

# MASTER'S ENTRY TO NURSING PRACTICE



## ONLINE & IN PERSON

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 AUDIENCE:

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)
- Prerequisite courses with labs: two human anatomy/physiology courses plus one in inorganic chemistry, plus one in either organic chemistry, biochemistry, or microbiology.
- Pre-reqs must be completed within 7 years with a grade of "C" or better. Preference given to students with grades of "A" or "B". Online courses with labs accepted.
- GRE is not required but may be submitted to strengthen application

### COST:

\$765 per credit hour

### APPLICATION PROCEDURE:

Through the Office of Graduate Admission, [www.depaul.ed.apply/Pages/default.asp](http://www.depaul.ed.apply/Pages/default.asp)

### 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 for 10 weeks.

### DELIVERY MODE:

In-Person and online.

### LOCATION(S) OF COURSES:

In-person at Rosalind Franklin University

### TEXTBOOK PURCHASE:

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

### TRANSFER HOURS POLICY:

A maximum of three transfer courses 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 hrs.  
 Graduate nursing core: 8 quarter hrs.  
 Advanced practice core: 12 quarter hrs.  
 Research core: 12 quarter hrs.

### FINANCIAL AID INFO:

DePaul Central at (312) 362-8610 or [finaid1@depaul.edu](mailto:finaid1@depaul.edu). Online chat is available at <http://offices.depaul.edu>.

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### 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  
 N434 Community Engagement Seminar I  
 N435 Community Engagement Seminar II  
 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