

**BSN to DNP Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner**  
Full Time Degree Plan for Students Admitted Fall 2020

Year	Fall 1	Credits	Spring 1	Credits	Summer 1	Credits
Year 1	NURS 567 Nursing Informatics	3	NURS 506 Health Policy for Advanced Nursing Practice	3	NURS 565 Advanced Leadership in Healthcare	5 (3/2)*
	NURS 651 Quality Improvement in Healthcare	3	NURS 507 Evidence-Based Practice	3	NURS 681 DNP Project I	2
	NURS 697 Professional Roles for Advanced Practice Clinical Nursing	3	NURS 649 Innovations and Health Care Organizations	3		
	Subtotal	9	Subtotal	9	Subtotal	7
	Fall 2		Spring 2		Summer 2	
Year 2	NURS 511 Advanced Pathophysiology	3	NURS 515 Advanced Health Assessment	3 (2/1)*	NURS 512 Advanced Clinical Pharmacology	3
	NURS 685 Epidemiology for Advanced Nursing Practice	2	NURS 530 Promoting Health Behavior	3	NURS 690 Doctoral Nursing Seminar (Bootcamp)	1
	NURS 682 DNP Project II	2	NURS 683 DNP Project III	2		1
	Subtotal	7	Subtotal	7	Subtotal	5
	Fall 3		Spring 3		Summer 3	
Year 3	NURS 660 Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing I	6 (3/3)*	NURS 662 Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing II	7 (3/4)*	NURS 664 Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing III	5 (1/4*)
	NURS 514 Psychopharmacology for Advance Practice	3	NURS 678 Health Needs of Special Populations	4 (2/2)*		
	Subtotal	9	Subtotal	11	Subtotal	5
	<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>69</b>				

Notes

\*(didactic/clinical credits)

DNP students must complete 1024 hours of supervised clinical practicum hours. 1 credit in a clinical course = 64 hours of clinical practicum

DNP Project to be completed by Spring 2 otherwise student will need to enroll into NURS 699 Clinical Scholarly Project until project is defended and final paper is submitted.