Capstone College of Nursing
The University of Alabama

BSN to DNP Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner
Program of Study

12 SEMESTERS, 70 TOTAL CREDIT HOURS

Fall – Year 1
- NUR 701: Writing for Publication – 3
- NUR 733: Informatics for Advanced Practice Nursing – 3

Spring – Year 1
- NUR 729: Evidence-Based Practice Design and Translation – 3
- NUR 731: Philosophical, Theoretical & Conceptual Foundations for Advanced Practice Nursing – 3

Summer – Year 1
- NUR 735: Population Health in Advanced Practice in Nursing – 3
- NUR 743: Evidence-Based Practice Strategies – 3

Fall – Year 2
- NUR 505: Advanced Health Assessment – 3
- NUR 529: Advanced Pathophysiology – 3

Spring – Year 2
- NUR 521: Advanced Pharmacology – 3
- NUR 591: Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner Role and Issues – 3
- NUR 740: Health Policy & Politics: Implications in Health Care – 3

Summer – Year 2
- NUR 593: Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner I – 3
- NUR 594: Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner Clinical I (120 Clinical Hours) – 2

Fall – Year 3
- NUR 595: Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner II – 3
- NUR 596: Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner II (180 Clinical Hours) – 3
- NUR 737: Interdisciplinary Leadership & Role Development for Practice Excellence – 3
Spring – Year 3
• NUR 597: Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner III – 3
• NUR 598: Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner III (240 Clinical Hours) – 4
• NUR 742: Program Evaluation Methods – 3

Semester Credits: 10

Summer – Year 3
• NUR 739: Scholarly Project (1 Clinical = 60 Hours) – 1

Semester Credits: 1

Fall – Year 4
• NUR 700: Clinical Data Management & Analysis – 3
• NUR 738: Scholarly Seminar (1 Didactic; 2 Clinical = 120 Hours) – 3
• NUR 739: Scholarly Project (1 Clinical = 60 Hours) Optional – 1

Semester Credits: 7

Spring – Year 4
• NUR 739: Scholarly Project (3 Clinical = 180 Hours) Optional – 3

Semester Credits: 1

Summer – Year 4
• NUR 739: Scholarly Project (2 Clinical = 120 Hours) Optional – 2

Semester Credits: 2