

MERCER UNIVERSITY
GEORGIA BAPTIST COLLEGE OF NURSING

MSN Program
Psychiatric-Mental Health Nurse Practitioner (PMHNP) Track
Full-Time Curriculum Plan
(Four Semesters)

Core Courses	FALL		SPRING		SUMMER	
	Semester 1		Semester 2		Semester 3	
	NUR 602 Advanced Health Assessment	Credit Hours (3)	NUR 639 Population Health & Policy for the APRN	Credit Hours (2)	NUR 635 Healthcare Information, Quality, and Safety	Credit Hours (2)
	NUR 603 Advanced Physiology/Pathophysiology	(3)	NUR 617 Evidence-Based Practice & Research for Advanced Nursing Practice	(3)	NUR 675 Statistics for the Behavioral & Clinical Sciences	(3)
	NUR 607 Advanced Pharmacology	(3)	NUR 687 Psychopharmacology	(3)	NUR 682 Management of Psych-Mental Health III	(3)
	NUR 680 Management of Psych-Mental Health I	(4)	NUR 681 Management of Psych-Mental Health II (Adolescent & Children)	(2)	NUR 684 Psych-Mental Health Practicum II (240 hours)	(4)
	NUR 649 Role and Scope of the APRN	(1)	NUR 683 Psych-Mental Health Practicum I (240 hours)	(4)	NUR 679 Common Medical Conditions for the PMHNP	(1)
	14 Credit Hours		14 Credit Hours		13 Credit Hours	
	Semester 4		Total Credit Hours: 49 Total Clinical Hours: 780 Direct Patient Care Hours: 750 Indirect Patient Care Hours: 30			
	NUR 628 Synthesis of Advanced Nursing Practice	Credit Hours (1)				
	NUR 650 Interprofessional Leadership & Practice Excellence for the Advanced Practice Provider	(2)				
	NUR 685 Psych-Mental Health Practicum III (300 hours)	(5)				
8 Credit Hours						