

# Master of Nursing

## Primary Health Care Nurse Practitioner

### Field (MN/NP)

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University  
of Windsor  
Faculty of Nursing

The Master in Nursing (MN) program is a collaborative **course-based** consortium degree program. Students will be prepared to provide collaborative and autonomous primary health care to individuals, groups or communities, with an emphasis on health promotion as well as illness/injury prevention. Students will develop advanced assessment, diagnostic and clinical reasoning skills in preparation for ordering and interpreting diagnostic tests, communicating diagnoses, prescribing pharmaceuticals, and performing other specific controlled procedures.

#### Essential Academic Requirements

- Must have a Bachelor of Science in Nursing or equivalent nursing degree (eg. BN, etc.) with a minimum 70% average in the last two years of their undergraduate program.
- Must have current registration with the College of Nurses of Ontario with no practice restrictions.
- Equivalent of two years of direct nursing (RN) experience in the last five years (>3,640 hours)
- Preference will be given to Ontario residents

**Program Intake:** Annually each September

**Application Deadline:** February 1st

**Mode of Instruction:** In Class/online/clinical placements

**Placement Locations:** Must complete clinical placements within the following locations: Windsor and the greater Windsor area, which encompasses Essex County, Chatham-Kent County and Lambton County (Sarnia region) only.

**Application:** [www.uwindsor.ca/graduate](http://www.uwindsor.ca/graduate)

**Program Length:** Two years full-time or five years part-time

**Further Program Information:** <http://np-education.ca>

#### For further information, please contact us:

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**Master of Nursing Nurse Practitioner Program (MN)/NP**  
**Program Curriculum Structure**

Core Courses	Additional Graduate Level Courses
NURS-8810 Theoretical Foundations in Nursing (Fall) NURS-8820 Advanced Statistics (Winter) NURS-8830 Research Methods in Nursing (Fall or Intersession/Summer)	NURS-8500 Pathophysiology for Nurse Practitioners (taken over 2 semesters - Fall and Winter) <b>On-line</b> course NURS-8520 Roles and Responsibilities (taken over 2 semesters - Fall and Winter) <b>On-line</b> course NURS-8570 Advanced Health Assessment and Diagnosis I (Fall) NURS-8580 Advanced Health Assessment and Diagnosis II (Winter) NURS-8610 Therapeutics in Primary Health Care I (Fall) NURS-8620 Therapeutics in Primary Health Care II (Winter) NURS-8870 Integrative Practicum (May – August) full-time clinical

\* Please note—Pathophysiology for Nurse Practitioners must be taken prior to or concurrent with Advanced Health Assessment and Diagnosis. Roles is a prerequisite or must be taken concurrently with Therapeutics. Full-time students must be registered in every term i.e. fall, winter, spring/summer.

**Sample: Full-time Student Course Schedule**

Year 1	NURS-8810 Theoretical Foundations in Nursing  NURS-8500 Pathophysiology for Nurse Practitioners	NURS-8820 Advanced Statistics  NURS-8500 Pathophysiology for Nurse Practitioners	NURS-8830 Research Methods in Nursing
Year 2	NURS-8570 Advanced Health Assessment and Diagnosis I NURS-8610 Therapeutics in Primary Health Care I NURS-8520 Roles and Responsibilities	NURS-8580 Advanced Health Assessment and Diagnosis II NURS-8620 Therapeutics in Primary Health Care II NURS-8520 Roles and Responsibilities	NURS-8870 Integrative Practicum
	<b>Convocation October session</b>		

**Sample: Part-time Student Course Schedule**

Part-time students can take only one course per semester.

Year 1	NURS-8810 Theoretical Foundations in Nursing	NURS-8820 Advanced Statistics	NURS-8830 Research Methods In Nursing
<b>Request change of status to full-time through NP Graduate Coordinator</b>			
Year 2	NURS-8500 Pathophysiology for Nurse Practitioners NURS-8570 Advanced Health Assessment and Diagnosis I	NURS-8500 Pathophysiology for Nurse Practitioners NURS-8580 Advanced Health Assessment and Diagnosis II	<b>Complete a Leave of Absence Form through Graduate Studies</b>
Year 3	NURS-8610 Therapeutics in Primary Health Care I NURS-8520 Roles and Responsibilities	NURS-8620 Therapeutics in Primary Health Care II NURS-8520 Roles and Responsibilities	NURS-8870 Integrative Practicum
	<b>Convocation October session</b>		