



University of Tennessee, Knoxville, College of Nursing
BSN-DNP Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner (PMHNP) Program of Study (effective Fall 2023)

Y1	Fall	Spring	Full Summer
	N557: Introduction to Health Informatics (3) N604: Principles of Population Health (3) N620: Philosophical and Theoretical Foundations for Practice (3) Total: 9 hours	N622: Evidence-based Practice Improvement I (3) N626: Health System Finance (3) N628: Evidence Acquisition, Appraisal and Synthesis (3) Total: 9 hours	N630: DNP Scholarly Project Proposal (3) N633: DNP Practice Immersion * (1)
			Summer I
			N624: Evidence-based Practice Improvement II (3)
			Total: 7 hours
Y2	Fall	Spring	Full Summer
	N612: Health and Health Care Policy (3) N613: Nursing Leadership in Complex Systems (3) N633: DNP Practice Immersion * (1) N649: Advanced Pathophysiology for Nursing Practice (3) Total: 10 hours	N633: DNP Practice Immersion* (2) N639: Advanced Health/Physical Assessment and Diagnostic Reasoning (3) C N648: Advanced Clinical Pharmacology (3) Total: 8 hours	N633: DNP Practice Immersion* (3) N663: Psychopharmacology in Advance Practice (3) Total: 6 hours
Y3	Fall	Spring	
	N634: DNP Scholarly Project++ (1) N655: Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner I (4) N656: Clinical Practice: PMHNP I (5) C Total: 10 hours	N657: Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner II (4) N658: Clinical Practice: PMHNP II (5) C N673: Practice Issues - Nurse Practitioner (1) Total: 10 hours	Total: 69 hours*

- *N633 credit hours dependent upon project progress/clinical hours obtained in APN concentrations
- 1 Credit hour = 60 Clinical OR Project Hours
- ++ If the number of total DNP hours does not equal 1000 by Fall of Y3, students will take N633 in Fall of Y3 and N634 in Spring Y3. N633 may be also taken concurrently with N634.
- **C** = Clinical Course
- #The total minimum number of credit/clock hours required for the Clinical Practice courses is 10 credit hours, or 600 clock hours.