll nonimmigrant, alien students.

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