

Blessing-Rieman College of Nursing & Health Sciences
Revised MSN Program Curriculum Draft

FOR STUDENTS ENTERING SUMMER 2017
DEGREE REQUIREMENTS (42 – 44 CREDITS)

Graduate Nursing Core

Courses	Hrs.
Nsg. 501: Nursing Theory and Nursing Science	2
Nsg. 503: Professional Role Development and Principles of Advanced Practice	2
Nsg. 505: Statistic for the Health Professional	2
NSG 511: Advanced Evidence Based Research	1
NSG 513: Research Methods for the Nurse Scientist	3
Nsg. 601: Health Policy	<u>2</u>
Total	12

Whole Person Nursing Care Core

Courses	Hrs.
Nsg. 507: Advance Health Assessment	3
Nsg. 508: Advance Physiology/Pathophysiology	3
Nsg. 509: Advanced Pharmacology	3
Nsg. 510: Advanced WPN I: Health Promotion and Disease Prevention	2
Nsg. 512: Advanced WPN II: Restoring, Maintaining, and Maximizing Health	2
Nsg. 515: Advanced WPN Practicum	<u>2</u>
Total	15

Research/Project Core

Courses	Hrs.
Nsg. 690: Nursing Project I or Nsg. 692: Nursing Thesis I	2 or 3
Nsg. 691: Nursing Project II or Nsg. 693: Nursing Thesis II	<u>2 or 3</u>
Total	4 or 6

Functional Area Content (Track)

Nursing Administration Courses	Hrs.
Nsg. 602: Nursing Systems and Models of Care Delivery	3
Nsg. 604: Economics in Health Care and Nursing Services	3
Nsg. 606: Organizational Cultural and Behavioral Patterns	3
Nsg. 615: Nurse Administrator Practicum I	1
Nsg. 617: Nurse Administrator Practicum II	<u>1</u>
Total	11

Nursing Education Courses	Hrs.
Nsg. 603: Theoretical Foundations of Teaching/Learning	3
Nsg. 605: Theoretical Foundations of Curriculum and Course Design	3
Nsg. 607: Assessment and Evaluation with Practicum	3
Nsg. 616: Teaching Practicum	<u>2</u>
Total	11

COURSE SCHEDULE

Year 1: Core for All MSN Students

<u>Summer</u>	<u>Fall</u>	<u>Spring</u>
<p><i>Graduate Nursing Core</i> Nsg. 501: Nursing Theory and Nursing Science (2) Nsg. 505: Statistic for the Health Professional (2) NSG 511: Advanced Evidence Based Research (1)</p>	<p><i>Graduate Nursing Core</i> Nsg. 503: Professional Role Development and Principles of Advanced Practice (2) Nsg. 513: Research Methods for the Nurse Scientist (3)</p> <p><i>Whole Person Nursing Care Core</i> Nsg. 508: Advance Physiology/ Pathophysiology (3)</p>	<p><i>Whole Person Nursing Care Core</i> Nsg. 510: Advanced WPN I: Health Promotion and Disease Prevention (2) Nsg. 512: Advanced WPN II: Restoring, Maintaining, and Maximizing Health (2) Nsg 515: Advanced WPN Practicum (2)</p>
Total: 5 hours	Total: 8 hours	Total: 6 hours

Year 2: Immersion in Track and Research/Project Experience

<u>Summer</u>	<u>Fall</u>	<u>Spring</u>
<p><i>Whole Person Nursing Care Core</i> Nsg. 509: Advanced Pharmacology (3)</p> <p><i>Graduate Nursing Core</i> Nsg. 601: Health Policy (2)</p> <p><i>Track Course</i> <u>Nurse Administrator</u> Nsg. 602: Nursing Systems and Models of Care Delivery (3) OR <u>Nurse Educator</u> Nsg. 603: Theoretical Foundations of Teaching/Learning (3)</p>	<p><i>Whole Person Nursing Care Core</i> Nsg. 507: Advance Health Assessment (3)</p> <p><i>Track Course</i> <u>Nurse Administrator</u> Nsg. 606: Organizational Cultural and Behavioral Patterns (3) Nsg. 615: Nurse Administrator Practicum I (1) OR <u>Nurse Educator Course</u> Nsg. 605: Theoretical Foundations of Curriculum and Course Design (3)</p> <p><i>Research/Project Core Course</i> Nsg. 690: Nursing Project I (2) OR Nsg. 692: Nursing Thesis I (3)</p>	<p><i>Track Course</i> <u>Nurse Administrator</u> Nsg. 604: Economics in Health Care and Nursing Services (3) Nsg. 617: Nurse Administrator Practicum II (1) OR <u>Nurse Educator</u> Nsg. 607: Assessment and Evaluation (3) Nsg. 616: Teaching Practicum (2)</p> <p><i>Research/Project Core Course</i> Nsg. 691: Nursing Project I (2) OR Nsg. 693: Nursing Thesis II (3) *</p>
Total: 8 hours for both tracks	Total: Nurse Administrator: 9-10 Nurse Educator: 8-9	Total: Nurse Administrator: 6-7 hours Nurse Educator: 7-8 hours