

Francis M. Maguire School of Nursing and Health Professions

Direct Entry Master of Science in Nursing (5 semesters)

CURRICULUM PLAN OF		STUDY: FULL TIME (20 MONTHS)	
Course #	Course Name		Credits*
Semester 1			D-L-C-C*
NUR 512	Foundations to Professional Nursing Leadership and the Healthcare System		3-0-0-3
NUR 502	Health Assessment		2-1-0-3 (45)
NUR 501	Fundamentals of Nursing		4-1-0-5 (45)
NUR 548 OL	Nursing Ethics & the Larger Healthcare Arena		3-0-0-3
		Semester Credits	14
Semester 2			
NUR 516	Introduction to Pathophysiology and Pharmacology Concepts for Advanced Nursing Roles		4-0-0-4
NUR 514	Clinical Practice and Role Development III: Nursing Care of Women, Children, & Families		3-0-2-5 (90)
NUR 520	Clinical Practice and Role Development II: Nursing Care of Adults with Common Health Problems		4-0-2-6 (90)
		Semester Credits	15
Semester 3			
NUR 510 OL	Advanced Pathophysiology for Advanced Nursing Roles		3-0-0-3
NUR 518	Clinical Practice and Role Development I: Nursing Care of Persons with Mental and Behavioral Health Issues		3-0-1-4 (45)
NUR 544	Clinical Practice and Role Development IV: Nursing Care of Adults with Complex Health Problems		3-0-2-5 (90)
		Semester Credits	12
Semester 4			
NUR 500 OL	Advanced Pharmacotherapeutics for Advanced Nursing Roles		3-0-0-3
NUR 545	Clinical Practice and Role Development V: Community Health Nursing		3-0-2-5
NUR 546	Health Promotion and Disease Prevention Across the Lifespan and Across the Globe		3-0-0-3
NUR 507HY	Concepts in Gerontological Nursing		2-0-0-2
NUR 530	Theoretical Foundations for Advanced Nursing Roles		3-0-0-3
		Semester Credits	16
Semester 5			
NUR 570 HY	Advanced Assessment & Lab for Advanced Nursing Roles		3-0-0-3
NUR 584	Clinical Practice and Role Development VI: Synthesis of Learning Practicum		3-0-3-6 (135)
NUR 535 OL	Leadership and Health Policy		3-0-0-3
NUR 610 OL	Nursing Research Methodology & Evidence-Based Practice		3-0-0-3
		Semester Credits	15
Credits Total:			72