

Psychiatric mental health
Nursing
Doctoral degree
2018-2020

*Academic Reference standards
(ARS) of nursing for Post
graduate Doctoral Programs
(Psychiatric mental health Nursing)*

Introduction

The Doctorate in nursing science requires (DNSc) (46) credits of coursework beyond the master's degree. The DNSc is a research-based program designed to prepare scholars for a lifetime of systematic inquiry and knowledge development. The curriculum integrates a wide body of knowledge in the area of emotional, psychological and social wellness and mental health maintenance, and incorporates two main areas of research: mental health of individuals, family and community. Additional nursing education which incorporates educational theories into the larger context of health education and academic preparation.

Graduates of this program are nurse scholars, educators, and researchers who are prepared to pursue systematic research inquiry to improve the mental health of individuals, and society.

Attributes of the Graduates (ARS)

1- Postgraduate doctoral candidate should be able to:

- 1.1 Conduct theory guided research to test, generate, and extent knowledge that inform mental health care system, health policy, and the evidence based for practice.
- 1.2. Develop continues systematic and intellectual inquiry relevant to the discipline of mental health nursing and health care.
- 1.3. Exhibit competencies in critical thinking, communication, evidence-based decision making, scholarly inquiry and technical skills in the practice of mental health nursing.
- 1.4. Integrate knowledge, theories, and concepts from the biophysical, psychosocial, analytical, and organization sciences to develop ethical mental health care systems and new boundaries for nursing practice.
- 1.5. Synthesize knowledge gained from traditional and innovative learning methods to lead quality, cost-effective mental health care collaborations addressing mental health care disparities.

1.6. Demonstrate communication and proactive leadership related to mental health, related sciences and humanities, and methods of inquiry.

1.7. Determine nursing practice through research utilization, participation, and the identification of significant research problems in a specialty area.

1.8. Develop ethical, social, cultural, and health policy for the advancement of mental health nursing education, research, and the mental health of those who nursing serves.

1.9. Demonstrate responsibility and accountability for comprehensive care in different mental health care settings.

2-Intended Learning Outcomes (ILOS) for doctoral Degree:

2.1 Knowledge and understanding skills

- 2.1.1 Integrate new concept/ trends of advanced mental health nursing practice to enhance the quality of care provided to clients.
- 2.1.2 Identify ethical and legal practice in the conduction of research and its different methods.
- 2.1.3 Discuss the principles of legal and ethical decision making in clients mental health care and mental health nursing practice.
- 2.1.4 Determine the principal of quality in professional practice based on standards, relevant guidelines and rules of quality.
- 2.1.5 Identify the professional knowledge associated with mental health practice and methods of developing and maintaining community mental health throughout lifecycle.

2.2 Intellectual Skill

- 2.2.1 Analyze scientific models/theories and research finding in mental health nursing specialties that can be used to manage different psychiatric disorder.
- 2.2.2 Evaluate research findings and monitor standards of practice to improve patient mental health care in collaborations with other nursing expertise that reflect best practices and alleviate mental health care disparities
- 2.2.3 Demonstrate scientific studies based upon, evidence based evidence base and critical thinking to improve psychiatric mental health care management and outcomes at different age.
- 2.2.4 Formulate scientific studies to improve psychiatric mental health care management and outcomes at different age.
- 2.2.5 Determine the risks in different specialty and integrate theoretical perspectives gained from traditional and innovative treatment methods of psychological disturbance in different specialty.

2.2.6 Design strategies capable of improving clinical competencies

needed for the delivery of safe and effective mental health care for patient with different psychiatric problem

2.2.7 Utilize professional decision and information technology in different practical contexts in mental health nursing practice.

2.2.8 Demonstrate principal of treatment methods that reflect innovations and creativity to client mental health outcomes in specialty area

2.2.9 Utilize critical thinking approaches based on evidence based approach in interpreting and evaluating, critiquing research finding and conduct discussion

2.2.10 Integrate theoretical perspectives gained from traditional and innovative treatment methods of psychological disturbance in different specialty to lead quality, cost-effective mental health care.

2.3 Professional skills

2.3.1. Apply basic and advanced scientific knowledge, and skills of nursing and related sciences needed to fully analyze, design, implement and evaluate nursing care process in a given area of specialty.

2.3.2. Implement proper documentation and evaluate of patient's reports.

2.3.3. Apply diagnostic and nursing intervention based on scientific evidence and standards to ensure effectiveness and efficiency of patient care.

2.3.4. Assess methods and tools related to professional practice standards and relevant status and regulations.

2.3.5. Implement education programs using information and communication technologies for patients and other health care providers with emphasis on nursing management of illness

In addition to, formulate and design a thesis in partial fulfilment of the requirements for the Ph.D. in Nursing Science.

2.4 General and Transferable skills

2.4.1 Demonstrate capability of communication skills and team working.

2.4.2 Use information technology to serve the development of professional practice

2.4.3 Implement educational programs for patients and other health care providers with emphasis on nursing management of illness

2.4.4 Assume responsibility for self-evaluation and continues professional development.

2.4.5 Use different resources to obtain information and knowledge to improve nursing practice and health care systems

2.4.6 Demonstrate leadership capabilities through initiating and maintaining effective working relationship

2.4.7 Demonstrate the ability to manage scientific meeting and time management capacity