

BSN-DNP Neonatal Clinical Nurse Specialist Pathway Full-Time Degree Plan

	SCH/ CLIN PRAC HRS	Fall 1	SCH/ CLIN PRAC HRS	Spring 1	SCH/ CLIN PRAC HRS
		NURS 8003 Background & Scientific Underpinning for Advanced Practice	3	NURS 8423 Evidence-Based Practice and Scholarship in Nursing	3
		PATH 5503 Principles of Pathophysiology	3	NURS 7414 Pathophysiology for Neonatal APRNs	4
		NURS 8123 Informational Systems & Technology for Healthcare Transformation	3	NURS 8313 Economics and Finance in Healthcare for Advanced Practice Nurses	3
		BSE 5163 Biostatistical Methods	3	NURS 7423 Pharmacology for Neonatal APRNs	3
		Credit Hours	12	Credit Hours	13
Summer 1		Fall 2	SCH/Clinical Hours	Spring 2	SCH/Clinical Hours
				BSE 5113 Principles of Epidemiology	3
NURS 8333 Healthcare Quality for Improved Outcomes	3	NURS 8113 Research Methods	3	NURS 7173 Neonatal Concepts I	3
		NURS 7413 Advanced Neonatal Physical Assessment & Diagnostic Reasoning (64 clinical hrs)	3 SCH/64		
NURS 8443 Organizational and Systems Leadership in Nursing	3	NURS 7103 Systems Management for the CNS	3/106	NURS 7163 Adv Neonatal CNS Practicum I (192 clinical hrs)	3/192
		NURS 6233 Scientific Writing For Publication	3	NURS 8730 Practice Inquiry I (1 SCH) (64 Practicum Hours)	1/64
	6	Credit Hours	12/170	Credit Hours	10/192
Summer 2		Fall 3	SCH/Clinical Hours/Pract	Spring 3	SCH/Clinical Hours

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NURS 8712 Roles, Innovations and Opportunities of the DNP	2	NURS 8740 Practice Inquiry II (2 SCH) (128 Practicum Hours)	2/128	NURS 8800 Practice Inquiry III 2 SCH (128 Practicum Hours)	2/128
NURS 7353 Advanced Concepts in Quality and Safety	3/32	NURS 7193 Neonatal Concepts II	3	NURS 7363 Neonatal APRN Synthesis (128 clinical hours) 1 credit didactic/2 clinical	3/128
		NURS 7183 Adv Neonatal CNS Practicum II (192 clinical hrs)	3/192		
				NURS 8323 Health Policy Local to Global	3
Credit Hours	5	Credit Hours	8/192	Credit Hours	8/128
Total Credit Hours	74				
CNS Clinical Hours	714				
DNP Practicum Hours	320				
Total Clinical/Pract Hours	1034				