

Point Loma Nazarene University School of Nursing
MSN Course Progression
2011-2012

RN Entry (These courses must be completed before moving on to the 600 courses)								
FALL SEMESTER		SPRING SEMESTER		SUMMER SEMESTER				
	___GNSG501	Writing/Research Inquiry Process (Quad I)	3	___GNSG546	RN to MSN Transition II (Quad I)	4		
	___GNSG545	RN to MSN Transition (Quad II)	4					
			Total Units 7			Total Units 4		
BSN Entry								
FALL SEMESTER		SPRING SEMESTER		SUMMER SEMESTER				
___GNSG601	Theoretical Foundations and Research	4	___GNSG605	Advanced Health Assessment	2	___GED670	Advanced Educational Psych.	3
___GNSG602	Teaching Faithfully	2	___GNSG605L	Advanced Health Assessment Practicum	2	___GED672	Philosophy of Education	3
			80 Clinical Hours					
			___GNSG606	Advanced Pathophysiology	3	___BUS687	Healthcare Financial Mgmt.	3
			___GNSG604a	Project/Thesis (Prerequisite: GNSG601)	1	___BUS688	Healthcare Operations Mgmt. (Choose at least one GED course and one additional 3 unit course)	3
			Total Units 8		___GNSG604b	Project/Thesis	1	Total Units 7
FALL SEMESTER		SPRING SEMESTER		SUMMER SEMESTER				
___GNSG608	Development of Educational Programs (Prerequisite: GNSG602)	3	___GNSG607	Advanced Pharmacology	3	Nursing Education		
___GNSG608L	Nursing Education Role Practicum	2	___GNSG61*	Capstone Nursing Specialty Seminar (Prerequisite: GNSG608/608L)	2	___GNSG61*L	Clinical Nursing Practicum	1
			80 Clinical Hours					
___GNSG603	Healthcare Issues, Ethics, and Politics	2	___GNSG61*L	Clinical Nursing Practicum	3	___GNSG604ef	Project Thesis	2
___GNSG604c	Project/Thesis	1	___GNSG604d	Project/Thesis	1	Total Units 3		
			Total Units 9		280 Total Clinical Hours			
						Clinical Nurse Specialist		
						___GNSG61*L	Clinical Nursing Practicum	3
						120 Clinical Hours		
						___GNSG604ef	Project/Thesis	2
						Total Units 5		
						400 Total Clinical Hours		
						500 hours needed for both CA and National Certification		
TOTAL UNITS RN Entry						52		
TOTAL UNITS RN Entry with CNS						54		
TOTAL UNITS BSN Entry						41		
TOTAL UNITS BSN Entry with CNS						43		

*Choose your clinical specialty from one of 4 areas: 610—Mental Health 611—Medical/Surgical 612—Gerontology 613—Family Health