Sample Plan of Study: Post Master's DNP Nursing Education

Fall Semester		Spring Semester		Summer Semester	
Early Fall	Late Fall	Early Spring	Late Spring	1st Summer Session	2 nd Summer Session
Year 1:					
NURS 520 - Teaching &	NURS 522 – Measurement &	NURS 510 - Advanced	NURS 521 – Curriculum in		
Learning in Nursing	Evaluation (3 credit)	Writing for Healthcare	Nursing Education (3 credit)		
Education (3 credit)		Professions (2 credit)			
Year 2:					
NURS 550 Teaching Practicum (1 - 3 variable credits) OR 3		NURS 623 – DNP Project Planning (3 cr: 2 credits theory, 1		NURS 632 DNP Project Proposal (3 cr: 2 credits theory, 1	
credit elective		credit clinical- 60 project hours)		credit clinical- 60 project hours)	
Year 3:					
NURS 731 - DNP Project Implementation (3 credits: 1 credit theory, 2 credits clinical- 120 project hrs)		NURS 732 - DNP Project Analysis & Evaluation (4 credits – 1. class; 2.25 clinical- 135 clinical hours)			

Total credits: Variable 27 - 35 Total clinical hours: 1035

- Program pre-requisites: NURS 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, and 545; HLTH 506
- Program core: NURS 520, 521, 522 and one elective (9 credits) OR 9 elective credits if student enters with NURS 520, 521, and 522 equivalent
- **Teaching Practicum:** 3 credits teaching practicum (NURS 550) (180 clinical hours). **(3 credits)** if student enters with 180 teaching practicum hours they take a 3-credit electives
- Clinical residency: NURS 715 (as many as needed to obtain 1000 clinical hours for degree/ max 8 credits)
- DNP courses: NURS 510 (2 credits), and 4 project courses NURS 623, 632, 731, and 732 (13 credits) (15 credits)