Brooks Rehabilitation College of Healthcare Sciences
SCHOOL OF NURSING
Post-MSN Doctor of Nursing Practice: Advanced Practice or Leadership Cognate

The Post-MSN Doctor of Nursing Practice is a dynamic and energetic program that prepares nurses for leadership positions in multiple domains of health care. Students gain knowledge of various disciplines including nursing, medicine, economics, informatics, education and health policy with a goal of impacting health outcomes and transforming health care delivery. The Post-MSN DNP is the terminal degree that prepares nurses in the application of research to clinical nursing practice at the highest individual, population and systems levels.

The JU Post-MSN DNP program has two cognates. The Advanced Practice cognate is designed for nurses in advanced practice specialties and has a clinical focus on individuals and populations. The Leadership cognate has an emphasis on nursing within systems and organizations.

Admissions

Applicants can be considered for fall, spring and summer admission

Admission is open to qualified people of any race, color, religion, and national or ethnic origin. Graduate admission is processed through the School of Nursing.

Admission to the graduate nursing DNP programs is limited. The admission process is competitive based on the following criteria:

- A $50.00 nonrefundable application fee
- Completed online application
- Copy of current driver’s license
- Official transcripts from all colleges and universities
- MSN degree from a Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE) or Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN) accredited program
- MSN GPA of 3.3 or higher
- Three letters of reference - may be clinical, professional or academic
- Statement of Intent
- Resume or Curriculum Vitae
- Licensed or eligible for licensure as an Advanced Registered Nurse Practitioner (ARNP) in the United States for the Advanced Practice cognate Licensed or eligible for licensure as a Registered Nurse/ARNP in the United States for the Leadership cognate.

For more information, contact Stephanie Bloom at slbloom@ju.edu
begin your application online at: www.ju.edu/apply

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Curriculum

Course listings (Core Courses)
NUR 610  Information Systems and Technology of Advanced Practice (3)
NUR 630  Epidemiology and Biostatistics (3)
NUR 652  Evidenced Based Practice I (3)
NUR 660  Ethics in Clinical Practice (3)
NUR 670  Leadership and Health Policy (3)
NUR 690  Evidenced Based Practice II (3)
NUR 702  DNP Practice Project (3-6 hours, varies)
NUR 703  DNP Residency Hours (1-5 hours, varies)

Subtotal: 27-36 (varies)

Options available for additional certifications in Family Nurse Practitioner, Emergency Nurse Practitioner, Adult Gerontology and Acute Care Nurse Practitioner, Nursing Informatics and Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner for qualified DNP students.

DNP Advanced Practice Cognate:
NUR 600  Organizational Theory, Health Care Management and Finance (3)
NUR 620  Advanced Diagnostic Reasoning and Treatment II (3)
NUR 640  Clinical Manifestations of Disease Process and Emerging Therapies (3)
Total: 9

DNP Leadership Cognate:
NUR 602  Business of Healthcare (3) (Executive track only)
NUR 604  Academic Leadership (3) (Educational track only)
NUR 622  Quality Management to Improve Health Outcomes (3) (both tracks)
NUR 642  Leadership and Innovation (3) (both tracks)
Total: 9

Program Total hours: 36-45 (varies)

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