

# NURSING, PHD

## REQUIREMENTS

### MINIMUM GRADUATE SCHOOL REQUIREMENTS

Review the Graduate School minimum degree requirements (<https://guide.wisc.edu/graduate/#requirements>) and policies (<https://guide.wisc.edu/graduate/#policies>), in addition to the program requirements listed below.

### MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

#### MODE OF INSTRUCTION

Face to Face	Evening/ Weekend	Online	Hybrid	Accelerated
Yes	No	No	No	No

#### Mode of Instruction Definitions

**Accelerated:** Accelerated programs are offered at a fast pace that condenses the time to completion. Students typically take enough credits aimed at completing the program in a year or two.

**Evening/Weekend:** Courses meet on the UW–Madison campus only in evenings and/or on weekends to accommodate typical business schedules. Students have the advantages of face-to-face courses with the flexibility to keep work and other life commitments.

**Face-to-Face:** Courses typically meet during weekdays on the UW–Madison Campus.

**Hybrid:** These programs combine face-to-face and online learning formats. Contact the program for more specific information.

**Online:** These programs are offered 100% online. Some programs may require an on-campus orientation or residency experience, but the courses will be facilitated in an online format.

### CURRICULAR REQUIREMENTS

#### Requirement Detail

Minimum Credit Requirement 58 credits

Minimum Residence Credit Requirement 32 credits

Minimum Graduate Coursework Requirement 29 credits must be graduate-level coursework. Refer to the Graduate School: Minimum Graduate Coursework Requirement (50%) Requirement policy: <https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1244> (<https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1244/>).

Overall Graduate GPA Requirement 3.00 GPA required. Refer to the Graduate School: Grade Point Average (GPA) Requirement policy: <https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1203> (<https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1203/>).

Other Grade Requirements A student may not receive more than one grade below a B (or a U grade) in any 12 month period.

Assessments and Examinations To be eligible for the comprehensive candidacy examination, candidates must have completed all formal coursework requirements.

Language Requirements No language requirements.

Graduate School Breadth Requirement All doctoral students are required to complete a doctoral minor or graduate/professional certificate. Refer to the Graduate School: Breadth Requirement in Doctoral Training policy: <https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1200> (<https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1200/>).

### REQUIRED COURSES

Code	Title	Credits
<b>Core</b>		
NURSING 703	Health Care and Public Policy	3
NURSING/ MEDICINE/ POP HLTH 705	Seminar in Interdisciplinary Clinical Research Evidence	2
NURSING 706	Nursing Research	3
NURSING 800	Health Equity in Nursing and Health Research	2
NURSING 801	Theory in Nursing Research	2
NURSING 802	Ethics and the Responsible Conduct of Research	1
NURSING 803	Quantitative Design and Methods	4
NURSING 804	Qualitative Design and Methods	3
NURSING 815	Knowledge Development in Nursing	3
<i>Proseminar</i>		
	Students complete the following course four times, over the first four semesters of the first two years of the program (each for 1 credit).	4
NURSING 816	Proseminar in Nursing Research	
<b>Advanced Methods/Statistics</b>		
	Students complete 6 credits in consultation with their advisor from the options below:	6
ED PSYCH 760 & ED PSYCH 761	Statistical Methods Applied to Education I and Statistical Methods Applied to Education II	
ED PSYCH 762	Introduction to the Design of Educational Experiments	
ED PSYCH 763	Regression Models in Education	
ED PSYCH/ ELPA 822	Introduction to Quantitative Inquiry in Education	
ED PSYCH 946	Advanced Assessment and Intervention Techniques	
ED PSYCH 964	Hierarchical Linear Modeling	
B M I/STAT 541	Introduction to Biostatistics	
B M I/STAT 542	Introduction to Clinical Trials I	
B M I 544	Introduction to Clinical and Healthcare Research II	
B M I/STAT 641	Statistical Methods for Clinical Trials	
B M I/STAT 642	Statistical Methods for Epidemiology	
POP HLTH/ B M I 551	Introduction to Biostatistics for Population Health	

POP HLTH/ B M I 552	Regression Methods for Population Health	
POP HLTH/ B M I 651	Advanced Regression Methods for Population Health	
STAT 601	Statistical Methods I	
STAT 849	Advanced Statistical Methods	
STAT 850		
<b>Electives in Nursing Science</b>		
Students complete 6 credits in consultation with their advisor from the options below:		6
NURSING 590	Contemporary Practices in Nursing	
NURSING 785	Foundations of Curriculum Development and Evaluation for Healthcare Professions	
NURSING 786	Teaching and Learning Strategies for the Classroom and Online Environments in Healthcare Professions	
NURSING 787	Teaching and Learning in Healthcare Professions Practicum	
NURSING 805	Measurement in Health Research	
NURSING 818	Patient-centered Research	
NURSING 819	Clinical Field Practicum - Research in Health Care Settings	
NURSING 847	Health Policy Practicum	
ED PSYCH/ HDFS/NURSING/ SOC WORK 880	Prevention Science	
<b>Breadth</b>		<b>9</b>
<b>Guided Research</b>		
Students complete guided research, including independent study. Students are expected to take at least 1 credit of Independent Study and participate in their faculty mentor's research group (or another research group agreed upon with the mentor) each semester.		10
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>58</b>