

# NURSING ADMINISTRATION, MASTER OF SCIENCE

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- Design person-centered and culturally responsive approaches to promote optimal health outcomes;
- Use informatics and health care technologies to enhance practice.

## Admission Requirements

M.S. in Nursing Administration program requires:

- A bachelor's degree in nursing (BSN) from a regionally accredited institution with a GPA of 3.0 or above.
- Possession of an active, unencumbered RN license with expiration date.
- A resume showing clear demonstration of clinical practice as a registered nurse (minimum 1 year).
- Applicant meets the M.S. in nursing application requirements (<https://www.sunyempire.edu/admissions/nursing-admissions/nursing-application-checklist/>).

## Program Requirements

The M.S. in Nursing Administration program requires a total of 33 credits, including six core courses, four courses within the nursing administration specialty, and one graduate-level elective course. All courses are 3 credits each.

Code	Title	Credits
<b>Core</b>		
NURS 6005	Theoretical Foundations of Nursing Practice	3
NURS 6010	Professional Role Development & Ethics	3
NURS 6015	Nursing Research & Evidence Based Practice	3
NURS 6020	Contemporary Issues in Health Care	3
NURS 6025	Informatics & Healthcare Technology	3
NURS 6030	Population Health, Human Diversity, & Social Issues	3
<b>Nursing Administration Specialty Courses</b>		
NURS 6065	Healthcare Finance and Budgeting	3
NURS 6070	Organizational Theory & Human Resource Management	3
NURS 6075	Innovative Leadership in Healthcare Organizations	3
NURS 7010	Nursing Administration Capstone	3
<b>Graduate-level Elective Requirement</b>		<b>3</b>
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>33</b>

By the end of the program, graduates will be able to:

- Integrate advanced principles and theories from nursing and related sciences to effect changes in health care practices and policies;
- Assume a leadership role on interprofessional teams and facilitate collaboration by using advanced communication skills;
- Critique strategies for ethical decision making in nursing research, education, and clinical practice management;
- Engage in lifelong learning activities that further professional role development (as a nurse educator or a nurse administrator);
- Synthesize evidence to inform decision making and evaluate outcomes in a variety of practice settings;