

The Health Law Institute  
is now offering a

# Health Law Certificate

## What is a Health Law Certificate?

The Health Law Certificate shows future employers that you have concentrated your studies in health law and have acquired a significant understanding and practical application of health law concepts. The Health Law Certificate will appear as a special designation on the J.D. or graduate degree transcript. Certificate recipients will also receive a paper certificate upon successful completion of the certificate program.

## What is Required?

### Coursework

In order to successfully complete the certificate program, a student must take a minimum of 14 credits of health law courses and maintain a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.00 in these courses.

### Experience in the Health Care Community

Each certificate student will fulfill a community experience requirement which exposes the individual to part of the health care industry outside the classroom. Students can meet this community experience through participation in the health law clinic or practicum classes, pro bono work in an approved health law setting, or an agreed upon job shadowing experience.

### Participation in Extra Curricular Activities

Each student will actively participate in six or more of the activities sponsored by the Health Law Institute during his or her tenure. These include lectures, conferences, symposia, lunches, and approved meetings of the health law section of the bar association.

## How to Enroll:

- 1) **Apply.**  
Complete an application downloadable from the Health Law Institute website.
- 2) **Schedule a meeting.**  
After admission to the program, the Health Law Institute director or assistant director will contact you to schedule a curriculum planning meeting.
- 3) **Plan your curriculum.**  
Bring the planning chart, downloadable from the Health Law Institute website, with you to the curriculum planning meeting. At the curriculum planning meeting, each participant will design a program with help from a faculty advisor. The curriculum will integrate not only core coursework but also exposure to health law practice through externships, clinics, or job shadowing experiences.

For more information:

[www.hamline.edu/law/health](http://www.hamline.edu/law/health)

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