MHA Timeline

BEFORE ADMISSION

Explore the Career
*September through October*
- Visit the MHA Program website
- Contact the Program
- Observe a class
- Speak to current students and alumni
- Volunteer to work in the health care field
- Take recommended prep courses: statistics, micro-economics, accounting
- Read recommended books and websites about the field

Apply
*September through March 15*
- Take GRE or GMAT exam
- Submit online application at SPH website (SOPHAS)
- Submit resume, personal statement, transcripts, and letters of recommendation

December through May
- Application is reviewed by selection committee and selected students are invited to campus for interviews.
- On interview day prospective students meet current students, faculty and staff. A 30-minute panel interview takes place. Interviewees attend lunch with current students, faculty and alumni.
- Applicants are notified of admissions decisions.

Matriculate
*December through May*
- Students are notified of decision
- Students notify Program of acceptance
- Students are notified of scholarship information (ongoing)
- Students are registered for classes
- Student pictures and bios are added to the Welcome website

Orientation
*Late August*
- Half-day School of Public Health orientation
- Half-day MHA orientation
- Orientation reception
- Join the MHA Alumni Association
- Enroll in mentorship program
- Attend Minnesota State Fair!