

Official Program Outline



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POST MASTER'S CERTIFICATE IN NURSING EDUCATION (PMCNE)

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

This online Post Master's Certificate in Nursing Education will provide students with the academic knowledge, skills, and expertise to become nurse educators in diverse healthcare and academic environments. Graduates will be prepared to apply for the certified nurse educator examination. The program consists of specialty and clinical courses. This program is for licensed registered nurses (active, unrestricted license) who have a Master of Science in Nursing degree and are interested in advancing their careers to become nurse educators.

Prior to enrollment, individuals considering a Post Master's Certificate program should check with their applicable state board of nursing before enrolling in any graduate nursing program for any specific state requirements.

NURSING EDUCATION PROGRAM OUTCOMES

Upon completion of their program, the student should be able to:

1. Demonstrate critical thinking and decision making when planning, implementing, and evaluating strategies to guide an educational system toward successful outcomes.
2. Analyze the impact of ethical and legal principles on the planning and delivery of educational programs in carried populations.
3. Critique educational delivery and evaluation strategies for application across culturally and age-diverse populations in selected educational settings.
4. Articulate a personal philosophy and framework acknowledging professional and accrediting agency competencies relating to the role and scope of practice of the nurse educator.
5. Implement the role of the nurse educator in a selected educational setting.

SPECIAL ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS

Please refer to the "Special Nursing Program Requirements for Admission" policy in the Admissions Information section of this catalog for nursing program admission requirements. Students enrolling in the PMCNE program must complete NU 610, NU 621, and NU 636 prior to acceptance. In most instances, these courses would be included in a Master of Science in Nursing program.

PROGRAM CONTENT

A minimum of 16.00 semester credit hours is required for completion of the certificate.

REQUIRED SPECIALTY COURSES

16.00 semester credit hours are required NU 610, NU 621, and NU 636 will be required if not completed successfully with the prior Master of Science in Nursing degree.

Course Number	Course Name	Prerequisites/Corequisites	Semester Credit Hours
NU 600	Teaching/Learning Strategies	None	3.00
NU 617	The Nurse Educator Roles	None	1.00
NU 635	Curriculum Development and Evaluation	None	3.00

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NU 600	Teaching/Learning Strategies	None	3.00
NU 681	Advanced Nursing Practice Clinical Practicum for Nurse Education	Nursing Core Courses	2.00
NU 683	Graduate Onsite Practicum in Education	All courses, Final semester	3.00
NU 725 Or NU 730	Technology and Nursing Informatics in Advanced Practice Or Systems-Based Practice	None	3.00
PD 600	Applied Scholarship	None	1.00

Distribution of Clock Hours by Course				
Course Number	Lecture Hours	Clinical Hours	Total Contact Hours	Credits
NU 600	45.00		45.00	3.00
NU 617	15.00		15.00	1.00
NU 635	45.00		45.00	3.00
NU 681	15.00	45.00	60.00	2.00
NU 683	15.00	90.00	105.00	3.00
NU 725 Or NU 730	45.00		45.00	3.00
PD 600	15.00		15.00	1.00
Totals	195.00	135.00	330.00	16.00