# Master of Science in Nursing
## Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner (PMHNP)

**Required Courses**

Six credit hours is considered full-time at the graduate level.
Full and part-time plans are available.

| **MSN Core Courses** | **19** |
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| NU: 505 Leadership for Advanced Nursing | 3 |
| NU: 520 Policy, Organization and Financing of Healthcare | 3 |
| NU: 530 Population Health | 3 |
| NU: 535 Evidence Based Practice I: Finding and Appraising Evidence | 3 |
| NU: 536 Evidence Based Practice II: Applying Evidence for Practice Change | 3 |
| NU: 541 Health Care Informatics | 3 |
| NU: 596 Graduate Seminar I | 1 |

| **Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner Courses** | **26** |
|---|---|
| NU: 550 Advanced Health Assessment *(25 lab/50 clinical hours)* | 3 |
| NU: 560 Advanced Physiology and Disease States | 3 |
| NU: 570 Advanced Pharmacology | 3 |
| NU: 581 Psychopharmacology and Neuropathophysiology | 4 |
| NU: 615 Advanced Practice Psychiatric Nursing I | 2 |
| NU: 615C Advanced Practice Psychiatric Nursing I Clinical *(150 clinical hours)* | 2 |
| NU: 620 Advanced Practice Psychiatric Nursing II | 2 |
| NU: 620C Advanced Practice Psychiatric Nursing II Clinical *(150 clinical hours)* | 2 |
| NU: 625 Advanced Practice Psychiatric Nursing III | 2 |
| NU: 625C Advanced Practice Psychiatric Nursing III Clinical *(150 clinical hours)* | 2 |
| NU: 612C Clinical Enrichment *(75 clinical hours)* | 1 |

| **Total PMHNP program credit hours** | **45** |
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## Sample Full-time Plan of Study

|        | Fall     | Credits | Spring    | Credits | Summer    | Credits |
|--------|----------|---------|-----------|---------|-----------|---------|
| **Year 1** | NU 596   | 1       | NU 570    | 3       | NU 560    | 3       |
|        | NU 550   | 3       | MSN Core  | 3       |           |         |
|        | MSN Core | 3       |           |         |           |         |
| **Year 2** | NU 535   | 3       | NU 536    | 3       | MSN Core  | 3       |
|        | NU 581   | 4       | NU 615    | 2       | NU 612C   | 1       |
|        |          |         | NU 615C   | 2       |           |         |
| **Year 3** | MSN Core | 3       | NU 625    | 2       |           |         |
|        | NU 620   | 2       | NU 625C   | 2       |           |         |
|        | NU 620C  | 2       |           |         |           |         |

## Sample Part-time Plan of Study

|        | Fall     | Credits | Spring    | Credits | Summer    | Credits |
|--------|----------|---------|-----------|---------|-----------|---------|
| **Year 1** | NU 596   | 1       | MSN Core  | 3       |           |         |
|        | MSN Core | 3       | MSN Core  | 3       |           |         |
| **Year 2** | NU 550   | 3       | NU 570    | 3       | NU 560    | 3       |
|        | NU 535   | 3       | NU 536    | 3       |           |         |
| **Year 3** | MSN Core | 3       | NU 615    | 2       | NU 612C   | 1       |
|        | NU 581   | 4       | NU 615C   | 2       |           |         |
| **Year 4** | NU 620   | 2       | NU 625    | 2       |           |         |
|        | NU 620C  | 2       | NU 625C   | 2       |           |         |

**MSN Core:**

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| NU 505 | Leadership for Advanced Nursing |
| NU 520 | Policy, Organization and Financing of Healthcare |
| NU 530 | Population Health |
| NU 541 | Health Care Informatics |

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