



# MASTER'S ENTRY TO NURSING PRACTICE (MENP)

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**Update (9.20.17)--all pre-reqs must now have labs: two human anatomy/physiology courses plus one in inorganic chemistry plus one in either organic chemistry, biochemistry, or microbiology.**

## REQUIRED COURSES:

N301 Art & Science of Nursing I  
N302 Art & Science of Nursing II  
N303 Art & Science of Nursing III  
N307 Art & Science of Nursing IV:  
Psychiatric Mental Health  
N322 Basic Pathophysiology &  
Pharmacology  
N332 Health Assessment  
N400 Nursing Theories  
N401 Nursing Research I  
N422 Applied Pathophysiology  
N426 Pharmacology II  
N431 Health Promotion for Families &  
Communities  
N440 Maternal Health Nursing  
N441 Infant, Child & Adolescent Nursing  
N442 Community Health Nursing  
N443 Clinical Immersion/Internship  
N445 Nursing Professionalism, Advocacy &  
Leadership  
N460 Advanced Health Assessment  
N472 Critical Care Nursing  
N481 Biostatistics & Applied Epidemiology  
N540 Culture, Ethics & Policy Analysis  
N598 Graduate Research Synthesis

Designed for the college graduate who wants to become a registered nurse, the Master's Entry to Nursing Practice (MENP) program provides the advanced education for general professional nursing practice and eligibility for the RN licensure examination (NCLEX-RN).

The program encourages students to analyze nursing concepts, theories and research to design, implement, and evaluate family-centered and community-based models of professional nursing. Students learn to assume a leadership role within the health team and the profession for safe, effective and affordable health care. Graduates will be able to analyze professional codes and standards as a basis for professional nursing practice and service to a multicultural society.

## TARGET AUDIENCES:

College graduates seeking a career change to nursing.

## ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS:

- Bachelor's degree from a regionally accredited college or university and previous grade point average of 3.0 or higher (on a 4.0 scale)
- ~~Completion of the following prerequisite courses: two courses of human anatomy/physiology with lab and two courses of chemistry (inorganic and organic) with lab or equivalent.~~ Prerequisites must have been completed within the last 10 years with a grade of "C" or better.
- Official GRE scores if undergraduate GPA is below 3.2 (cumulative) on a 4.0 scale.

## COST:

\$710 per quarter hour

## APPLICATION PROCEDURE:

Through the Office of Graduate Admission, <http://www.depaul.edu/apply/Pages/default.aspx>  
Application Deadlines:  
Fall – January 15  
Winter – June 15  
Spring – October 1  
Summer – January 15

## ACADEMIC CALENDAR:

Fall, Winter, Spring, and Summer quarters; each quarter runs 10 weeks.

## DELIVERY MODE:

The Master's Entry to Nursing Practice program is a two-year program offered via classroom courses. Students may enter during any quarter.

## LOCATION(S) OF COURSES:

Rosalind Franklin University of Medicine and Science, North Chicago campus

## TEXTBOOK PURCHASE:

DePaul campus bookstore, <http://depaul-lincolnpark.bncollege.com/>

## TRANSFER HOURS POLICY:

A maximum of three transfer courses from outside of the School of Nursing may be transferred to a School of Nursing program only with written permission of the director of the School of Nursing.

## TOTAL HOURS NEEDED:

107 quarter hours of course work  
Generic nursing courses: 75 quarter hours  
Graduate nursing core: 8 quarter hours  
Advanced practice core: 12 quarter hours  
Research core: 12 quarter hours

## FINANCIAL AID INFO:

For a full range of financial aid support, students may contact DePaul Central at (312) 362-8610 or [finaid1@depaul.edu](mailto:finaid1@depaul.edu). Online chat is also available on the website at <http://offices.depaul.edu/depaul-central/Pages/default.aspx>.