# Health Information Technology

The Health Information Technology (HIT) curriculum is designed to provide individuals with the knowledge and skills to process, analyze, maintain, and report health information data in compliance with legal, accreditation, licensure, and certification standards.

Students in the HIT program will learn to communicate effectively with patients and health care professionals through hands-on learning both in the classroom and through mandatory clinical rotations. The program prepares HIT students for a successful completion of the national Registered Health Information Technician (RHIT) certification exam.

### HIT, AAS | A45360

- Credits required for a degree: 67
- Diagnosis and procedure coding
- Privacy and security strategies
- Health informatics
- Data analytics
- Regulatory compliance
- Organizational leadership

### Admission Process

1. GTCC General Admission
2. Online program info. session
3. Demonstrate college readiness for Eng. and Math
4. Demonstrate Biology competency
5. HIT program application

### Program Outcomes

- 100% of graduates from Spring '20 & '21 are employed in the HIT field.
- Graduates are prepared to work in specialized healthcare roles in hospitals, nursing homes, and more.

GTCC's associate degree program in Health Information Technology is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation for Health Informatics and Information Management Education (CAHIIM).

**Interested? Have questions?**
**Contact Coordinator, Limited Entry Admission at mvbanks@gtcc.edu**
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