



Curriculum effective Fall 2021

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## Post-Masters DNP-Practice Focus (Executive/Weekend format)

The Post-Masters Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP) with a practice focus is for masters-prepared nurses seeking a doctoral degree. The target population for this program are masters-prepared nurses who aim to attain the highest levels of excellence in practice. The weekend executive model is designed to accommodate full-time practice. Students meet for full day, in-person sessions over long weekends (Friday, Saturday, and Sunday) approximately monthly. The 39-credit program can be completed in six consecutive semesters.



### DNP Core Courses:

Course #	Course Title	Cr. Hrs.	Project Hrs.
NURS 6010	Clinical Scholarship	2	
NURS 6060	Clinical Inquiry for Evidence-Based Practice	3	
NURS 6930	Information Technology for Evidence-Based Practice	3	
NURS 6040	Determinants of Health	3	
NURS 6780	Healthcare Economics and Business Practices for Advanced Practice Nurses	3	
NURS 6880	Leadership for the Doctor of Nursing Practice	3	
NURS 6980	Epidemiology and Population Health	3	
NURS 6033	Quality and Safety for Advanced Nursing Practice	3	
NURS 6020	Management and Analysis of Health Data for the Doctor of Nursing Practice	3	
NURS 6940	Evidence Translation and Implementation Science	3	
NURS 6030	DNP Project Planning and Proposal Development*	3	
NURS 6031	DNP Project Implementation*	2	
NURS 6032	DNP Project Evaluation and Dissemination*	2	
XXXX ****	Elective	3	
Total Program Credits		39	

In addition to the successful completion of the above course requirements, all DNP students must meet all the DNP project requirements set forth by the program. \*A student who does not complete their DNP project during the project-related courses will be registered for a 1-credit project continuation course in subsequent semesters until the project is complete. \*\*The minimum number of combined practicum and DNP project experience hours is 1000. A gap analysis will be completed by the Specialty Director upon admission to determine how many hours are required.