

DNP Course Descriptions

NSG 702. Population Health Promotion. 3 Hours. Provides a foundation for analysis of clinical prevention and population health programs or individuals, aggregates, and populations.

NSG 703. Theory of Practice. 3 Hours. Provides an understanding of the scientific underpinnings of the application of theory to health care at the highest level of advanced nursing practice.

NSG 704. Health Care Leadership. 3 Hours. PR: NSG 703. Critical analysis of leadership in the health care setting with development of skills needed to organize care and lead practice change.

NSG 707. Evidence Based Practice. 3 Hours. PR or CONC: NSG 703. Prepares the DNP student to translate research into practice, evaluate practice guidelines to improve health care practices and outcomes, and to participate in collaborative research.

NSG 708. DNP Role Seminar. 2 Hours. Provides an understanding of the Doctor of Nursing Practice role at the highest level of nursing practice.

NSG 709. Health Care Informatics. 3 Hours. PR: NSG 707. Explore information technologies used in acute and outpatient health settings and describe methods of utilization of technology for practice improvement and patient outcomes management.

NSG 710. Health Policy/Resource Management. 3 Hours. PR: NSG 711. The foundation for leadership in health policy development, implementation, and evaluation, with a focus on advocacy for nursing, social justice, and equity. Financial resource management for nursing leadership and policy/ program implementation.

NSG 711. Focused Study: Health Care Issues. 3 Hours. Provides an opportunity to develop requisite knowledge and mastery of skills relative to the state of the science in a particular area of clinical practice.

NSG 713. DNP Role Application. 1 Hour. PR or CONC: NSG 763. Integration of Doctor of Nursing practice role competencies at the highest level of nursing practice.

NSG 724. Health Research Statistics. 3 Hours. Provides development of statistical knowledge and skills needed for quantitative health research using SPSS. Topics include descriptive statistics, probability, hypothesis testing, analysis of variance, chi-square testing, linear regression, and logistic regression.

NSG 745. Clinical Immersion. 1-8 Hours. PR: NSG 711. Provides for the mastery of clinical skills relative to the state of the science in a particular area of clinical practice.

NSG 760. Clinical Project. 3 Hours. PR: NSG 711. Develop a scholarly initiative to improve practice system, or patient outcomes.

NSG 763. DNP Capstone. 1-6 Hours. PR: NSG 760. Implementation of a capstone project using leadership skills to create and evaluate change relative to a practice problem. Analysis of the relationship of the project to practice and policy.