

HFMA FELLOWSHIP CERTIFICATION

Become a Fellow of FHFMA

Five Requirements for Fellowship

Earn Your Credential
Receive: FHFMA designation and badge.

Apply at:
hfma.org/fellow

Note: Fellow candidates must meet all requirements prior to applying. Maintenance required every three years, and HFMA membership must remain active.

ABOUT THE FELLOWSHIP

Earning the HFMA Fellowship attests to one's financial expertise and leadership. Fellowship is awarded to HFMA members who have demonstrated financial expertise and leadership through the use of personal financial knowledge and skills in voluntary community service. HFMA Fellows recognize and accept the responsibility of utilizing healthcare finance professional skills for community benefit.

REQUIREMENTS

1	Hold the Certified Healthcare Financial Professional Designation
2	**Minimum Five Years of Membership.** Student membership does not count toward this total.
3	**MBA or Equivalent Experience:** 10+ years of healthcare industry experience.
4	**Letter of Recommendation:** Active HFMA Fellow, chapter leader or national volunteer, familiar with you/your work on a professional level
5	**Volunteer Activity:** See qualifying activities below.

VOLUNTEER ACTIVITY

Service as an adjunct instructor at an accredited (post-secondary school) educational institution.

Service in an education, certification, or leadership committee role within the local HFMA chapter or service on one of the HFMA association boards or committees.

Demonstrating a minimum of 10 hours in the service or preparation of one of the following:

- Preparation and publication of professional articles in a publication accepted as authoritative in the healthcare industry.
- Speaking to community groups on health care issues
- Providing internal staff education on healthcare finance topics
- Presenting at an HFMA educational program
- Presenting at a related healthcare industry educational program
- Assistance to those desiring HFMA certification or fellowship designation
- Mentorship of healthcare finance professionals