

DNP Nurse Anesthetist Program Progression Plan

		Fall (15 weeks)		Spring (15 weeks)		Summer (12 weeks)	
Year 1							
		NSG 704 Foundations of Leadership for the Advanced Practice Nurse *	3	NSG 701 Advanced Pharmacology*	3	NSG 742A Foundations of Anesthesia 1: Basic Principles of Safe Anesthesia Care	3
		NSG 706 Advanced Pathophysiology*	3	NSG 705 Advanced Lifespan Health Assessment*	3	NSG 743 Foundations of Anesthesia Lab	
		NSG 739 Scientific Underpinnings for the DNP-Prepared Advanced Nursing Practice Role*	3	NSG 707 Evidence Based Practice and Quality Improvement Methods for the DNP*	3	NSG 752A Foundations Clinical Practicum 1	1
		NSG 740A Overview of the Nurse Anesthesia Profession, Role and Standards	2	NSG 741 Genetics, Chemistry, and Physics of Anesthesia*	3	NSG 829 Clinical Data Analysis and Visualization	1
		Total Credits:	11	Total Credits:	12	NSG 830 DNP Project Development*	3
						Total Credits:	2
							10
Year 2		NSG 742B Foundations of Anesthesia 2: Regional Anesthesia and Considerations for Common Procedures	2	NSG 744B Advanced Anatomy, Physiology, and Pathophysiology 2: Hepatic, Renal, and Related Systems	2	NSG 748B Advanced Principles of Anesthesia 2: Management Across the Lifespan*	3
		NSG 744A Advanced Anatomy, Physiology, and Pathophysiology 1: Cardiac, Pulmonary, and CNS	3	NSG 747 Perioperative Assessment and Care	1	NSG 753B Advanced Clinical Practicum 2	
		NSG 746 Advanced Pharmacology for Nurse Anesthetists*	3	NSG 748A Advanced Principles of Anesthesia 1: Cardiothoracic, Vascular, and Neuroanesthesia	3	NSG DNP Project Evaluation and Dissemination*	1
		NSG 752B Foundations Clinical Practicum 2	3	NSG 753A Advanced Clinical Practicum 1	2		
		NSG 831 DNP Project Implementation*	2	NSG 754 Advanced Informatics and Healthcare Technologies*	3		
		Total Credits:	11	NSG 831 DNP Project Implementation*	1		
					12	Total Credits:	6

Year 3	NSG 702 Population Health Promotion*	3	NSG 710 Advanced Nursing Practice Issues, Policy, and Ethics*	3	NSG 751 Evidence Based Anesthesia Review	4
	NSG 740B Professional Issues in Nurse Anesthesia	2	NSG 749 Business, Management, and Finance in Nurse Anesthesia Practice	3	NSG 812 Nurse Anesthesia Clinical Immersion 2	2
	NSG 748C Advanced Principles of Anesthesia 3: Management of Special Populations	2	NSG 810 Nurse Anesthesia Clinical Immersion 1	3		
	NSG 753C Advanced Clinical Practicum 3	3				
	NSG 832 DNP Project Presentation*	1				
	Total Credits:	11	Total Credits:	9	Total Credits:	6

88 Total Credit Hours
***online course**

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