### Plan of Study 2013-16 – MSN Students

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<th>Year 1 (Tues)</th>
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| Sem I         | N507 Information Technology and Scholarly Activities 3  
N530 Nursing Research/EBP  3 | N507 Information Technology and Scholarly Activities 3  
N530 Nursing Research/EBP  3 |
|               | N535 Advanced Pathophysiology 3  
N700 Epidemiology & Population Health 3 | N535 Advanced Pathophysiology 3  
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| Summer (Day TBD) | N730 Organizational leadership and Healthcare Policy for Advanced Nursing 3 (online) | N730 Organizational leadership and Healthcare Policy for Advanced Nursing 3 (online) |

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| Sem I         | N605 Pharmacotherapeutics 3  
N710 Ethical and Theoretical Thinking 2 (online)  
N520 Adv. Nsg. Practice Role Development 2 | N605 Pharmacotherapeutics 3  
N710 Ethical and Theoretical Thinking 2 (online)  
N520 Adv. Nsg. Practice Role Development 2 |
|               | N540 Adv Health Assessment 4  
N720 Outcome Management and Quality Improvement for Advanced Nursing 2 (online)  
N699 Geriatric Special Topics 2 (online) | N540 Adv Health Assessment 4  
N720 Outcome Management and Quality Improvement for Advanced Nursing 2 (online)  
N695 Management of Family Health I 2 |

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| Sem I         | N 610 Management of Health Problems I: Adult/Gero 3  
N615 Clinical Practicum I: AGNP 4 (240)  
N602 Clinical Seminar I: AGNP 2 | N697 Management of Family Health II 2  
N 610 Management of Health Problems I: Adult/Gero 3  
N692 Clinical Practicum I: FNP 4 (240)  
N688 Clinical Seminar I: FNP 2 |
|               | N 612 Management of Health Problems II: Adult/Gero 3  
N603 Clinical Seminar II: AGNP 1  
N616 Clinical Practicum II: AGNP 5 (300) | N 612 Management of Health Problems II: Adult/Gero 3  
N689 Clinical Seminar II: FNP 1  
N693 Clinical Practicum II: FNP 5 (300) |
| Summer        | N617 Practicum III: AGNP 2 (120) (50) (660) | N694 Practicum III: FNP 2 (120) (660) (52) |

*Minor changes may be made during continued program development (Course clinical hours are shown in parenthesis – 60 clock hours equals 1 credit)*

**NP Track Notes:**
The last year of the MSN program in particular will require a great deal of time and commitment from students in order to successfully complete 9 - 11 credits of coursework, including clinical and in class work. This effort must also include preparation for both clinical and classroom assignments.

It will be necessary to limit employment such that this schedule can be met. It has been our experience that the students who have struggled with success in the NP program have overextended themselves with work hours and needed to further reduce their hours in order to successfully achieve program requirements.

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Classes on Thursday will cover morning, early afternoon, and sometimes late afternoon hours. Clinical hours will require approximately 16 hours a week (first semester) and 20 hours a week (second semester) in addition to class time; using a 15 week semester; this translates into at least 2 – 2 1/2 days a week for clinical, not counting Thursday when there is class and seminar; some of the class work will be conducted online, but the majority is on campus. During the Residency clinical in May-June there will be a concentrated 3-4 day a week clinical over 4-5 weeks.