

**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	Nxxx Addictions: Assessment, Diagnostics, and Management	3
Nxxx Foundations and Psychiatric Assessment Across the Lifespan	2	Nxxx Neurophysiology	2	Nxxx Elective	3
Nxxx 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)	CREDITS
Nxxx Diagnosis and Evidence-Based Treatment of Mental Health Disorders Across the Lifespan	2	Nxxx Psychiatric Mental Health Complex Care Synthesis	4 credits = 224 hours	Nxxx Psychiatric Mental Health Complex Synthesis	4 credits = 224 hours
Nxxx Diagnosis and Evidence-Based Treatment of Mental Health Disorders Across the Lifespan-Clinical	2 credits = 112 hours				
Nxxx Psychopharmacology	3				
<b>Total</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>4</b>
N595 requires 3 separate on-campus, 2-day sessions for lab skills throughout the semester.			Required On-Campus Intensive (OCI)		
Minimum Requirement for MSN in this Major: 49 credit hours/616 clinical hours			*56 Clinical Hours = 1 credit hour		