

NURSING LEADERSHIP IN HEALTHCARE: DIRECT-ENTRY MSN

The direct-entry Master of Science in Nursing (MSN) pathway prepares students that have earned a non-nursing baccalaureate degree to take the NCLEX-RN national licensure exam, obtain registered nurse licensure, and to practice as an MSN generalist nurse in a variety of healthcare settings. The MSN program challenges the student to develop the evidence-based knowledge and skills to become a transformative nurse leader, effective across a diverse range of healthcare environments. Graduates will be equipped with strategies for managing policy and other issues encountered in healthcare and educator leadership roles. The American Organization for Nursing Leadership (AONL) core concepts are woven throughout the program.

Program Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
Take all the following earning C (2.0) or better in each course:		
NU-364	HEALTH ASSESSMENT	2.00
NU-368	PATHOPHYSIOLOGY FOR NURSING	3.00
NU-372	PHARMACOLOGY FOR NURSING I	2.00
NU-374	FOUNDATIONS FOR NURSING PRACTICE I	3.00
NU-376	CONCEPTS OF NURSING CARE I	3.00
NU-378	BEHAVIORAL HEALTH NURSING	2.00
NU-382	PHARMACOLOGY FOR NURSING II	2.00
NU-384	FOUNDATIONS FOR NURSING PRACTICE II	3.00
NU-386	CONCEPTS OF NURSING CARE II	3.00
NU-389	PRACTICUM: CONCEPTS OF NURSING CARE	3.00
NU-421	PREPARATION FOR NCLEX AND PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE	2.00
NU-424	CULTURALLY COMPETENT NURSING CARE	3.00
NU-426	COMPLEX CONCEPTS OF NURSING CARE	3.00
NU-429	PRACTICUM: COMPLEX CONCEPTS OF NURSING CARE	2.00
NU-430	FAMILY HEALTH	4.00
NU-433	PRACTICUM: FAMILY HEALTH	1.00
Take all of the following:		
Minimum B or greater required to successfully pass graduate study courses and progress in program.		
NU-533	HEALTHCARE INFORMATICS	3.00
NU-547	EVIDENCE-BASED PRACTICE FOR GRADUATE NU	3.00
NU-568	QUALITY IMPROVEMENT & SAFETY MANAGEMENT	3.00
NU-569	PRINCIPLES OF BUSINESS AND FINANCE IN HEALTHCARE	3.00
NU-580	POPULATION HEALTH IN A GLOBAL SOCIETY	3.00
NU-598	MSN PRACTICUM AND CAPSTONE	6.00
BUS-512	HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT IN HEALTHCARE	3.00
BUS-560	LEADERSHIP	3.00
Total Credits		68.00