

**Fort Hays State University**  
**Department of Nursing – Graduate Nursing Program**  
**600 Park St., Hays, KS 67601**

**MASTER OF SCIENCE IN NURSING (MSN) Nurse Educators (NE): Plan of Study (POS)**

Date:

Student:

Black boxes = course not available

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Courses to Take (add year)

CATEGORY <b>A</b> Courses	NURS ID	NAME OF COURSE	Credits	PRE- REQ	FALL	SPG	SUM
CORE	NURS 808	Advanced Statistics	3				
FOUNDATIONAL	NURS 809	Advanced Foundations for Nursing Practice	3				
FOUNDATIONAL	NURS 872	Informatics in Health Care Systems	3				
FOUNDATIONAL	NURS 810	Developing Nursing Theories	3				
FOUNDATIONAL	NURS 807	Advanced Pathophysiology, Pharmacology, and Health Assessment for Nurse Educators and Nurse Administrators	3				
FOUNDATIONAL	NURS 827	Overcoming Health Disparity	3				
FOUNDATIONAL	NURS 814	Healthcare: Policy/Politics/Organization/Cost	2				
FOUNDATIONAL	NURS 882	Research in Nursing	3	NURS 808			

**NURSE EDUCATOR (NE) TRACK (MSN and Post-MSN available)**

NOTE: Complete all/most of Category **A** courses before Category **B** courses.

Courses to Take (add year)

CATEGORY <b>B</b> Courses	NURS ID	NAME OF COURSE	Credits		FALL	SPG	SUM
CORE	NURS 866	Teaching Strategies in Nursing	3	co-req 867			
CORE	NURS 867	Apprenticeship: Teaching Strategies (90 clinical hours required; direct + indirect)	2	co-req N866			
CORE	NURS 868	Curriculum Planning: Nursing Education	3	co-req N869			
CORE	NURS 869	Apprenticeship: Nursing Education Curriculum Planning (45 clinical hours required; indirect)	1	co-req N868			
PRACTICE	NURS 890	Development of an Evidence-Based Practice Project	2	NURS 808 & 882			
PRACTICE	NURS 891	Implementation & Evaluation of an Evidence-Based Practice Project	2	NURS 890			

Total MSN NE degree = 36 hours; (Post MSN NE take: NURS 866, 867, 868, 869 = 9 credit hours)