

HSCC 311

Systems and Trends In Health Care Delivery

Trends, Issues, & Topics

Manpower trends/health care provider cross-training/multi-tasking
Innovation in medicine
Medical research and development
Pharmaceutical research and development
Risk management
Privacy/HIPAA
Hospital restructuring/health care down-sizing
Information technology in health care
 -patient tracking/electronic medical records/automating patient records
Utilization management
Technology challenges in medicine
Improving quality
Health care delivery shifting away from hospital
Health systems focusing on entire populations
Decline of indemnity health insurance
Growth of multi-hospital firms
Managed care enrollment
Job-based health insurance
Cost control and competition
Legal and legislative trends
Consumer defining value
Future of managed care
Elderly population effect on health care
How the Internet is changing delivery of health care
Organizational training and development
Alternative medicine
Marketing of health care
Genomics/Genetic Revolution
Health Care Fraud
Prescription Drugs
Physician Unionization
National Health Care System
Americans Without Insurance

****Or other topic approved by the instructor in advance*****