

Nursing Anesthesia

Doctor of Nursing Practice (BSN-DNP)

This degree map is based on the 2024-2025 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 3 -Year Plan- Full Time

First Year					
Summer Courses	Credits	Fall Courses	Credits	Spring Courses	Credits
NURS 612: Epidemiologic Concepts in Population Health	3	NURS 611: Theoretical Bases for Role Development in Advanced Nursing Practice	3	NURS 617: Pharmacology Across the Lifespan for the Advanced Practice Nurse	3
NURS 601: Informatics & Technology as Applied to Advanced practice Nursing	3	NURS 613: Bases of Research for Advanced Nursing Practice	3	NURS 620: Lifespan Health Assessment & Promotion for Nursing Anesthesia	4
NURS 600: DNP Immersion: Role Transition	1	NURS 614: Pathophysiology Across the Lifespan for Advanced Practice Nursing	3	NURS 606: Biomedical Ethics and Vulnerable Populations	3
		NURS 602: Economics of Health Care & Health Policy	3	STAT 646: Biostatistics	3
Semester Total	7	Semester Total	12	Semester Total	13

Second Year					
Summer Courses	Credits	Fall Courses	Credits	Spring Courses	Credits
NURS 623: Scientific Foundations of Anesthesia Nursing I	4	NURS 618: Theoretical Foundations of Anesthesia Nursing I	3	NURS 604: Leadership in Complex Health Care Systems	3
NURS 635: Anesthesia Nursing Practicum & Clinical Conference I	3	NURS 625: Pharmacology for Anesthesia	3	NURS 624: Scientific Foundations of Anesthesia Nursing II	3
		NURS 636: Anesthesia Nursing Practicum & Clinical Conference II	4	NURS 626: Advanced Physiology for Anesthesia Nursing I	4
		NURS 603: Translating Evidence into Clinical Practice	3	NURS 637: Anesthesia Nursing Practicum	3
Semester Total	7	Semester Total	13	Semester Total	13

Third Year					
Summer Courses	Credits	Fall Courses	Credits	Spring Courses	Credits
NURS 608: Evidence Based Clinical Project 1: Development4	5	NURS 609: Evidence Based Clinical Project II: Implementation	4	NURS 610: Evidence Based Clinical Project III: Outcome Analysis & Dissemination	4
NURS 627: Advanced Physiology for Anesthesia Nursing II	3	NURS 639: Advanced Anesthesia Nursing Practicum & Clinical Conference II	5	NURS 640: Advanced Anesthesia Nursing Practicum & Clinical Conference III	5
NURS 638: Advanced Anesthesia Nursing Practicum & Clinical Conference I	4				
Semester Total	12	Semester Total	9	Semester Total	9

Total Credits: 95

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Curriculum Checklist

A. Required Core Nursing Courses (9 credits)

- ___ NURS 501 Theoretical Bases for Role Development in Advanced Nursing Practice (3)
- ___ NURS 502 Epidemiological Concepts in Population Health (3)
- ___ NURS 503 Bases of Research for Advanced Nursing Practice (3)

B. Required Foundational Advanced Nursing Practice Courses (10 credits)

- ___ NURS 507 Lifespan Pharmacology for Advanced Nursing Practice (3)
- ___ NURS 620 Lifespan Health Assessment & Promotion for Nursing Anesthesia (4)
- ___ NURS 614 Pathophysiology Across the Lifespan for Advanced Practice Nursing (3)

C. Required Anesthesia Nursing Courses (44 credits)

- ___ NURS 623 Scientific Foundations of Anesthesia Nursing I (4)
- ___ NURS 635 Anesthesia Nursing Practicum & Clinical Conference I (3)
- ___ NURS 618 Theoretical Foundations of Anesthesia Nursing I (3)
- ___ NURS 625 Pharmacology for Anesthesia (3)
- ___ NURS 636 Anesthesia Nursing Practicum & Clinical Conference II (4)
- ___ NURS 624 Scientific Foundations of Anesthesia Nursing II (3)
- ___ NURS 626 Advanced Physiology for Anesthesia Nursing I (4)
- ___ NURS 637 Anesthesia Nursing Practicum (3)
- ___ NURS 627 Advanced Physiology for Anesthesia Nursing II (3)
- ___ NURS 638 Advanced Anesthesia Nursing Practicum & Clinical Conference I (4)
- ___ NURS 639 Advanced Anesthesia Nursing Practicum & Clinical Conference II (5)
- ___ NURS 640 Advanced Anesthesia Nursing Practicum & Clinical Conference III (5)

D. Required Biostatistics (3)

- ___ STAT 646: Biostatistics (3)

D. 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

Students must complete all 95 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.

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