

Doctor of Nursing Practice

Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP): Advanced Practice Track

This degree map is based on the 2023-24 Academic Catalog and is subject to change. Students should meet with their academic advisor each semester and use Degree Works to monitor their individual progress toward degree completion. The time it takes to earn a degree will vary based on several factors including summer/winter enrollment, dual enrollment and number of courses successfully completed each semester.

Sample 2 -Year Plan- Part Time

First Year					
Summer Courses	Credits	Fall Courses	Credits	Spring Courses	Credits
NURS 600: DNP Immersion: Role Transition	1	NURS 602: Economics of Health Care & Health Policy	3	NURS 604: Leadership in Complex Health Care Systems	3
NURS 601: Informatics & Technology as Applied to Advanced practice Nursing	3	NURS 603: Translating Evidence into Clinical Practice	3	NURS 606: Biomedical Ethics and Vulnerable Populations	3
Semester Total	4	Semester Total	6	Semester Total	6

Second Year					
Summer Courses	Credits	Fall Courses	Credits	Spring Courses	Credits
NURS 608: Evidence Based Clinical Project I: Development	5	NURS 609: Evidence Based Clinical Project II: Implementation	4	NURS 610: Evidence Based Clinical Project III: Outcome Analysis and Dissemination	4
Semester Total	5	Semester Total	4	Semester Total	4

Total Credits: 29

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Curriculum Checklist

Required Doctoral Courses (29 credits)

- ___ NURS 600 DNP Immersion: Role Transition (1)
- ___ NURS 601 Informatics & Technology as Applied to Advanced Practice Nursing (3)
- ___ NURS 602 Economics of Health Care & Health Policy (3)
- ___ NURS 603 Translating Evidence into Clinical Practice (3)
- ___ NURS 604 Leadership in Complex Health Care Systems (3)
- ___ NURS 606 Biomedical Ethics & Vulnerable Populations (3)
- ___ NURS 608 Evidenced Based Clinical Project I: Development (5)
- ___ NURS 609 Evidenced Based Clinical Project II: Implementation (4)
- ___ NURS 610 Evidenced Based Clinical Project III: Outcome Analysis & Dissemination (4)

Degree Requirements

This course map indicates part-time matriculation and a Fall semester start. However, the review of applications and acceptance into this program is in a rolling basis. Students must complete all 29 credits and all course requirements for the selected major. Meet with your advisor and consult Degree Works to monitor your progress and for all graduation requirements.

Students in the Advanced Practice Track of the DNP program are required to **complete 500 clinical hours**. Clinical hours are threaded throughout the program. Advanced practice students are given credit for 500 clinical hours carried over from their MSN program.

A minimum GPA of 3.0 is required to maintain enrollment in the program.

Campus Locations

Bloomsburg ☒ Online; ☐ In-person; ☐ Blended

Lock Haven ☒ Online; ☐ In-person; ☐ Blended

Mansfield ☒ Online; ☐ In-person; ☐ Blended

Clearfield ☒ Online; ☐ In-person; ☐ Blended