Master of Science in Nursing (MScN) - Thesis-Based



Core Courses	Thesis
NURS-8400. The Scholarship of Nursing Knowledge and Practice (Fall) NURS-8410. Evidence Utilization (Fall or Winter) NURS-8420. Health Research Methods (Fall or Winter) NURS-8430. Leadership Innovations in Advanced Nursing Practice (Winter) NURS-8450. Promoting Health Equity Among Diverse Groups (Summer) NURS-8460. Teaching and Learning: Theory and Practice (Fall)	NURS-8970 Thesis * (Must have a supervisor prior to registering in the thesis course).

Sample: Full-time MSCN Thesis-Based Student Course Schedule

Full time students must be registered in every term (i.e., fall, winter, spring/summer). Students in the full-time thesis MScN stream will complete the program in **2 years** (six semesters) as displayed in the sample, but they **must complete the program within three consecutive calendar years after the student's first registration**. Full-time students will pay full-time fees even if taking only one course in a semester. Students must register for the Thesis (NURS-8970) when they begin working with their advisor and using university resources.

Year	Semester	Core Courses	Thesis Milestones
One	Fall	NURS-8400. The Scholarship of Nursing Knowledge and Practice	Advisor assigned Explore area of interest
		NURS-8410. Evidence Utilization	
	Winter	NURS-8420. Health Research Methods	Explore research questions Literature review (independent)
		NURS-8430. Leadership Innovations in Advanced Nursing Practice	
	Summer	NURS-8450. Promoting Health Equity Among Diverse Groups	Develop proposal Draft ethics
		NURS 8970 Thesis	
Two	Fall	NURS-8460. Teaching and Learning: Theory and Practice	Defend proposal Data collection & analysis
		NURS 8970. Thesis	
	Winter	NURS 8970. Thesis	Analysis and write results
	Summer	NURS 8970. Thesis	Write discussion and defend thesis