



BOSTON COLLEGE
Connell School of Nursing

RN (ASN) to Doctor of Nursing Practice

This program is designed for ASN-prepared RNs

Boston College nursing bridge course credits are required prior to beginning the DNP curriculum. A portfolio review is required to determine fulfillment of general education bridge course requirements.

Please contact the graduate office (csongrad@bc.edu) for more information.

DNP Coursework		
Course Number	Course Name	Credits
HLTH8000	Examining Diversity in Nursing and Healthcare	3
NURS8712	Healthcare Quality Management	3
NURS8718	Health Information Technology for Nursing Professionals	3
NURS8715	Nursing Leadership in Complex Healthcare Settings	3
NURS8716	Healthcare Policy for Nursing Practice Leaders or Advance Practice Nursing Leaders	3
NURS8717	Foundations of Evidence-based Advanced Nursing Practice	3
NURS9720	Epidemiology	3
NURS9730	Advanced Physiology & Pathophysiology Across the Lifespan	3
NURS8714	Nursing Ethics and Professional Responsibility in Advanced Practice	3
NURS9717	Advanced Scholarly Inquiry Methods	3
NURS9731	Pharmacotherapeutics in Advanced Practice Nursing	3
NURS9732	Advanced Health/Physical Assessment Across the Lifespan	3
NURS9814	Bridge to Primary Care for Nurse Practitioner Students (AGNP, FNP, WHNP)	3
NURS9815	Advanced Practice Nursing Role	3

NURS9816	Population Health Principles, Program Planning and Evaluation	3
NURS9904	DNP Project Seminar I	2
NURS9906	DNP Project Seminar II	1
NURS9908	DNP Project Seminar III	1
NURSXXX	Specialty Clinical I	6
NURSXXX	Specialty Clinical II	6
NURSXXX	Specialty Clinical III	6
<i>NURS9836</i>	<i>Advanced Psychopharmacology (required for PMHNP)</i>	<i>3</i>
<i>NURS9838</i>	<i>Individual Therapy (required for PMHNP)</i>	<i>3</i>
<i>NURS9840</i>	<i>Family and Group Therapy (required for PMHNP)</i>	<i>3</i>
<i>NURS9844</i>	<i>Current Issues in Sexual Health Across the LifeSpan (required for WHNP)</i>	<i>3</i>
<i>NURS9832</i>	<i>Clinical Decision Making (required for PNP)</i>	<i>3</i>
<i>NURS9834</i>	<i>Developmental, Behavioral and Mental Health in Pediatrics (required for PNP)</i>	<i>3</i>
NURSXXX	Elective(s) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 electives required for FNP and AGNP • 1 elective required for WHNP and PNP • No electives required for PMHNP 	6 3
	Total DNP Credits:	73

No interim degree is awarded in this Route of Entry

*Curricula Subject to Change