SCHOOL OF NURSING
UNIVERSITY of WASHINGTON

DOCTOR OF NURSING PRACTICE: PSYCHIATRIC MENTAL HEALTH NURSE PRACTITIONER (PMHNP)
SAMPLE FULL-TIME SPECIALTY CURRICULUM

Year 1

Autumn	Credits	Winter	Credits	Spring	Credits	Summer	Credits
NURS 547 Biologic Aspects of Psychiatric Disabilities	3	**NURS 564** Biological Management in Psychosocial Nursing	3	**NURS 549** Assessment in Psychosocial Nursing	3	**NCLIN 500** Physical Health Assessment	3
NURS 546 Interpersonal Behavior	3	**NURS 574** Family Mtg. & Culture	3	**NCLIN 566** Advanced Clinical Practicum	Varies	**NCLIN 566** Adv. Clinical Practicum	4
NSG 530 Leadership Seminar	5	**NMETH 520** Research	5	**NURS 583** Emotions & Mental Health	3	**NSG 513** Child/Adolescent Pharmacology	1
NSG 538 *Infant mental health approach*	*3*	***NSG 537*** Development and Psychopath	*3*	**Social Justice/Leadership/ Practice Inquiry	3		
				NURS 555 Relationship-based Assessment	3		
TOTAL	**11*(14)***	**TOTAL**	**11 (*14*)**	**TOTAL**	**9 (12)+**	**TOTAL**	**8**

Year 2

Autumn	Credits	Winter	Credits	Spring	Credits	Summer	Credits
NCLIN 566 Adv. Clinical Practicum	5	**NCLIN 566** Adv. Clinical Practicum	4	**PHARM 514** Pharmacology	3	** Social Justice/Leadership/Inquiry	3
NURS 554 Individual Interventions	3	**NMETH 533*** Appraising Evidence	4	**NMETH 534** Translating Evidence	4	**NCLIN 566** Adv. Clinical Practicum	3
NURS 501 Advanced Mental Health Intervention Children	3	**NURS 507** Mental Health of Older Adults	3	**NCLIN 566** Adv. Clinical Practicum	4		
NURS 502 Pediatric Physical Assessment	1	**NURS 556** Addictions	3				
TOTAL	**12**	**TOTAL**	**14**	**TOTAL**	**11**	**TOTAL**	**6**

Year 3

Autumn	Credits	Winter	Credits	Spring	Credits	Summer	Credits
NMETH 527 Intro. Health Informatics	3	**NMETH 801** Capstone	5	**NMETH 801** Capstone	7		
NCLIN 798 Tripartite Immersion Practicum	5	**NURS 525** Mang. Clinic Eff. in Systems	3				
**Social Justice/Leadership/ Practice Inquiry	3						
TOTAL	**11**	**TOTAL**	**8**	**TOTAL**	**7**	**TOTAL**	

*Prior completion of a statistics self-study module is recommended for students who completed NMETH 520 before Winter Quarter 2011: http://www.son.washington.edu/portals/nursed/statistics.asp

-12 Cred must be completed in leadership **NURS 530, **NURS 525** are required 7 Credits. Social Justice course is required. The following courses are recommended for PMHNP program

NCLIN 562 Profess. Comm. w/Families-winter

NURS 509-Aggression/Violence Health Professions-summer

30 Cred must be completed for inquiry. **NMETH 520**, **533**, **534** and **NMETH 527** are required (16 Cred) **NMETH 801** must be taken for a minimum of 12 Cred. The following course is recommended for PMHNP program. **NMETH 579** Methodological Issues in Family Research-Summer 36 continuous months FT study (FT min 10 cr F,W,SP: min 2cr Sum)

Perinatal Mental Health Classes are included in Italics and apply only to students in the Perinatal Mental Health Program