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DEPARTMENT: NURSING	COLLEGE: CHRISTINE E. LYNN COLLEGE OF NURSING
PROGRAM CHANGE: MASTERS PROGRAM CHANGE	CURRENT COURSE TITLE: MASTERS PROGRAM CHANGE
CHANGE(S) ARE TO BE EFFECTIVE (LIST TERM): SPRING 2012	_____ TERMINATE COURSE (LIST FINAL ACTIVE TERM):
<p>CHANGE IN CURRICULUM PLAN FOR MASTER OF SCIENCE WITH MAJOR IN NURSING TRACKS:</p> <p>ADD a Direct Care Core for all Master's Tracks with the exception of Administrative and Financial Leadership in Nursing and Health Care track.</p> <p>The Direct Care Core includes the following courses:*</p> <p>NGR6002: Advanced Nursing Situation: Health Assessment NGR6002L: Advanced Nursing Situation in Practice: Health Assessment NGR6141: Advanced Pathophysiology NGR6172: Advance Pharmacotherapeutics</p> <p>RATIONALE: THE NEW CCNE ESSENTIALS REQUIRES THE FOLLOWING COURSES BE REFLECTED IN ALL DIRECT CARE MASTER PROGRAMS</p> <p>*See attached Direct Care Core outline</p>	<p>CURRENT CATALOG: (SEE ATTACHED)</p> <p>Curriculum Plans for Master of Science with Major in Nursing Tracks</p> <p>Administrative and Financial Leadership in Nursing and Health Care: no Change</p> <p>No Change in Credits just a Title Change from Cognates to Direct Care Core for the following Tracks:</p> <p>Adult Nurse Practitioner (43 credits): Advanced Holistic Nursing (33-36 credits): Clinical Nurse Leader (33 credits): Family Nurse Practitioner (43 credits): Gerontological Nurse Practitioner (43 credits)</p> <p>Add The Direct Care Core courses to the following Tracks:</p> <p>Nursing Educator (30 credits minimum) Changes credits to 39 hours (see additional changes to Nurse Educator Track)</p> <p>Individualized Track (30 credits minimum) May Change Credits to 39 hours if Track Reflects a Direct Care Core Area</p>
Attach syllabus for ANY changes to current course information.	
Should the requested change(s) cause this course to overlap any other FAU courses, please list them here.	Departments and/or colleges that might be affected by the change(s) must be consulted and listed here. Please attach comments from each.
None	None, course taught within the College of Nursing

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<p>Approved by:</p> <p>Department Chair: <u>NA</u></p> <p>College Curriculum Chair: <u>Beth King</u></p> <p>College Dean: <u>Sheryl Davis</u></p> <p>UGPC Chair: <u>Jebitah Hays</u></p> <p>Graduate College Dean: <u>Erny T. Thom</u></p>	<p>Date:</p> <p><u>10/31/11</u></p> <p><u>10/31/11</u></p> <p><u>11-30-11</u></p> <p><u>11-30-11</u></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">ATTACHMENT CHECKLIST</p> <p>♦ Syllabus (see guidelines for requirements: http://www.fau.edu/graduate/facultyandstaff/programscommittee/index.php)</p> <p>♦ Written consent from all departments affected by changes</p>
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Recommended Change: For all Direct Care Master's Tracks

Direct Care Core (9 credits)		
Advanced Nursing Situations: Health Assessment	NGR 6002	2
Advanced Nursing Situations in Practice: Health Assessment*	NGR 6002L	1
Advanced Pathophysiology	NGR 6141	3
Advanced Pharmacotherapeutics	NGR 6172	3

Curriculum Plans for Master of Science with Major in Nursing Tracks (Current Catalog listing by Track)

Administrative and Financial Leadership in Nursing and Health Care (39 credits)

Graduate Core Courses (12 credits)		
Advanced Nursing Practice Grounded in Caring	NGR 6110	3
Philosophical and Theoretical Foundations of Nursing	NGR 6811	3
Nursing Research and Evidence-Based Practice	NGR 6812	3
Advanced Nursing Practice: Roles, Policy and Finance	NGR 6891	3
Cognate Courses (9 credits)		
Financial/Accounting Concepts*	ACG 6027	3
Human Resources Management*	MAN 6156	3
Business Elective		3
Concentration Courses (18 credits)		
Financial Administration of Nursing Systems	NGR 6722	3
Advanced Nursing Administration Practicum 1**	NGR 6723L	2
Advanced Nursing Administration Practicum 2	NGR 6724L	4
Leadership in Nursing Administration	NGR 6725	3
Advanced Nursing Situations: Influencing Health Care Policy Through Nursing Systems	NGR 6892	3
Nursing Informatics	NGR 6871	3

*Offered in the College of Business.

**May not be required for all students.

Note: Complete background check required.

Adult Nurse Practitioner (43 credits)

Graduate Core Courses (12 credits)		
Advanced Nursing Practice Grounded in Caring	NGR 6110	3
Philosophical and Theoretical Foundations of Nursing	NGR 6811	3
Nursing Research and Evidence-Based Practice	NGR 6812	3
Advanced Nursing Practice: Roles, Policy and Finance	NGR 6891	3
Cognate Courses (12 credits)		
Advanced Nursing Situations: Health Assessment	NGR 6002	2
Advanced Nursing Situations in Practice: Health Assessment*	NGR 6002L	1

Advanced Pathophysiology	NGR 6141	3
Advanced Pharmacotherapeutics	NGR 6172	3
Perspectives of Aging	NGR 6251	3
Concentration Courses (19 credits)		
Advanced Nursing Situations: Foundations of Primary Care	NGR 6200	3
Advanced Nursing Situations in Practice: Foundations of Primary Care**	NGR 6200L	3
Advanced Nursing Situations: Care of Adults with Complex, Specialized Health Needs	NGR 6233	3
Advanced Nursing Situations in Practice: Care of Adults with Complex, Specialized Health Needs	NGR 6233L	4
Advanced Nursing Situations: Comprehensive Primary Care	NGR 6605	3
Advanced Nursing Situations in Practice: Comprehensive Primary Care***	NGR 6605L	3

* Requires 60 hours of clinical experience in skills lab and in community.

** Requires 180 hours of clinical practical experience.

*** Requires 240 hours of clinical practical experience.

Note: Complete background check required.

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Advanced Holistic Nursing (33-36 credits)

Graduate Core Courses (12 credits)		
Advanced Nursing Practice Grounded in Caring	NGR 6110	3
Philosophical and Theoretical Foundations of Nursing	NGR 6811	3
Nursing Research and Evidence-Based Practice	NGR 6812	3
Advanced Nursing Practice: Roles, Policy and Finance	NGR 6891	3
Cognate Courses (9 credits)		
Advanced Nursing Situations: Health Assessment	NGR 6002	2
Advanced Nursing Situations in Practice: Health Assessment*	NGR 6002L	1
Advanced Pathophysiology	NGR 6141	3
Advanced Pharmacotherapeutics	NGR 6172	3
Concentration Courses (12-15 credits)		
Advanced Nursing Situations: Foundations of Holistic Nursing 1	NGR 6168	3
Advanced Nursing Situations: Foundations of Holistic Nursing 2	NGR 6169	3
Advanced Nursing Situations: Experiential Survey of Holistic Modalities**	NGR 6295L	3
Advanced Holistic Nursing: Developing Expertise in Holistic Healing Modalities***	NGR 6296L	3
Advanced Nursing Situations: Integrating Expertise in Holistic Practice***	NGR 6297L	3

* Requires 60 hours of clinical experience in skills lab and in community.

** May be waived with appropriate documentation of experience/education in complementary and alternative modalities.

*** Requires 180 hours of clinical practical experience.

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Clinical Nurse Leader (33 credits)

Graduate Core Courses (9 credits)		
Advanced Nursing Practice Grounded in Caring	NGR 6110	3
Philosophical and Theoretical Foundations of Nursing	NGR 6811	3
Nursing Research and Evidence-Based Practice	NGR 6812	3
Cognate Courses (12 credits)		
Advanced Pathophysiology	NGR 6141	3
Advanced Pharmacotherapeutics	NGR 6172	3
Advanced Nursing Situations: Health Assessment	NGR 6002	2
Advanced Nursing Situations in Practice: Health Assessment*	NGR 6002L	1
Introduction to Health Care Systems**	HSA 6103 or	
Advanced Nursing Situations: Health Care Delivery Systems and Nursing	NGR 6893	3
Concentration Courses (12 credits)		
Nursing Informatics	NGR 6871	3
Advanced Nursing Situations: Introduction to the CNL Role	NGR 6770	3
Advanced Nursing Situations: Perspectives in CNL	NGR 6771	3
Advanced Nursing Situations: CNL Practicum Seminar***	NGR 6773	3

* Requires 60 hours of clinical experience in skills lab and in community.

** This course is offered in the College of Business.

*** This course includes a 400-hour paid practicum at a clinical partner site.

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Family Nurse Practitioner (43 credits)

Graduate Core Courses (12 credits)		
Advanced Nursing Practice Grounded in Caring	NGR 6110	3
Philosophical and Theoretical Foundations of Nursing	NGR 6811	3
Nursing Research and Evidence-Based Practice	NGR 6812	3
Advanced Nursing Practice: Roles, Policy and Finance	NGR 6891	3
Cognate Courses (12 credits)		
Advanced Nursing Situations: Health Assessment	NGR 6002	2
Advanced Nursing Situations in Practice: Health Assessment*	NGR 6002L	1
Advanced Pathophysiology	NGR 6141	3
Advanced Pharmacotherapeutics	NGR 6172	3
Advanced Nursing Situations: Care of the Family Across the Lifespan	NGR 6611	3
Concentration Courses (19 credits)		
Advanced Nursing Situations: Foundations of Primary Care	NGR 6200	3
Advanced Nursing Situations in Practice: Foundations of Primary Care**	NGR 6200L	3
Advanced Nursing Situations: Care of the Childbearing/Childrearing Family	NGR 6634	3
Advanced Nursing Situations in Practice: Care of the Childbearing/Childrearing Family**	NGR 6634L	4

Advanced Nursing Situations: Comprehensive Primary Care	NGR 6605	3
Advanced Nursing Situations in Practice: Comprehensive Primary Care***	NGR 6605L	3

* Requires 60 hours of clinical experience in skills lab and in community.

** Requires 180 hours of clinical practical experience.

*** Requires 240 hours of clinical practical experience.

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Gerontological Nurse Practitioner (43 credits)

Graduate Core Courses (12 credits)		
Advanced Nursing Practice Grounded in Caring	NGR 6110	3
Philosophical and Theoretical Foundations of Nursing	NGR 6811	3
Nursing Research and Evidence-Based Practice	NGR 6812	3
Advanced Nursing Practice: Roles, Policy and Finance	NGR 6891	3
Cognate Courses (12 credits)		
Advanced Nursing Situations: Health Assessment	NGR 6002	2
Advanced Nursing Situations in Practice: Health Assessment*	NGR 6002L	1
Advanced Pathophysiology	NGR 6141	3
Advanced Pharmacotherapeutics	NGR 6172	3
Perspectives on Aging	NGR 6251	3
Concentration Courses (19 credits)		
Advanced Nursing Situations: Foundations of Primary Care	NGR 6200	3
Advanced Nursing Situations in Practice: Foundations of Primary Care**	NGR 6200L	3
Advanced Nursing Situations: Care of Older Adults with Complex, Specialized Health Needs	NGR 6252	3
Advanced Nursing Situations in Practice: Care of Older Adults with Complex, Specialized Health Needs***	NGR 6252L	4
Advanced Nursing Situations: Comprehensive Primary Care	NGR 6605	3
Advanced Nursing Situations in Practice: Comprehensive Primary Care**	NGR 6605L	3

* Requires 60 hours of clinical experience in skills lab and in community.

** Requires 180 hours of clinical practical experience.

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Individualized Track (30 credits minimum)

Core Courses (12 credits)		
Advanced Nursing Practice Grounded in Caring	NGR 6110	3
Philosophical and Theoretical Foundations of Nursing	NGR 6811	3
Nursing Research and Evidence-Based Practice	NGR 6812	3

Advanced Nursing Practice: Roles, Policy and Finance	NGR 6891	3
Cognate Courses (8-10 credits), minimum		
Cognate courses will be determined by the plan of study.		
Concentration Courses (10 - 12 credits, minimum)		
Concentration courses will be planned, which may or may not include practicum experiences.		

Note: Complete background check required.

Nursing Educator (30 credits minimum)

Core Courses (12 credits)		
Advanced Nursing Practice Grounded in Caring	NGR 6110	3
Philosophical and Theoretical Foundations of Nursing	NGR 6811	3
Nursing Research and Evidence-Based Practice	NGR 6812	3
Advanced Nursing Practice: Roles, Policy and Finance	NGR 6891	3
Concentration Courses (12 credits)		
Creative Teaching - Learning Methods in Nursing Education	NGR 6711	3
Curriculum Evolution and Models in Nursing Education	NGR 6713	3
Evaluation in Nursing Education	NGR 6718	3
Advanced Nursing Education Practicum: Classroom Setting*	NGR 6940	1
Advanced Nursing Education Practicum: Online Setting*	NGR 6946	1
Advanced Nursing Education Practicum: Practice Setting*	NGR 6947	1
Cognate Courses (6 credits)		
Cognate courses are to be determined with an advisor.		

* Requires 120 hours of practicum experience.

Note:

Total of 360 practicum hours of supervised instruction.
Complete background check required.