



# SAMPLE POST-DEGREE BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING (PDBSN) COURSE ORGANIZATION

The Post-Degree Bachelor of Science in Nursing (PDBSN) option recognizes previous university achievements of qualified students and gives them the opportunity to earn a Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) degree in a shortened period of time. The Post-Degree BSN option provides opportunity for full-time intensive study over six consecutive terms with program completion in less than two calendar years. This is a sample of how courses may be organized over the two years.

## YEAR 1

Spring and Summer Term 1 (May - June)	Spring and Summer Term 2 (June - Aug)	Fall Term 1 (Sept - Dec)	Winter Term 2 (Jan - Apr)
<b>Total Credit Units: 9</b>	<b>Total Credit Units: 12</b>	<b>Total Credit Units: 15</b>	<b>Total Credit Units: 15</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>NURS 200.3</b> Nursing Foundations Perspectives and Influences</li> <li>• <b>NURS 202.3</b> Assessment and Components of Care I</li> <li>• <b>NURS 204.3</b> Communication and Professional Relationships</li> <li>• <b>NURS 206.1</b> Foundational Care in Critical Practice</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>NURS 203.3</b> Assessment and Components of Care II</li> <li>• <b>NURS 205.3</b> Research for Evidence-Informed Practice</li> <li>• <b>PHAR 250.3</b> Pharmacology for Nursing</li> <li>• <b>NURS 220.3</b> Concepts of Patient and Family Centered Care</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>NURS 221.3</b> Patient and Family Centered Care in Clinical Practice</li> <li>• <b>NURS 201.3</b> Perspectives on Health, Wellness, and Diversity in a Global Context</li> <li>• <b>NURS 305.6</b> Core Competencies for the Management of Complex Patient Care</li> <li>• <b>NURS 332.3</b> Exploring Complexity and Acuity</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>NURS 306.3</b> Exploring Chronicity and Aging</li> <li>• <b>NURS 307.3</b> Integrating Mental Health and Addiction into Nursing</li> <li>• <b>NURS 321.3</b> Therapeutic Interventions for Individuals and Groups</li> <li>• <b>NURS 308.3</b> Integrating Mental Health Nursing and Addiction within Nursing Practice</li> <li>• <b>NURS 333.3</b> Complex Nursing Care Practice</li> </ul>

**YEAR 2**

Spring and Summer Term 1 (May - June)	Spring and Summer Term 2 (June - Aug)	Fall Term 1 (Sept - Dec)	Winter Term 2 (Jan - Apr)
<b>Total Credit Units: 9</b>	<b>Total Credit Units: 3</b>	<b>Total Credit Units: 15</b>	<b>Total Credit Units: 15</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>NURS 330.3</b> Maternal Child and Adolescent Family Centered Nursing</li> <li>• <b>NURS 304.3</b> Family Nursing</li> <li>• <b>NURS 322.3</b> Leadership in Education and Care</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>NURS 331.3</b> Maternal Child and Adolescent Family Centered Nursing Practice</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>NURS 430.3</b> Community Health Nursing: Building Partnerships</li> <li>• <b>NURS 431.6</b> Community Nursing Practice</li> <li>• <b>NURS 422.3</b> Issues in Leadership and Management: Transformative Practice in Health Care Organizations</li> <li>• <b>NURS 440.3</b> Interprofessional Perspectives: Health Systems and Policy Development within a Global Context</li> <li><b>OR</b></li> <li>• <b>NURS 450.9</b> Practice Integration</li> <li>• <b>NURS 441.3</b> Transitioning to Professional Practice</li> <li>• <b>Restricted NURS Elective.3*</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>NURS 430.3</b> Community Health Nursing: Building Partnerships</li> <li>• <b>NURS 431.6</b> Community Nursing Practice</li> <li>• <b>NURS 422.3</b> Issues in Leadership and Management: Transformative Practice in Health Care Organizations</li> <li>• <b>NURS 440.3</b> Interprofessional Perspectives: Health Systems and Policy Development within a Global Context</li> <li><b>OR</b></li> <li>• <b>NURS 450.9</b> Practice Integration</li> <li>• <b>NURS 441.3</b> Transitioning to Professional Practice</li> <li>• <b>Restricted NURS Elective.3*</b></li> </ul>

\* Restricted Elective - 3 credit units. The list of pre-approved restricted electives to choose from can be found [here](#). To submit a course for approval as a 3 credit unit NURS elective, please review the [College of Nursing Restricted Elective Course Approval Process](#) then fill out this [form](#) and forward with a detailed course outline to your nursing academic advisor.