



Approved DNP Practice Experience Categories by Course

I. Course – NUR702

Description of Course Outcome	Description of Category	DNP Essential	DNP Program Outcome
Problem Identification	Collaborating with experts in practice to identify a clinical problem.	I, VI	1, 2, 6
Problem Identification	Applying advanced communication skills to identify a quality improvement initiative in a health care setting.	II	7
Problem Identification	Analyzing health care data to identify gaps of care for individuals, aggregates, or populations.	VII	4
Literature Review	Engaging in scholarly inquiry to develop a PICO question.	I	2, 6
Literature Review	Engaging in scholarly inquiry to identify evidence-based practice to utilize to improve patient outcomes.	I, III	2, 3, 6
Literature Review	Collaborating with experts in practice using analytic methods to critically appraise research to determine best evidence for practice.	II, III, VI	1, 3, 7
Advanced Nursing Practice	Attending a conference to gain insight on evidence-based practice in relation to identified clinical problem.	VIII	5

II. Course – NUR704

Description of Course Outcome	Description of Category	DNP Essential	DNP Program Outcome
Project Planning [Assessments]	Employing principles of health policy to develop effective plans for a practice-level change to improve quality of care.	II	7
Project Planning [Assessments]	Employing leadership skills within interprofessional teams to analyze organizational issues.	VI	1
Project Planning [Assessments]	Evaluating a care delivery model to identify gaps of care for individuals, aggregates or populations.	VII	4
Project Planning [Assessments]	Using analytical skills to assess the relationships among practice, process, fiscal, and policy issues at an organization.	V, VIII	5, 9
Project Design	Integrating theory into practice through the development of a quality improvement project.	I	2, 6
Project Design	Applying findings generated through scholarly inquiry to design a quality improvement project.	III	3
Project Design	Designing an evaluative plan to monitor outcomes of a quality improvement project through the use of health care information systems.	III, IV	3, 8
Advanced Nursing Practice	Attending a conference in relation to identified clinical problem to gain insight on how to inform practice decisions and support the understanding of patient care consequences.	VIII	5

II. Course – NUR799

Description of Course Outcome	Description of Category	DNP Essential	DNP Program Outcome
Project Implementation	Functioning as a practice specialist through the implementation of a quality improvement project.	III	3
Project Implementation	Applying advanced communication skills to lead a quality improvement initiative in a health care setting.	II	7
Project Implementation	Providing leadership to influence health policy within the health care system through demonstrating evidence based practice.	V	9
Project Implementation	Mentoring health care professionals to enhance patient outcomes through the use of evidence based practice.	VIII	5
Project Implementation	Educating health care professionals regarding the transitioning to evidence based practice.	VIII	5
Project Evaluation	Demonstrating advanced levels of clinical judgement through the evaluation of evidence-based initiatives to improve patient outcomes.	IV, VIII	5, 8
Project Dissemination	Providing leadership to influence health policy within the health care system through the dissemination of findings from quality improvement project.	V	9
Project Dissemination	Functioning as a practice specialist through the dissemination of findings from quality improvement project.	III	3
Advanced Nursing Practice	Attending a conference to disseminate findings from quality improvement project to facilitate optimal care and patient outcomes across diverse settings.	VIII	5