

**MSN-Nurse Educator
Full-Time
Plan of Study**

39 Total Credits - [33 theory credits and 6 clinical credits (360 clock hours)] (1 clinical credit = 60 clock hours)

***42 Total Credits - with optional course [33.5 theory credits and 8.5 clinical credits (510 clock hours)] (1 clinical credit = 60 clock hours)**

| Fall Semester | | Spring Semester | | Summer Semester | |
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| Early Fall | Late Fall | Early Spring | Late Spring | 1 st Summer Session | 2 nd Summer Session |
| Year 0: | | | | | |
| | | | | | NURS 500 - Technology in Healthcare and Educ (3 credits) (6 wks) |
| Year 1: | | | | | |
| NURS 501 - Statistics for Evidence-based Practice (3 credits) (8 wks) | NURS 502 - Nursing Research Design and Methodology (3 credits) (8 wks) | NURS 503 - Advanced Pathophysiology (3 credits) (8 wks) | NURS 504 - Advanced Pharmacology (3 credits) (8 wks) | NURS 505 - Advanced Physical Assessment across the Lifespan (3 cr: 2 theory/1 clinical); 60 clinical hrs) (6 wks) | |
| NURS 506 - Christian Philosophical & Ethical Foundations of Healthcare (3 credits) (17 wks) offered all semesters | | NURS 506 - Christian Philosophical & Ethical Foundations of Healthcare (3 credits) (17 wks) offered all semesters | | NURS 506 - Christian Philosophical & Ethical Foundations of Healthcare (3 credits) (13 wks) offered all semesters | |
| Year 2: | | | | | |
| NURS 520- Foundations & App of Nurse Edu Role (3 cr: 2 theory/1 clinical; 60 clinical hours) (17 weeks) | | NURS 522 - Measurement & Evaluation(3 cr) (8 wks) | NURS 521- Curriculum in Nursing Education (3 cr) (8 wks) | OPTIONAL ELECTIVE NURS 540- Clinical Specialty Practicum Experience (3 cr: 0.5 theory/2.5 clinical; 150 clinical hrs) | |
| Year 3: | | | | | |
| NURS 530 - Teaching Methods for Clinical Practice (6 credits - 3 theory, 3 clinical; 180 clinical hours) (17 weeks) | | NURS 531- Nurse Educator: Leadership Role Development -Capstone (3 credits - 2 theory, 1 clinical; 60 clinical hours) (17 weeks) | | | |