

**MASTER OF SCIENCE IN NURSING (MSN) PROGRAM  
SAMPLE MATRICULATION PLAN**

**MAJOR: PSYCHIATRIC MENTAL HEALTH NP**

**SEMESTER START: FALL**

**STATUS: PART-TIME**

YEAR # 1					
FALL SEMESTER	CREDITS	SPRING SEMESTER	CREDITS	SUMMER SEMESTER (Required Lab Skills On-Campus)	CREDITS
N582 Population Health in a Global Society	3	N580 Nurse as Scholar I: Science Development, Study Design & Statistics	3	N581 Nurse as Scholar II: Evidence-based Practice	3
N590 Advanced Physiology Across the Lifespan	2	N591 Conceptual Basis of Advanced Pathophysiology Across the Lifespan (concurrent with N593)	1	N595 Physical Assessment and Diagnostic Reasoning in APN	4
		N593 Specialty Seminars in Advanced Pathophysiology for Adult and Gerontological Health (concurrent with N591)	1		
<b>Total</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>7</b>
YEAR # 2					
FALL SEMESTER (Required OCI)	CREDITS	SPRING SEMESTER	CREDITS	SUMMER SEMESTER	CREDITS
N596 Clinical Pharmacology for Advanced Nursing Practice	3	N583 Professional Transitions: Advanced Nursing Practice	3	N766 Essentials of Addiction Medicine for the Advanced Practice Nurse	3
N760 Foundations and Psychiatric Assessment Across the Lifespan	2	N762 Neurophysiology	2	Nxxx Elective	3
N761 Foundations and Psychiatric Assessment Across the Lifespan: Clinical	1 credit = 56 hours				
<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>
YEAR # 3					
FALL SEMESTER (Required OCI)	CREDITS	SPRING SEMESTER (Required OCI)	CREDITS	SUMMER SEMESTER (Required OCI for N768 only)	CREDITS
N764 Diagnosis and Evidence-Based Treatment of Mental Health Disorders Across the Lifespan	2	N767 Psychiatric Mental Health Synthesis – Acute and child-Adolescent Focus: Clinical	4 credits = 224 hours	N768 Psychiatric Mental Health Synthesis – Adult/Geriatric Outpatient Population Focus: Clinical	4 credits = 224 hours
N765 Diagnosis and Evidence-Based Treatment of Mental Health Disorders Across the Lifespan: Clinical	2 credits = 112 hours				
N763 Psychopharmacology	3				
<b>Total</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>N595 requires 3 separate on-campus, 2-day sessions for lab skills throughout the semester.</b>				<b>Required On-Campus Intensive (OCI)</b>	
<b>Minimum Requirement for MSN in this Major: 49 credit hours/616 clinical hours</b>				<b>*56 Clinical Hours = 1 credit hour</b>	