

BS–Nursing to MPH Advanced Degree Option



Year One, Fall Term (17cr)

Course	Cr
N105 Health Care Systems	2
N313 Foundations of Nursing Practice	2
N314 Health Promotion and Disease Prevention Across the Lifespan	4
N315 Professionalism in Nursing Practice	2
N316 Foundations of Nursing Practice: Experiential Learning	4
PHARM SCI 401 Survey of Pharmacology	3

Year One, Spring Term (16cr)

Course	Cr
N323 Health and Illness Concepts with Individuals and Families	4
N324 Meeting the Psychosocial Health Needs of Individuals, Families, and Communities	3
N325 Professionalism in Health Care Settings	2
N326 Health and Illness Concepts with Individuals and Families: Experiential Learning	4
PATH 404 Pathophysiological Principles of Human Disease	3

Year One, Summer Term

Course	Cr
N436 Health and Illness Concepts with Individuals, Families, and Communities: Experiential Learning <i>(optional, completed as part of the nursing program's rural/global immersion program)</i>	4

Year Two, Fall Term (17cr)

Course	Cr
N434 Health and Illness Concepts with Individuals, Families, and Communities	5
N435 Evidence-Based Practice	1
N436 Health and Illness Concepts with Individuals, Families, and Communities: Experiential Learning	4
N437 Social Justice in Local and Global Settings	3
PHS 780 Public Health Principles and Practice	3
PHS 650-079 (795) Introduction to Population Health	1

Year Two, Spring Term (18cr)

Course	Cr
N443 Advanced Health and Illness Concepts in Complex Nursing Practice	5
N444 Health Systems, Policy, Economics, and Research	3
N445 Transformative Nursing Capstone	1
N446 Advanced Health and Illness Concepts in Complex Nursing Practice: Experiential Learning	4
MPH Core Course <i>(PHS 789 Environmental Health, PHS 786 Social Behavioral Health, or PHS 785 Health Systems Management and Policy)</i>	3
MPH Elective	2

Year Two, Summer Term (3cr)

Course	Cr
MPH Elective	3

Year Three, Fall Term (11cr)

Course	Cr
BMI 511 Introduction to Biostatistics for Public Health	3
PHS 797 Introduction to Epidemiology	3
MPH Electives	5

Year Three, Spring Term (13cr)

Course	Cr
MPH Core Courses (x2) <i>(PHS 789 Environmental Health, PHS 786 Social Behavioral Health, or PHS 785 Health Systems Management and Policy)</i>	6
N761 Program Planning and Evaluation	3
PHS 787 Field Work Seminar	1
MPH Elective	3

Year Three, Summer Term

Course	Cr
PHS 788 Public Health Field Work	6
Capstone Project	

Nursing students can apply for admission to the BSN–MPH program by February of Year One in the nursing program. The first-year nursing curriculum is unchanged for students in the BSN–MPH program, with the option to take an MPH elective during the Year One summer. In Year Two of the program, students begin adding course work in the MPH program; students formally apply for admission to the MPH program by March 1 of Year Two. Students graduate in May of Year Two with the BS–Nursing degree, and then finish the MPH during the Year Two Summer through the Year Three summer. Courses in blue font meet requirements for the Master of Public Health Degree.