## Master of Science Curriculum

### Summer Semester 1
- HLTH8000 Examining Diversity in Nursing and Health Care (2 cr.)
- NURS8001 Pharmacology/Nutrition (3 cr.)
- NURS8002 Direct Entry Adult Health Nursing Theory 1 (4 cr.)

### Fall Semester 1
- NURS8003 Direct Entry Adult Health Theory 2 (3 cr.)
- NURS8004 Direct Entry Adult Health Clinical & Advanced Skills (3 cr.)
- NURS8005 Direct Entry Psych-Mental Health Nursing Theory (3 cr.)
- NURS8006 Direct Entry Psych-Mental Health Nursing Clinical (2 cr.)
- NURS8715 Nursing Leadership in Complex Health Care Settings (3 cr.)

### Spring Semester 1
- NURS8007 Direct Entry Child Health Nursing Theory (3 cr.)
- NURS8008 Direct Entry Child Health Nursing Clinical (2 cr.)
- NURS8009 Direct Entry Childbearing Nursing Theory (3 cr.)
- NURS8010 Direct Entry Childbearing Nursing Clinical (2 cr.)
- NURS8713 Health Care Information Technology Management (3 cr.)

### Summer Semester 2
- NURS8011 Nursing Synthesis Practicum [Clinical] (3 cr.)
- NURS8712 Health Care Quality Management (3 cr.)
- NURS8716 Health Care Policy for Nursing Leaders (3 cr.)
- NURS9720 Epidemiology (3 cr.)

### Fall Semester 2
- NURS8012 Population Health Clinical (2 cr.)
- NURS8717 Foundations of Evidence Based Advanced Nursing Practice (3 cr.)
- NURS9730 Advanced Physiology and Pathophysiology across the Lifespan (3 cr.)
  *Required to continue on to DNP coursework*
- NURS9816 Population Health Principles, Program Planning and Evaluation (3 cr.)

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*Master’s conferred in December & sit for the NCLEX*

*56 credits minimum to be awarded Advanced Generalist MS degree*

*59 credits needed for Direct Entry students to move on to DNP*
**DNP Curriculum**

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**Total Credits**

- AGNP, FNP, PNP, WHNP: 104
- PMHNP: 107

**Required Specialty Theory Courses:**

- NURS9838 Individual Therapy (3 cr.) [PMHNP]
- NURS9840 Family and Group Therapy (3 cr.) [PMHNP]
- NURS9844 Current Issues in Sexual Health Across the LifeSpan (3 cr.) [WHNP]
- NURS9832 Clinical Decision Making (3 cr.) [PNP]
- NURS9834 Developmental, Behavioral and Mental Health in Pediatrics (3 cr.) [PNP]

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