

| <b>MASTER OF SCIENCE IN NURSING (M.S.N.)<sup>1</sup></b> |  | <b>Hrs</b> | <b>Sem</b> | <b>Grade</b> |
|--|--|------------|------------|--------------|
| NURS 500   | Research <sup>2</sup>  | 3          | _____      | _____        |
| NURS 501   | Health Policy & Ethics   | 3          | _____      | _____        |
| NURS 502   | Nursing Theory & Advanced Practice   | 3          | _____      | _____        |
| NURS 503   | Managing Population Health   | 3          | _____      | _____        |
| NURS 521   | Nursing Issues, Informatics & Technology                                   | 3          | _____      | _____        |
| NURS 523   | Financial & Resource Management for Nurse Leaders                          | 3          | _____      | _____        |
| NURS 527   | School of Nursing MSN Practicum Gate                                       | 0          | _____      | _____        |
| NURS 623   | Nursing Administration I: The Role of the Nurse Administrator <sup>3</sup> | 3          | _____      | _____        |
| NURS 625   | Nursing Administration III: Management of Resources <sup>3</sup>           | 3          | _____      | _____        |
| NURS 626   | Nursing Administration IV: Nursing Administration Capstone <sup>3</sup>    | 3          | _____      | _____        |
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## **MASTER OF SCIENCE IN HEALTHCARE ADMINISTRATION (M.S.)**

|          |   |   |       |       |
|----------|---|---|-------|-------|
| BUSI 505 | Healthcare Informatics                                    | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| BUSI 506 | Legal & Ethical Issues for Health Professionals           | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| BUSI 511 | Healthcare Administration                                 | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| BUSI 528 | Strategic Management & Marketing for Health Professionals | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| BUSI 611 | Operations Management for Health Organizations            | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| BUSI 619 | Quality Assessment & Evidence Based Decision Making       | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| BUSI 629 | Economic Analysis in Healthcare                           | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| BUSI 646 | Managing Human Capital in Healthcare                      | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| BUSI 691 | Healthcare Administration Capstone                        | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| HLTH 501 | Biostatistics   | 3 | _____ | _____ |

**TOTAL HOURS 60**

### **Graduation Requirements**

Complete 60 total hours

A maximum of 50% of the program hours may be transferred if approved and allowable, including credit from an earned degree from Liberty University on the same academic level

3.0 GPA

No grades lower than a B- may be applied to the degree

Liberty University coursework that is more than 5 years old may not be applied towards this degree. Students are required to repeat the course if it has exceeded the age limit

Degree must be completed within 5 years

Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

### **Offered in Online Format**

Revised: 06.28.2024

### **Notes**

*All applicable prerequisites must be met*

<sup>1</sup>Students with RN license and bachelors degree in a discipline other than Nursing must take NURS 226, 440, 446, 489 and 491 within the first year of the program

<sup>2</sup>Introductory statistics course (math preferred) and an undergraduate course in health Assessment are required. For those who did not complete these courses in their undergraduate programs, they may fulfill these requirements during the first two semesters of the M.S.N. program. Students must complete the statistics course prior to enrollment in NURS 500

<sup>3</sup>NURS 623, 625, and 626 involve practicum hours. Students must obtain a preceptor site contract along with an approved MSN or doctorally prepared nurse leader preceptor. Students must also complete all pre-practicum requirements prior to enrollment in any practicum course

<sup>4</sup>Choose any 500-600 level course

*Suggested Course Sequence on second page*

Effective Catalog Term: 2024-40

### **SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE**

**First Semester**

|          |          |
|----------|----------|
| NURS 501 | 3        |
| NURS 502 | 3        |
| NURS 527 | 0        |
| BUSI 511 | <u>3</u> |
| Total    | 9        |

**Second Semester**

|                       |          |
|-----------------------|----------|
| NURS 500 <sup>1</sup> | 3        |
| NURS 503              | 3        |
| BUSI 506              | <u>3</u> |
| Total                 | 9        |

**Third Semester**

|          |          |
|----------|----------|
| NURS 521 | 3        |
| HLTH 501 | 3        |
| BUSI 505 | <u>3</u> |
| Total    | 9        |

**Fourth Semester**

|                       |          |
|-----------------------|----------|
| NURS 523              | 3        |
| NURS 623 <sup>2</sup> | 3        |
| BUSI 646              | <u>3</u> |
| Total                 | 9        |

**Fifth Semester**

|                       |          |
|-----------------------|----------|
| BUSI 528              | 3        |
| BUSI 611              | 3        |
| Elective <sup>3</sup> | <u>3</u> |
| Total                 | 9        |

**Sixth Semester**

|                       |          |
|-----------------------|----------|
| NURS 625 <sup>2</sup> | 3        |
| BUSI 619              | 3        |
| BUSI 629              | <u>3</u> |
| Total                 | 9        |

**Seventh Semester**

|                       |          |
|-----------------------|----------|
| NURS 626 <sup>2</sup> | 3        |
| BUSI 691              | <u>3</u> |
| Total                 | 6        |

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