

**UAMS College of Nursing
Post-Master's Doctor of Nursing Practice Degree
Sample 7-Semester Program of Study**

Semester 1 - Fall: 6 Credits

Healthcare Informatics (3 credits)
Roles and Professional Development for DNP (3 credits)

Semester 2 - Spring: 6 Credits

Healthcare Analytics for Nursing Practice (3 credits)
Evidence Based Practice for Doctor of Nursing Practice (3 credits)

Semester 3 - Summer: 3 Credits

Quantitative Epidemiology (3 credits) *

Semester 4 - Fall: 3 Credits

Economics for Complex Organizational Systems (3 credits)

Semester 5 - Spring: 5 Credits

Leadership in Health Policy and Advocacy (3 credits)
Doctor of Nursing Practice Practicum (2 credits; 180 clock hours)

Semester 6 – Fall: 3 credits

Quality Outcomes Management (3 credits)

Semester 7 – Spring: 6 credits

Doctor of Nursing Practice Practicum (4 credits; 360 clock hours)
Integration of DNP Competencies (2 credits)

Total credits for program = 32

Total practicum clock hours = 540

Students with fewer than 500 practicum hours in their masters program will enroll in DNP practicum a third time or take independent study as needed to complete 1000 post- BSN practicum hours.

* Credit may be transferred in from an approved Graduate level Epidemiology Course.

This is a sample plan of study. The College of Nursing reserves the right to modify the curriculum.