I. Admission Requirements
1. Baccalaureate degree in nursing from an accredited ACEN.
2. Undergraduate grade point average of at least 3.0 on a 4.0 scale. When GPA is below this, probational acceptance may be considered if the candidate demonstrates graduate study potential by other means.
3. Satisfactory completion of an undergraduate statistics course (equivalent to MATH 130) and a research course in nursing.
4. Satisfactory completion of an undergraduate health assessment course. If course is greater than five years old the student may be required to take a refresher course.
5. Computer literacy and access to a computer and Internet service.
6. Three current academic and/or professional references.
7. Licensure as a registered nurse in Pennsylvania or in the state where clinical practice or internship is to be arranged. A copy of the RN license must be submitted.
8. Minimum of one year of clinical experience in nursing.
9. Successful completion of a personal interview with the Nursing Admissions Committee.
10. Current resumé including clinical experience.

This program has rolling admission.

II. Graduate Nursing Core (15 s.h.)
- NURS 501 Theoretical Foundations of Advanced Practice (3)
- NURS 502 Research Methodology (3)
- NURS 503 Advanced Practice Professional Issues and Health Policy (3)
- NURS 504 Nursing Informatics & Healthcare Technology (3)
- NURS 698 Scholarly Project (3)

III. Advanced Nursing Practice Core (9 s.h.)
- NURS 511 Pathophysiology for Advanced Practice (3)
- NURS 512 Health Assessment and Diagnostics Evaluation for Advanced Practice (3)
- NURS 513 Pharmacology and Alternative Therapeutics in Nursing Practice (3)

IV. Nursing Education Core (12 s.h.)
- NURS 630 Effective Teaching: Theories and Methods in Nurse Education (3)
- NURS 631 Measurement and Evaluation in Nurse Education (3)
- NURS 632 nursing Curriculum and Program Design (3)
- NURS 633 Nursing Education Internship (3)

V. Degree Candidacy
After the successful completion of 12 s.h. of departmentally approved graduate course work with an overall B average a student can be admitted to degree candidacy.

* A student who accumulates a maximum of 21 s.h. of graduate course work and whose grade average falls below a B (3.0) will be dropped from the degree program.
* The nurse educator program is designed for part time students. Completion of the program requires 36 theory hours.

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