



The Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine teaches the business of healthcare, preparing the next generation of healthcare industry leaders.

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Masters of Science in Medical
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(M.H.S.A.)

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(M.S.B.E.)

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(M.P.H.)

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**Master of Science
In Biomedical Ethics
(M.S.B.E.)**

“I can definitely say I am much more confident in my abilities to empower my patients to have strong decision-making skills with their healthcare desires every step of the way. Learning to have difficult conversations about all types of ethical questions is important to me to provide my patients the most holistic care possible. The LECOM M.S.B.E program helped me do so.”

Brianne Howerton, D.O., M.S.B.E.

“The M.S.B.E. program at LECOM has prepared me to be an advocate and safeguard for human rights in our healthcare system. This program explored interesting and relevant curriculum rooted in the principles of ethics that can be directly applied in the industry. I believe every person who works in healthcare should take this program to enhance their empathy, knowledge, and ability to deliver patient-centered care. The M.S.B.E. program ignited a spark of inspiration within me that led to conducting my doctoral research focused on the bioethicist. This program has the ability to prepare industry-changing professionals.”

Natalie Novak, M.S.B.E., D.H.A.

Master of Science in Biomedical Ethics



The LECOM M.S.B.E. program is designed to help professionals develop the skills needed to analyze, mediate, and resolve ethical dilemmas using key ethical concepts, frameworks, and arguments in their fields of specialization. Graduates will be skilled in risk mitigation, sensitive to the patient-centered experience, and better equipped to participate in policy discussions and development across a wide range of professional, institutional, and industry settings. Whether preparing for or continuing with a career in healthcare, the LECOM M.S.B.E. program delivers the ethical understanding required to make a positive impact within the healthcare industry.

Curriculum

The M.S.B.E. curriculum is comprised of 12 courses (36 credits) required to be taken by all students. All students will complete the capstone experience course.

The M.S.B.E. program is specifically designed to provide flexibility for working professionals and current students looking to earn their M.S. in Biomedical Ethics in 24 months.

- History and Scope of Bioethics
- Compliance: Patient Rights and Safety
- Clinical Ethics I
- Clinical Ethics II
- Conflict Resolution and Mediation
- Building Cultural Competence
- Organizational Ethics
- Research Ethics
- Public Health Ethics
- Clinician as the Problem
- Capstone Experience
- Executive Ethics Interviews and Analysis

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This program is competency-based learning delivered in an interactive, online environment. The M.S.B.E. program utilizes innovative technology and an outcome based approach to keep students engaged and on track. It is developed to be flexible and responsive to students' needs, new challenges, and the evolving demands of healthcare education by readily developing and adding new curricular pieces and features to enhance current offerings.

The M.S.B.E program:

- Covers critical ethical issues that are essential to successful patient engagement and for the ability to respond to all regulations and compliance policies.
- Uses a dynamic, web-based distance education platform with 24/7 access to all materials.
- Is completed with a virtual capstone experience.
- Is led by an expert team of faculty with deep bioethical and healthcare experience.

