MSN IN NURSING LEADERSHIP - INFORMATICS SPECIALTY TRACK

DEGREE PLAN

Program Start: Spring 2027

This degree plan is for students beginning the MSN in Nursing Leadership (MSN-NL) program with the Informatics specialty track in the Spring 2027 term. This plan assumes that students will complete their degree in seven consecutive semesters and do not take a leave of absence from their program. Taking a leave of absence will change the degree plan and delay the anticipated program completion.

Term	Course		Course Name	Units	Start Date	End Date
Spring 2027	MSNC 501	Orientation	New Student Orientation	0	Upon Registration	01/02/2027
Spring 2027	MSNC 610	Foundational	Advanced Nursing Practice: Foundation and Specialty Roles	3	01/05/2027	02/22/2027
Spring 2027	MSNC 613	Foundational	Transformational Leadership	3	02/23/2027	04/12/2027
Summer 2027	MSNC 612	Core	Population Health	4	05/04/2027	06/21/2027
Summer 2027	MSNC 640	Core	Healthcare Information and Communication Management	3	06/22/2027	08/09/2027
Summer 2027	MSNC 612P	Practicum	Population Health Practicum	2	05/04/2027	08/09/2027
Fall 2027	MSNC 615	Core	Advanced Pathophysiology, Physical Assessment, and Pharmacology in Patients and Populations	3	08/31/2027	10/18/2027
Fall 2027	MSNC 611	Core	Foundations of Evidence-Based Practice in Nursing	3	10/19/2027	12/06/2027
Fall 2027	MSNC 615P	Practicum	Advanced Nurse Clinician Practicum	2	08/31/2027	12/06/2027
Spring 2028	MSNC 656	Core	Management of Quality and Safety	3	TBA	TBA
Spring 2028	MSNC 656P	Practicum	Management of Quality and Safety Practicum	2	TBA	TBA
Summer 2028	MSNC 655	Final Core	Systems-Based Practice	3	TBA	TBA
Summer 2028	MSNC 655P	Final Practicum	Systems-Based Practice Practicum	3	TBA	TBA
Fall 2028	HCIN 552	Special Core	Clinical Documentation: Electronic Medical Record Systems Management	3	TBA	TBA
Fall 2028	HCIN 543	Special Core	Database Design and Knowledge Management	3	TBA	TBA
Spring 2029	HCIN 547	Special Core	Healthcare Analytics	3	TBA	TBA
Spring 2029	HCIN 647P	Special Practicum	Nurse Informaticist Practicum	2	TBA	TBA

SPRING 2027 IMPORTANT DATES

Registration Opens	11/02/2026
Registration Deadline	12/14/2026
Financial Aid Requirements Due	12/14/2026
Last Day to Drop **Any** Course with a Full Refund	01/04/2027
Payment Due Date	01/05/2027
Semester Begins	01/05/2027
First Course Start Date	01/05/2027
Last Day to Drop Any Course with 95% Refund/Drop Deadline	01/08/2027
First Course End Date	02/22/2027
Second Course Start Date	02/23/2027
Last Day to Withdraw from Course B	03/22/2027
Second Course End Date	04/12/2027
Semester Ends	04/12/2027

Revision Date: 12/01/25. Degree Plans are subject to change.