Nursing M.S.N. (Online)

Degree Requirements: 30-33 Credit Hours

Programs Available:
M.S.N. Degree, with a focus in Chronic Care Management, 30 credit hours
M.S.N. Degree, with a focus in Nursing Education, 36 credit hours

Admission Requirements
1. Bachelor’s degree in the proposed field of study (BSN) or its equivalent from a college accredited by the appropriate accrediting association.
2. Current Georgia RN license. Out-of-state students must obtain a Georgia RN license.
3. Prerequisite undergraduate statistics course or a statistically oriented methodology course.
4. Pre-admission interview by nursing faculty.
5. Submission/completion of documentation: 
   a. College of Graduate Studies application
   b. Georgia Southern Health Services form
   c. School of Nursing graduate application
   d. Proof of current malpractice liability insurance
   e. Proof of American Heart Association Level C (2 person-BLS) CPR certification
   f. Three letters of recommendation
   g. School of Nursing Student Health Appraisal forms

Specific Admission Policies
Must gain Regular Degree-Seeking Status admission to the MSN program to be eligible to enroll in graduate nursing courses. Non-degree students are not permitted to enroll in graduate nursing courses with the exception of students formally admitted to the Post-MSN Certificate option or with prior approval from the Graduate Program Director. The Graduate Program Director may admit any student into a program at her discretion. Final decisions will be made on an individual basis.

- Minimum undergraduate GPA of 3.0 (on 4.0 scale) in all prior nursing studies

Progression Requirements
- Course Progression: All courses must be completed with a minimum grade of “B”

Other Program Requirements
- See academic standards and regulations in the graduate section for information on Program of Study and comprehensive examination procedures.
- Students must meet the progression policies of College of Graduate Studies and the MSN Program.
- A student admitted Non-degree to the Post-MSN Certificate options must meet the same academic standards and regulations for progress and retention as a Degree-seeking student.
- Preference is given to applicants with a desire to work in rural or underserved areas. Minority and rural students are encouraged to apply.

Major: M.S.N.
Concentration: Chronic Care Management, 27 Credit Hours

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Specialty Courses:
- NURS 6101 Chronic Care Management I 4
- NURS 6103 Chronic Care and Pharmacology Management II 4
- NURS 6106 Chronic Care Management and Advanced Health Assessment Capstone 3

Total Credit Hours 27

1 Applied Clinical Hours

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Specialty Courses:
- NURS 6201 Advanced Pathophysiology and Pedagogies for Teaching 3
- NURS 6202 Advanced Pharmacology and Pedagogies for Teaching 3
- NURS 6203 Advanced Physical Assessment and Pedagogies for Teaching 3
- NURS 6204 Theoretical Perspectives of Teaching and Learning in Nursing Education 3
- NURS 6205 Curriculum Design and Evaluation in Nursing Education 3
- NURS 6206 Teaching Strategies and Methods in Nursing Education 3
- NURS 6207 Clinical Specialty Practicum I 2
- NURS 6208 Assessment, Measurement and Evaluation in Nursing Education 3
- NURS 6209 Clinical Specialty Practicum II 2
- NURS 6210 Nursing Education Capstone 3

Total Credit Hours 36