

VILLANOVA UNIVERSITY
M. LOUISE FITZPATRICK COLLEGE OF NURSING
POST-MASTER'S DNP PLAN OF STUDY

POST-MASTER'S DNP PLAN OF STUDY FULL-TIME OPTION 2024-2025					POST-MASTER'S DNP PLAN OF STUDY PART-TIME OPTION 2024-2026					POST-MASTER'S DNP PLAN OF STUDY FLEX OPTION 2024-2027				
COHORT 13 32 Credits, 5 consecutive semesters					COHORT 13 32 Credits, 8 consecutive semesters					COHORT 13 32 Credits, 11 consecutive semesters				
Semester		Course	Practice Hours	Credits	Semester		Course	Practice Hours	Credits	Semester		Course	Practice Hours	Credits
Summer 2024		NUR 9405		1	Summer 2024		NUR 9405		1	Summer 2024		NUR 9405		1
		Tu NUR 9408	20	3										
<i>Students meet for full days Monday-Thursday, June 3-6, 2024.</i>					<i>Students meet for full days Monday-Thursday, June 3-6, 2024.</i>					<i>Students meet for full days Monday-Thursday, June 3-6, 2024.</i>				
Fall 2024		Th NUR 9411	20	3	Fall 2024		Th NUR 9411	20	3	Fall 2024		Th NUR 9411	20	3
		Th NUR 9407	20	3			Th NUR 9407	20	3					
		Tu NUR 9401	100	2										
<i>Students meet on-campus all day on Thursday, Sept. 12, 2024.</i>														
Spring 2025		Th NUR 9406	20	3	Spring 2025		Th NUR 9406	20	3	Spring 2025		Th NUR 9406	20	3
		Th NUR 9410	20	3			Th NUR 9410	20	3					
		Tu NUR 9402	80	2										
<i>Students meet on-campus all day on Thursday, Jan. 23, 2025.</i>														
Summer 2025		Th NUR 9409	20	3	Summer 2025		Th NUR 9409	20	3	Summer 2025		Th NUR 9409	20	3
		Th NUR 9412	20	3			Tu NUR 9408	20	3					
		Tu NUR 9403	100	2										
<i>Students meet on-campus, Tuesday-Thursday, June 3-5, 2025.</i>					<i>Students meet on-campus, Tuesday-Thursday, June 3-5, 2025.</i>					<i>Students meet on-campus, Tuesday-Thursday, June 3-5, 2025.</i>				
Fall 2025		Tu NUR 9413		3	*Fall 2025		Tu NUR 9401	100	2	*Fall 2025		Tu NUR 9413		3
		Th NUR 9404	80	1										
<i>Students meet on-campus Thursday, Oct. 16, 2025 and on-campus Tuesday, Dec. 9, 2025 for final presentations.</i>					<i>Students meet on-campus all day on Thursday, Sept. 11, 2025.</i>									
COURSES														
NUR 9405 Innovation in Health Care NUR 9406 Transformational Leadership NUR 9407 Quality Improvement and Patient Safety NUR 9408 Evidence-Based Practice NUR 9409 Health Policy NUR 9410 Health Care Economics and Finance NUR 9411 Epidemiological Approaches to Health Care and Health Disparities NUR 9412 Ethical and Legal Health Care Issues NUR 9413 Special Topics NUR 9401 DNP Project Seminar I NUR 9402 DNP Project Seminar II NUR 9403 DNP Project Seminar III NUR 9404 DNP Project Seminar IV					*Spring 2026 Tu NUR 9402 80 2 <i>Students meet on-campus all day on Thursday, Jan. 8, 2026.</i>					*Spring 2026 Th NUR 9410 20 3				
					*Summer 2026 Tu NUR 9403 100 2 Th NUR 9412 20 3 <i>Students meet on-campus Tuesday-Thursday, June 2-4, 2026.</i>					*Summer 2026 Tu NUR 9408 20 3 Th NUR 9412 20 3 <i>Students meet on-campus Tuesday-Thursday, June 2-4, 2026.</i>				
					*Fall 2026 Tu NUR 9413 3 Th NUR 9404 80 1 <i>Students meet on-campus Thursday, October 8, 2026 and Tuesday, Dec. 15, 2026.</i>					*Fall 2026 Th NUR 9407 20 3 Tu NUR 9401 100 2 <i>Students meet on-campus Thursday, Sept. 10, 2026.</i>				
<div style="display: flex; gap: 10px;"> <div style="width: 15px; height: 15px; background-color: #D8BFD8; border: 1px solid black;"></div> <i>Class is offered over the entire semester</i> <div style="width: 15px; height: 15px; background-color: #FFDAB9; border: 1px solid black;"></div> <i>Class is offered the first half of the semester</i> <div style="width: 15px; height: 15px; background-color: #FFD700; border: 1px solid black;"></div> <i>Class is offered the second half of the semester</i> </div>														
<i>Last Update: 6/8/2023 COHORT 13</i>					<i>* Dates are subject to change.</i>									
										*Spring 2027 Tu NUR 9402 80 2 <i>Students meet on-campus all day on Thursday, Jan. 14, 2027.</i>				
										*Summer 2027 Tu NUR 9403 100 2 <i>Students meet on-campus Tuesday-Thursday, June 1-3, 2027.</i>				
										*Fall 2027 Th NUR 9404 80 1 <i>Students meet on-campus Thursday, Oct. 7, 2027 and on-campus Tuesday, Dec. 14, 2027.</i>				

Students enrolled part-time or less than part-time should consult with financial aid to determine if they are eligible for financial aid.

All on-line courses are synchronous and offered either on Tuesday or Thursday evenings from 6:30-8:30 p.m. EST or 7:00-9:00 p.m. EST depending on the course