



SCHOOL OF NURSING POLICY

Policy Name: Full Time Status

Approval Authority: Rutgers School of Nursing Faculty

Responsible Executive: Executive Vice Dean

Responsible Office: Nurse Anesthesia Specialty Track

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1. **Policy Statement:** To define the requirements for full time status in the nurse anesthesia specialty curriculum.
2. **Who Should Read this Policy:** faculty, administration, and all Nurse Anesthesia students

3. Resources and Related Documents:

Council on Accreditation of Nurse Anesthesia Educational Programs (COA).
Standard for Accreditation of Nurse Anesthesia Programs, February 2024
Standard for Accreditation of Nurse Anesthesia Programs-Practice Doctorate, February 2024

<https://www.coacna.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/03/Standards-for-Accreditation-of-Nurse-Anesthesia-Programs-Practice-Doctorate-editorial-rev-February-2024-1.pdf>

School of Nursing Student Policies
<http://nursing.rutgers.edu/policies/index.html>

4. Policy

The nurse anesthesia specialty track is offered only as a full time course of study. Full time status in the anesthesia specialty is defined as either:

1. Enrollment in courses constituting 9 credits or more per semester
2. Enrollment in courses constituting 6 credits or more and requiring at least 250 clinical hours per semester