

Loyola University New Orleans School of Nursing

Doctor of Nursing Practice – Plan of Study

Summer Start

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POST-MSN DNP PROGRESSION PLAN - NURSE PRACTITIONER (39+ credit hours)

Each course is 3-credit hours. Each practicum credit hour is worth 60 hours of practice.

SUMMER I	FALL I	SPRING I
N900 Philosophy of Science *N802 Advanced Statistics and Data Management (Elective) N817 Scientific Writing (Elective)	N915 Evidence-Based Practice & Research Translation N920 Biostatistics	N925 Program Planning N930 Advanced Practicum I N954 Organizational Behavior
Total: 3-9 credits	Total: 6 credits	Total: 9 credits
SUMMER II	FALL II	SPRING II
N905 Ethics & Social Justice N910 Epidemiology	N940 Health Policy & Economics N945 Advanced Practicum II N955 Informatics & Finance	N935 Leadership of Systems Change & Innovation N960 Scholarly Project Practicum
Total: 6 credits	Total: 9 credits	Total: 6 credits

POST-MSN DNP PROGRESSION PLAN – EXECUTIVE LEADER (39+ credit hours)

Each course is 3-credit hours. Each practicum credit hour is worth 60 hours of practice.

SUMMER I	FALL I	SPRING I
N900 Philosophy of Science *N802 Advanced Statistics and Data Management (Elective) N817 Scientific Writing (Elective)	N915 Evidence-Based Practice & Research Translation N920 Biostatistics **N965 EL Practicum **N967 Direct Leadership Practicum	N925 Program Planning N930 Advanced Practicum I N954 Organizational Behavior
Total: 3-9 credits	Total: 6-10 credits	Total: 9 credits
SUMMER II	FALL II	SPRING II
N905 Ethics & Social Justice N910 Epidemiology	N945 Advanced Practicum II N955 Informatics & Finance N940 Health Policy & Economics **N965 EL Practicum **N967 Direct Leadership Practicum	N935 Leadership of Systems Change & Innovation N960 Scholarly Project Practicum
Total: 6 credits	Total: 9-13 credits	Total: 6 credits

* Graduate level statistics course is a prerequisite for N920 Biostatistics and must be taken if no other graduate level statistics course has been taken previously.

**Depending on transcript analysis, students may need to take N965 and/or N967 Directed Leadership Practicum to fulfill total practicum hours

Post-Master's to DNP students may discuss the possibility of completing Nurse Educator Post-Master's Certificate concurrently with the DNP degree.