Post-master's PhD Course Sequence Full-time Study Minimum 50 Credits (inclusive of 9 dissertation credits) Year 1		
Nurs810 Philosophical & Theoretical Basis of Nursing Science (3) Nurs812 Responsible Conduct of Research (1) Nurs892 Research Practicum (3) P/F Cognate (3)	Nurs816 Advanced Qualitative Research in Nursing Science (3) Nurs849 Philosophy, Theory & Curriculum in Nursing Education (3) Educ856 Introduction to Statistical Inference (3)	Example: Cognate (3) or Nurs891 Teaching Practicum (3) P/F
Total: 10 credits	Total: 9 credits	
Year 2		
Nurs814 Advanced Quantitative Research in Nursing Science (3) Nurs839 Nursing Science Seminar (1) Educ874 Multivariate Data Analysis (3) Nurs891 Teaching Practicum (3) P/F OR Research Methodology Elective (3) P/F OR Cognate (3)	Nurs843 Policy & Finance for Healthcare Delivery Nurs891 Teaching Practicum (3) P/F AND/OR Research Methodology Elective (3) AND/OR Cognate (3)	Example: Cognate (3) or Nurs891 Teaching Practicum (3) P/F
Total: 10 credits	Total: 9 credits	
Year 3		
Nurs870 Writing for Dissemination (2) Nurs850 Dissertation Proposal Seminar (1) P/F Nurs964 (credits as needed for Precandidacy Study, Comprehensive Examination)	Nurs969 Dissertation (3)	Nurs969 Dissertation (3) (optional)
Total: 3 credits	Total: 3 credits	
Year 4		
Nurs969 Dissertation (3) Total: 3 credits	Nurs969 Dissertation (3) Total: 3 credits	Nurs999 Dissertation Sustaining (if needed)

Note. * Summer enrollment is optional. Enrollment in summer classes must have advisor approval and may require plan of study revision. Tuition assistantships may not fund summer credits.

NUR866 represents the Independent Study option.

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