

**Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner
Post-Master Option for MSN Without Nurse Practitioner Foundation*
Vanderbilt University School of Nursing – June 2007**

FALL		SPRING		SUMMER				
	Credits		Credits		Credits			
N350	Models and Theories of Advanced Psychiatric-Mental Health Nursing	2	N354	Theoretical Foundations of Psychiatric-Mental Health Nursing with Groups and Families	3	N357	Psychiatric Issues Within Specialty Populations	2
N351	Theoretical Foundations and Practicum in Psychiatric-Mental Health Nursing	3	N356	Practicum in Psychiatric-Mental Health Nursing with Individuals, Groups, and Families	3	N358	Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse NP Preceptorship	4
N352	Neurobiology and Diagnostic Systems for Psychiatric Disorders	2	N308	Pathophysiologic Concepts	3	N307A	Advanced Pharmacotherapeutics	2
N353	Psychopharmacology	2	N305B	Advanced Health Assessment Applications for Psychiatric-Mental Health Nursing	1			
N305A	Advanced Health Assessment and Clinical Reasoning	3						
Total Credits:		12	Total Credits:		10	Total Credits:		8

Overall Number of Credits: 30

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N352	Neurobiology and Diagnostic Systems for Psychiatric Disorders	2						
N353	Psychopharmacology	2						
Total Credits:		9	Total Credits:		6	Total Credits:		6

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N305A	Advanced Health Assessment and Clinical Reasoning	3						
Total Credits:		7	Total Credits:		4	Total Credits:		5

Overall Number of Credits: 16

This program of study is designed for individuals who have completed a Master of Science in Psychiatric-Mental Health Nursing and who have current ANCC certification as a Clinical Nurse Specialist in Psychiatric-Mental Health Nursing (either Adult or Child-Adolescent focus).

**Student may elect to begin Clinical Preceptorship in spring semester.*