DNP-PhD Curriculum
Full-time Post-Master’s
Plan of Study
Even-Year Admission

Year 1
Fall Year 1
BIOE 811 Biostatistics 4(3-1)
NSG 912 Theory Construction and Analysis 3(3-0)
NSG 913 Qualitative Research Methods 3(3-0)
NSG 919 Nursing Science Seminar 1(1-0)
Total 11 (10-1)

Spring Year 1
BIOE 821 Biostatistics 4(3-1)
HOPN 851 Leadership and Health Policy 3(3-0)
NSG 934 Theoretical and Methodological Issues 2(28 0)
IP 801 Integrity in the Conduct of Scientific Research 1(18 0)
Total 10 (9m 1)

Year 2
Fall Year 2
BIOE 712 Epidemiology 3(3-0)
HOPN 877 Health Care Economics 3(3-0)
NSG 910 Theory and Philosophy 4(4-0)
NSG 919 Nursing Science Seminar 1(1-0)
NSG 923 Quantitative Research Methods 3(3-0)
Total 13 (13-0)

Spring Year 2
BIOE XXX Advanced Statistics 3(3-0)
NSG 924 Scientific Dissemination 3(3-0)
NAPS Advanced Practice Selective 4(2-2)
Total 10 (8-2)

Year 3
Fall Year 3
NSG 819 Evaluation of Practice 3(3-0)
NAPS Advanced Practice Selective 4(2-2)
NSG 900 Dissertation 3(3-0)
Total 10(8-2)

Spring Year 3
NSG 926 DNP Synthesis Practicum 6(0-6)
NSG 900 Dissertation 3(3-0)
Total 9(3-6)
DNP Awarded

Year 4
Fall Year 4
NSG 900 Dissertation 9(9-0)
Total 9(9-0)

Spring Year 4
NSG 900 Dissertation 9(9-0)
Total 9(9-0)
PhD Awarded

Total program hours 82 (72-10)
(600 clinical hours)

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DNP-PhD Curriculum
Full-time Post-Master's
Plan of Study
Odd-Year Admission

**Year 1**
Fall Year 1
BIOE 811 Biostatistics 4(3-1)
NSG 910 Theory and Philosophy 4(4-0)
NSG 923 Quantitative Research Methods 3(3-0)
NSG 919 Nursing Science Seminar 1(1-0)
**Total 11 (10-1)**

**Year 2**
Fall Year 2
BIOE 712 Epidemiology 3(3-0)
HOPN 877 Health Care Economics 3(3-0)
NSG 912 Theory Construction 3(3-0)
NSG 913 Qualitative Research Methods 3(3-0)
NSG 919 Nursing Science Seminar 1(1-0)
**Total 13 (13-0)**

**Year 3**
Fall Year 3
NSG 819 Evaluation of Practice 3(3-0)
NAPS_ Advanced Practice Selective 4(2-2)
NSG 900 Dissertation 3(3-0)
**Total 10(8-2)**

**Year 4**
Fall Year 4
NSG 900 Dissertation 9(9-0)
**Total 9(9-0)**

**Spring Year 1**
BIOE 821 Biostatistics 4(3-1)
NSG 924 Scientific Dissemination 3(3-0)
HOPN 851 Leadership and Health Policy 3(3-0)
IDPT 801 Integrity in the Conduct of Scientific Research 1(1-0)
**Total 11 (10-1)**

**Spring Year 2**
BIOE XXX Advanced Statistics 3(3-0)
NSG 934 Theoretical and Methodological Issues 2(2-0)
NAPS_ Advanced Practice Selective 4(2-2)
**Total 9 (7-2)**

**Spring Year 3**
NSG 926 DNP Synthesis Practicum 6(0-6)
NSG 900 Dissertation 3(3-0)
**Total 9(3-6)**
DNP Awarded

**Spring Year 4**
NSG 900 Dissertation 9(9-0)
**Total 9(9-0)**
PhD Awarded

**Total program hours 82 (72-10)**
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