



New Mexico State University
School of Nursing
BSN to DNP Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner
Full Time Degree Plan Fall 2024

Population Health Leadership Core DNP Curriculum

| Year | Fall | Credits | Spring | Credits | Summer | Credits |
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| Year 1 | NURS 6110 Introduction to Population Health | 1 | NURS 6125 Evidence Based Practice in Healthcare | 3 | NURS 6265 Strategic and Financial Planning for Clinical Programs NURS 6270 Clinical Data Analysis NURS 6991 DNP Project Development | 3 |
| | NURS 6120 Quality Improvement in Healthcare | 3 | NURS 6135 Interdisciplinary Leadership and Role Development for Practice Excellence | 3 | | 2 |
| | NURS 6305 Introduction to the DNP Project | 1 | NURS 6130 Epidemiology for Advanced Practice Nursing | 2 | | 2 |
| | NURS 6210 Professional Roles for Advanced Practice Clinical Nursing | 3 | NURS 6991 DNP Project Development | 2 | | |
| | Subtotal | 8 | Subtotal | 10 | Subtotal | 7 |
| | Fall | | Spring | | Summer | |
| Year 2 | NURS 6220 Advanced Pathophysiology for Clinical Nursing | 3 | NURS 6224 Diagnostic Reasoning and Advanced Health Assessment | 3 | NURS 6230 Advanced Clinical Pharmacology NP Clinical Immersion | 3 |
| | NURS 5120 Nursing Informatics | 3 | NURS 6226 Advanced Health Assessment Practicum | 1 | | |
| | NURS 6255 Innovations and Health Care Organizations | 3 | NURS 6250 Healthcare Policy and Ethics | 3 | | |
| | NURS 6991 DNP Project Development | 2 | NURS 6260 Population Health and the Environment | 3 | | |
| | Subtotal | 11 | Subtotal | 10 | Subtotal | 3 |
| | Fall | | Spring | | Summer | |
| Year 3 | NURS 6410 PMHNP Across the Lifespan I | 3 | NURS 6420 PMHNP Across the Lifespan II | 3 | NURS 6430 PMHNP Across the Lifespan III | 1 |
| | NURS 6411 PMHNP Across the Lifespan I Practicum | 4 | NURS 6421 PMHNP Across the Lifespan II Practicum | 4 | NURS 6431 PMHNP Across the Lifespan III Practicum | 3 |
| | NURS 6405 Psychopharmacology for Advanced Practice | 3 | NURS 6352 Integrated Care for Diverse Populations | 2 | NURS 6432 PMHNP Across the Lifespan Residency | 2 |
| | Subtotal | 10 | Subtotal | 9 | Subtotal | 6 |



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| | Clinical Hours = 832 (13 cr x 64 hours/credit) Advanced Health Assessment Practicum – 64 hours | | DNP Project Leadership Hours = 192 (3 credits X 64 hours/credit) | | Grand Total Practicum hours = 1088 | 74 |
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* didactic/clinical credits

Note: DNP Project is to be completed by Fall Year 2, otherwise student will need to continue enrolling in NURS 6991 DNP Project Development until project is defended and final paper is submitted.