

Winona State University

Graduate Programs in Nursing

Post-Master's Doctor of Nursing Practice Plan of Study Nursing Leadership Program: *Practice and Leadership Innovations (PLI)* 3-Year Plan for Post-Master's DNP Students

Applicants for this program must have completed a master's in nursing.

FALL 1	SPRING 1
NURS 701: Applied Biostatistics (4)	NURS 703: Epidemiological Approaches to Population Health (3)
NURS 738: Contemporary Topics in Leadership (3)	ELECTIVE (3) – or take in in Fall 2 or in Spring 2
Total: 7 credits (0 clinical credits)	Total: 6 credits (0 clinical credits)

FALL 2	SPRING 2
NURS 714: Evidence-Based Practice Seminar (3)	NURS 775: Clinical Scholarship (3) (3 clinical) *
Total: 3 credits (0 clinical credits)	Total: 3 credits (3 clinical credits)

FALL 3	SPRING 3
NURS 775: Clinical Scholarship (3) (3 clinical) *	NURS 775: Clinical Scholarship (3) (3 clinical) *
NURS 705: Practice Innovations Seminar (3)	NURS 756: Innovations in Practice & Leadership Practicum (3) (1 credit clinical) *
Total: 6 credits (3 clinical credits) *	Total: 6 credits (4 clinical credits) *

TOTAL: 31 credits; (1 role/population clinical credit, 60 hours, 9 clinical scholarship credits 540 hours; 600 total clinical hours) * A total of 1,000 clinical/practicum hours are required for all graduates of a DNP program. This program provides 600 hours. The remaining 400 clinical/practicum hours may come from a previous master's degree (appropriateness will be determined by faculty). Additional clinical/practicum courses may be necessary to achieve this requirement of 400 hours.

Applicants will need to show evidence of the following content from the Master's program, otherwise these courses will need to be taken:

STAT 601: Statistical Methods for Health Care Professionals (3) (*prerequisite to STAT 701*)

NURS 606: Nursing Information Management & Decision Making (3) (*prerequisite to 1st Clinical Scholarship course*)

NURS 608: Organizational & Systems Leadership (3) (*prerequisite to 1st Clinical Scholarship course*)

Optional:

Nursing Research Review (modules) (*not required*)

Other reviews (e.g., Theory, Stats) as needed (*not required*)

**Clinical/practicum hour ratio is 1 credit hour to 60 clinical/practice hours.*

**Students have the option to take 9 credits of NURS 775 or 6 credits of NURS 775 plus a 3-credit leadership practicum course.*