

**Villanova University**  
**Fitzpatrick College of Nursing**  
**PhD Progression Plan - For Cohorts starting on or after May 2020**

FULL-TIME

PART-TIME

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<b>Summer 1</b>	NUR 9520 Advocacy, Policy & Ethics in Healthcare (3 cr.)	NUR 9520 Advocacy, Policy & Ethics in Healthcare (3cr.)
	<b>3 credits</b>	<b>3 credits</b>
<b>Fall 1</b>	NUR 9515 Conceptual & Theoretical Foundations in Nursing Science (4 cr.)	NUR 9515 Conceptual & Theoretical Foundations in Nursing Science (4 cr.)
	NUR 9511 Dissertation Seminar I (1 cr.)	NUR 9511 Dissertation Seminar I (1 cr.)
	NUR 9505 Statistical Analysis 1 (3 cr.)	NUR 9505 Statistical Analysis 1 (3 cr.)
	<b>8 credits</b>	<b>8 credits</b>
<b>Spring 1</b>	NUR 9512 Dissertation Seminar II (1 cr.)	NUR 9512 Dissertation Seminar II (1 cr.)
	NUR 9516 Psychometrics & Measurement (2 cr.)	
	NUR 9503 Quantitative Research Methods (3 cr.)	NUR 9503 Quantitative Research Methods (3 cr.)
	NUR 9506 Statistical Analysis II (3 cr.)	NUR 9506 Statistical Analysis II (3 cr.)
	<b>9 credits</b>	<b>7 credits</b>
<b>Summer 2</b>	NUR 9517 Structure & Philosophy of Higher Education (3 cr.)	NUR 9517 Structure & Philosophy of Higher Education (3 cr.)
	NUR 9504 Qualitative Research Methods (3 cr.)	NUR 9504 Qualitative Research Methods (3 cr.)
	<b>6 credits</b>	<b>6 credits</b>
	<b>PhD Preliminary Examination Fall 2</b>	<b>PhD Preliminary Examination Fall 2</b>
<b>Fall 2</b>	NUR 9513 Dissertation Seminar III (1 cr.)	NUR 9513 Dissertation Seminar III (1 cr.)
	NUR 9518 Scientific Writing & Grantsmanship (2 cr.)	NUR 9518 Scientific Writing & Grantsmanship (2 cr.)
	NUR 8952 Teaching Strategies In Higher Educ (3 cr.)	NUR 8952 Teaching Strategies In Higher Educ (3 cr.)
	NUR 8950 Curriculum Design in Nursing Educ (3 cr.)	
	<b>9 credits</b>	<b>6 credits</b>
<b>Spring 2</b>	NUR 9519 Contemporary Research Design & Statistical Analyses (3 cr.)	NUR 9519 Contemporary Research Design & Statistical Analyses (3 cr.)
	NUR 8954 Teaching Practicum (3 cr.)	NUR 9516 Psychometrics and Measurement (2 cr.)
	Cognate (3 cr.)	Cognate (3 cr.)
	<b>9 Credits</b>	<b>8 Credits</b>
<b>Summer 3</b>	NUR 9521 Dissertation Seminar IV (2 cr.)	NUR 9521 Dissertation Seminar IV (2 cr.)
	<b>2 credits</b>	<b>2 credits</b>
<b>Fall 3</b>	NUR 9508 Dissertation Continuation:	NUR 8950 Curriculum Design in Nursing Educ (3 cr.)
	• Nursing Synthesis Paper	NUR 8954 Teaching Practicum (3 cr.)
	• Oral Candidacy Exam	
		<b>6 credits</b>
<b>Spring 3</b>	NUR 9508 Dissertation Continuation	NUR 9508 Dissertation Continuation:
		• Nursing Synthesis Paper
		• Oral Candidacy Exam
<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>	<b>46 credits</b>	<b>46 credits</b>

\*\*All coursework including cognate must be completed prior to enrolling in NUR 9508 - Dissertation Continuation | Approved 5.19 MAC/rn 6.24.2020