

NURSING LEADERSHIP AND ADMINISTRATION - MASTER OF SCIENCE IN NURSING (ONLINE)

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Degree Plan: Nursing Leadership and Administration

Prefix	Title	Credits
MSN: Administration		
NURS 5125	Health Policy for Advanced Nursing Practice	3
NURS 5115	Quality Improvement for Healthcare Leaders	3
NURS 5110	Evidence-Based Practice for Healthcare Leaders	3
NURS 5130	Promoting Health Behavior	3
NURS 5220	Management of Human and Fiscal Resources in Nursing	4
NURS 5210	Advanced Leadership in Healthcare	5
NURS 5230	Seminar in Nursing Administration- Roles	3
NURS 5120	Nursing Informatics	3
NURS 5240	Advanced Field Work in Nursing	2

NURS 6255	Innovations and Health Care Organizations	3
<i>Non-thesis Track</i>		
Satisfactory completion of final MSN project and paper		
Total Credits		32

Full Time Track

First Year		
Fall		Credits
NURS 5110	Evidence-Based Practice for Healthcare Leaders	3
NURS 5120	Nursing Informatics	3
Credits		6
Spring		
NURS 5125	Health Policy for Advanced Nursing Practice	3
NURS 5115	Quality Improvement for Healthcare Leaders	3
Credits		6
Summer		
NURS 5210	Advanced Leadership in Healthcare	5
Credits		5
Second Year		
Fall		
NURS 5220	Management of Human and Fiscal Resources in Nursing	4
NURS 6255	Innovations and Health Care Organizations	3
Credits		7
Spring		
NURS 5130	Promoting Health Behavior	3
NURS 5240	Advanced Field Work in Nursing	2
NURS 5230	Seminar in Nursing Administration- Roles	3
Credits		8
Total Credits		32

Part Time Track

First Year		
Fall		Credits
NURS 5110	Evidence-Based Practice for Healthcare Leaders	3
Credits		3
Spring		
NURS 5125	Health Policy for Advanced Nursing Practice	3
NURS 5115	Quality Improvement for Healthcare Leaders	3
Credits		6
Summer		
NURS 5210	Advanced Leadership in Healthcare	5
Credits		5
Second Year		
Fall		
NURS 5120	Nursing Informatics	3
NURS 6255	Innovations and Health Care Organizations	3
Credits		6
Spring		
NURS 5130	Promoting Health Behavior	3
Credits		3

Third Year

Fall

NURS 5220	Management of Human and Fiscal Resources in Nursing	4
Credits		4

Spring

NURS 5230	Seminar in Nursing Administration- Roles	3
NURS 5240	Advanced Field Work in Nursing	2
Credits		5
Total Credits		32