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Course Profile Document

Safety, Health and Environment (SHE)

Health Economics and Financing

Prepared as a professional course profile for delegate review, sponsorship approval and organisational training planning.

COURSE CODE	DELIVERY	DURATION	PREPARED FOR
MSD2577	**Online / Face-to-Face**	**Flexible**	**Organisation Approval**

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Course Overview

The **Health Economics and Financing** course offered by **Magna Skills** is designed to provide a solid foundation in the economic principles that govern healthcare systems, with a special focus on low- and middle-income countries. This course equips participants with practical tools to analyze healthcare financing mechanisms, assess economic efficiency, and design equitable and sustainable financing strategies.

Offered through our expert-led workshops and online platforms, this course blends academic theory with real-world application, enabling professionals to make data-driven decisions and influence healthcare policy. Whether you work in government, NGOs, donor agencies, or healthcare institutions, this course empowers you to better understand and navigate the complex world of health economics.

Course Outcomes

- Apply key economic principles to analyze healthcare systems, using tools and frameworks provided by **Magna Skills** .
- Understand the structure and function of various health financing models implemented globally and locally.
- Evaluate healthcare spending for efficiency and equity using cost-effectiveness and cost-benefit analysis tools.
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Critically assess and design policies that promote sustainable healthcare financing with guidance from **Magna Skills** experts.

- Utilize data to support evidence-based decisions in health sector budgeting and policy reforms.

Course Outline / Curriculum

1. **Foundations of Health Economics**
   - Introduced by Magna Skills trainers
   - Basic principles of microeconomics in health
   - Understanding demand, supply, and market failure in healthcare
2. **The Role of Economics in Health Systems**
   - Health systems overview with real-world cases from Africa
   - Economic thinking in health service delivery
3. **Health Financing Mechanisms**
   - Comparative analysis: public vs private financing
   - Magna Skills insight into social insurance and tax-based systems
4. **Equity and Financial Protection in Healthcare**
   - Addressing financial barriers to access
   - Promoting fairness in resource distribution
5. **Economic Evaluation in Healthcare**
   - Cost-effectiveness and cost-benefit analysis
   - Case studies from previous Magna Skills participants
6.

Strategic Budgeting and Resource Allocation

- Budget planning processes and tools
- Applying prioritization frameworks taught by **Magna Skills**

7. **International and Donor Health Financing**
   - Role of donors and global financing facilities
   - Managing donor funds effectively
8. **Health Financing in Low- and Middle-Income Countries (LMICs)**
   - Challenges and policy innovations
   - Examples from Magna Skills' work across African nations
9. **Policy Reform and Financing Strategies**
   - Analyzing current financing policies
   - Tools for designing and implementing reform
10. **Monitoring, Evaluation, and Accountability**

- Tracking health expenditures and performance
- Using data dashboards and KPIs recommended by **Magna Skills**

Target Audience

Health Economics and Financing

Key Course Benefits

Work-Ready Skills

Delegates leave with practical tools, templatesand methods they canapply immediately atwork.

Better Institutional Results

The programme supports stronger planning, reporting, compliance, accountability andservice delivery.

Sponsor-Friendly

This document isdesigned to helpsupervisors, HR units andsponsors approve delegate participation quickly.

ProfessionalRecognition

Delegates receivetraining documentationand a certificate ofcompletion aftersuccessful participation.

Our Training Centres & Delivery Options

Magna Skills offers flexible delivery through face-to-face training centres across Africa and beyond, plus Online / E-Learning for delegates who prefer remote participation.

Southern Africa

Practical training destinations with strong travel access and delegate support.

Pretoria, South Africa

Vic Falls, Zimbabwe

Livingstone, Zambia

East Africa

Popular regional centres for government, NGO and donor-funded project teams.

Kigali, Rwanda

Kampala, Uganda

Nairob

Zanzibar, Tanzania

West Africa & Islands

Strategic locations for regional networking and executive capacity building.

Accra, Ghana

Port Louis, Mauritius

International Executive Venue

Premium destination training for senior teams and international delegates.

Dubai, United Arab Emirates

Online / E-Learning

Attend from anywhere through live online, blended or self-paced learning options.

Online, E-Learning

Remote Teams

Flexib

Organisation-Based Training

Magna Skills can also arrange dedicated in-house training for ministries, NGOs and companies.

Onsite

Custom Dates

Group Training

Ready to Nominate Delegates?

Use the links below to register, review the live course page or contact Magna Skills for organisation-based training support.

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About Magna Skills

Magna Skills Development Institute provides practical capacity building programmes for government departments, NGOs, public institutions, donor-funded projects and private sector professionals across Africa. Our training approach combines expert facilitation, real workplace case studies, practical tools, post-training support and professional documentation that helps organisations strengthen staff performance and service delivery.

Government Training | NGO Capacity Building | Corporate Workshops | Online Learning | Face-to-Face Training | Certifica

Approval & Authorisation Form

This section may be completed by the organisation, department, HR office, finance office or sponsor approving delegate participation. It can be attached to an internal memo, procurement request or training approval submission.

Organisation / Department	
Delegate Name(s)	
Approved Course	Health Economics and Financing
Preferred Delivery Mode	☐ Online ☐ Face-to-Face ☐ Organisation-Based Training
Preferred Training Venue / Date	
Estimated Number of Delegates	
Budget / Vote Number	
Contact Person	
Email / Mobile	

Authorised Name _____ Signature / Stamp _____ Date _____