

MUSC COLLEGE OF NURSING
Graduate Nursing Program

NURSE EDUCATOR

Post-BSN Full-Time Plan of Study for the MSN Degree

Fall Semester				
NRDNP	826	Biostatistics: Clinical Applications	3 sh	(3,0,0)*
NRDNP	840	Behavioral Health Therapeutics	3 sh	(3,0,0)
NRDNP	846	Frameworks for Leadership & Interprofessional Collaboration	3 sh	(3,0,0)
NURSM	703	Instructional Processes	4 sh	(3,0,1)
Spring Semester				
NRPHD	708	Advanced Health Policy and Advocacy	3 sh	(3,0,0)
NRPHD	715	Introduction to Social and Applied Epidemiology	3 sh	(3,0,0)
NRDNP	844	Research Use and Evidence-Based Practice	3 sh	(3,0,0)
NRPHD	725	Curriculum Development & Design	3 sh	(3,0,0)
Summer Semester				
NRDNP	830	Applied Health Care Economics and Finance	3 sh	(3,0,0)
NURSM	615	Methodology of Online Teaching	3 sh	(2,0,1)
NRPHD	800	Mentored Teaching	3 sh	(0,0,3)
Minimum MSN course work			34 sh	(29,0,5)

sh = semester hour. Semester hour to clock hour ratio: Didactic, 1:1; seminar, 1:2; practicum, 1:3.

*3(3,0,0) = (3 sh didactic, 0 sh seminar, 0 sh practicum) = 3 sh total.

According to College Policy, all MSN degree programs must be completed within 6 years from the date of initial enrollment. Courses in the MSN program are offered once per year; either fall, spring, or summer semesters. Any deviation from this plan may jeopardize program completion and must be approved by the Director of Graduate Programs.