



# Doctor of Nursing Practice Ethical Leadership (post MSN track)

Advanced Specialty Practice at the Aggregate/Systems/Organizational Level

Plan of Study (2023-2026)

SUMMER			FALL			SPRING		
YEAR ONE	Semester One		Semester Two			Semester Three		
			NURS 550	Scholarly Writing	1	NURS 700	Epidemiology & Population Health	3
			NURS 710	Ethical & Theoretical Thinking	3	NURS 720	Outcome Management & Quality Improvement	3
					<b>4</b>			<b>6</b>
YEAR TWO	Semester Four		Semester Five			Semester Six		
HGMT 690	HIM Intensive (2-day intensive)	2	HGMT 630	Health Care Systems (8 weeks)	3	MGMT 525	Complex Systems Change Management (8 weeks)	3
NURS 730	Organizational Leadership & Health Policy	3	NURS 800	DNP Essentials Synthesis Seminar I	2	NURS 801	DNP Essential Synthesis Seminar II	2
						NURS 820	Clinical Practicum (120 hours)	1
		<b>5</b>			<b>5</b>			<b>6</b>
YEAR Three	Semester Seven		Semester Eight			Semester Nine		
NURS 820	Clinical Practicum (120 hours)	1	NURS 820	Clinical Practicum (120 hours)	1	NURS 820	Clinical Practicum (120 hours)	1
NURS 825	DNP Project	2	NURS 825	DNP Project	2		Graduate Elective	3
		<b>3</b>			<b>3</b>			<b>4</b>
<i>Total Credits = 36</i>								

NURS 800, 801, 825 blended format [online and on campus day(s)].  
 NURS 550, 700, 710, 720, 730, 820 are online.  
 HMGMT 690 (2-day intensive in-person)  
 HMGMT 630, MGMT 525 are online.

**Total credits:** 36 credits (1,020 clinical hours) including 240 hours DNP Project; Minimum 480 hours practicum (120:1) at the post MSN level; indirect hours may vary depending on accrued hours from MSN program.

A non-nursing master's degree may be considered.