

**University of Minnesota, School of Nursing, Doctor of Nursing Practice Program  
Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner (PMHNP) Specialty: Four-Year Recommended Plan\***  
Recommended plan for students admitted fall semester 2015 or later

Year 1	Fall	CR	Spring	CR	Summer	CR
	Nurs 5222 Advanced Human Physiology+	2	Nurs 5226 Advanced Human Pathophysiology+	2	Nurs 7200 Economics of Health Care	3
	Nurs 5228 Pharmacology for Advanced Practice Nursing+	2	Nurs 6110 Epidemiology in Nursing	2	Nurs 5200 Holistic Health Assessment and Therapeutics for Advanced Practice Nurses+	3
	Nurs 7000 DNP Proseminar	1	Nurs 6200 Science of Nursing Intervention	3		
	Statistics**	3				
	Total	8	Total	7	Total	6
Year 2	Fall	CR	Spring	CR	Summer	CR
	Nurs 5115 Interprofessional Health Care Informatics	3	Nurs 7600 Nursing Research and Evidence Based Practice	4	CSpH 5101 Introduction to Integrative Healing Practices / CSpH Summer Institute+	3
	Nurs 7610 System Leadership and Innovation	3	Nurs 5229 Clinical Pharmacotherapeutics+	2	Nurs 7300 Program Evaluation	3
	Nurs 7202 Moral and Ethical Positions and Actions in Nursing	2			Nurs 7900 Scholarly Teaching and Learning in Nursing	3
	Total	8	Total	6	Total	9
Year 3	Fall	CR	Spring	CR	Summer	CR
	Nurs 6102 Family Health Theory	2	Nurs 7100 DNP Seminar I	2	Nurs 7101 DNP Seminar II	3
	Complimentary & Alternative Medicine (CAM) Elective	3	Nurs 7110 DNP Project Direction I: Planning	1	Nurs 7111 DNP Project Direction II: Implementation	1
	Nurs 6604 Foundations for Integrative Mental Health & Psychiatric Advanced Practice Nursing	2	Nurs 5225 Psychopharmacology Advanced Practice Psychiatric/Mental Health Nursing	3	Nurs 6802 PMH APN: Psychotherapy with Individuals and Families	2
	Nurs 6605 Psychiatric/Mental Health Advanced Nursing Practice Practicum I	1	Nurs 6504 Assessing, Managing Psychiatric Disorders in Advance Practice PMH Nursing	2	Nurs 6803 PMH APN Practicum III: Psychotherapy With Individuals, Families	1
			Nurs 6505 PMH/APN Practicum II: Assessing, Managing Psych Disorders in AP PMH Nursing	2		
	Total	8	Total	10	Total	7
Year 4	Fall	CR	Spring	CR	Total Summary	
	Nurs 7102 DNP Seminar III	2	Nurs 7400 Health Policy Leadership	3	<b>Clinical Hours</b> Total Credits: 82 Nurs 6605 - 1 cr: 120 hrs Nurs 6505 - 1 cr: 120 hrs Nurs 6803 - 2 cr: 240 hrs Nurs 6603 - 2 cr: 240 hrs Nurs 7613 - 2 cr: 240 hrs Total clinical hours: 960 + 160 hrs scholarly project	
	Nurs 7112 DNP Project Direction III: Evaluation	1	Nurs 7612 PMH APN: Professional Seminar	1		
	Nurs 6602 PMH APN: Group as a Health Care Intervention	2	Nurs 7613 PMH APN: Practicum V	2		
	Nurs 6603 PMH APN Practicum IV: Group as a Health Care Intervention	2				
	Total	7	Total	6		

\*Consult with your advisor every semester before registering for courses.

\*\*Recommended inferential statistics courses: EPsy 5261, PubH 6414. Other options include: EPsy 5231, Stat 5101 & 5102, and Stat 5021 (prereq Stat 3011).

+Registration required prior to or concurrent before registering for specialty/practicum courses. See course prerequisites.