

Boromarajonani College of Nursing Nopparat Vajira

Master of Nursing Science Program in Family and Community Health Nursing (International Program)

M.N.S. (Family and Community Health Nursing)

Plan A Option 2:

Total credits required: minimum 40 credits

(1) Major courses: minimum 28 credits

- Seminar: 2 credits

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- Major requirements: 23 credits

01998511	Nursing Theory	2(2-0-4)
01998512	Health Policy and Health System	2(2-0-4)
01998513	Leadership in Advanced Nursing Practice	2(2-0-4)
01998514	Advanced Health Assessment	2(1-2-3)
01998515	Individual and Community Health	3(3-0-6)
01998521	Advanced Nursing for Family and Community	2(2-0-4)
01998522	Advanced Nursing for Family and Community with Health Problems	2(2-0-4)
01998523	Advanced Practice in Family and Community Health Nursing	3(0-12-6)
01998591	Research Methodology in Nursing	3(3-0-6)
01998592	Statistics for Nursing Research	2(2-0-4)

- Major electives: minimum 3 credits

Choose graduate electives at least 3 credits from the list below.

01998516	Role Development of Advanced Practice Nurses	3(3-0-6)
01998531	Curriculum and Teaching in Nursing	3(3-0-6)
01998532	Teaching Practicum in Nursing	3(0-12-6)
01998593	Qualitative Research in Nursing	3(3-0-6)

(2) Thesis: minimum 12 credits

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Course Description

01998511	Nursing Theory	2(2-0-4)
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This course focuses on theoretical foundation, nursing models, and nursing theories used for advanced nursing practice. Development of nursing models and theories will be explored. Models and theories in nursing and related sciences essential for advanced nursing practice are discussed. Analyses, evaluation and application of nursing theories are

also included.

01998512	Health Policy and Health System This course focuses on health system, health policy, health care management, development of nursing roles in response to health service system, health economics and reimbursement. Nursing productivity, evaluation and outcome management, and health information system related to family and community health nursing at the international level.	2(2-0-4)
01998513	Leadership in Advanced Nursing Practice This course examines concepts and processes of leadership development in education, research, and advanced nursing practice. The influence of policies on health system, nursing profession, and other timely issues are explored. Analysis of legal and ethical issues relevant to current nursing practice is also emphasized.	2(2-0-4)
01998514	Advanced Health Assessment This course focuses on principles and process of advance developmental and health assessment of individuals across life span. Skills essential for data collection, medical history, physical examination, psychosocial, spiritual, and environmental assessment, clinical laboratory analysis and special diagnostic examinations, clinical decision-making, and nursing documentation are enhanced.	2(1-2-3)
01998515	Individual and Community Health This course explores the dimensions of health in relation to individuals and communities. The concepts of health promotion and disease prevention at the individual and community levels are explored. Analysis of health problems and health intervention planning for behavioral change at the individual and community levels are included.	3(3-0-6)
01998516	Role Development of Advanced Practice Nurses This course focuses on concepts, theories and role development and norms of the professional role in advanced nursing practice. History, evolution and concepts of roles and competencies of advanced practice nurses are explored. It includes ethics, social, political, and economic influences on the development of nursing profession. The necessity and importance of role development including national and global trends of role development in nursing are analyzed.	3(3-0-6)
01998521	Advanced Nursing for Family and Community This course focuses on concepts and theories of family and community, roles and responsibilities of family and community health nurses, factors influencing family and community health, epidemiology, community and family health promotion, disease prevention, health education and health screening. Utilization of theoretical approaches to family and community health nursing process and its application for holistic nursing practice for families and community in healthy and chronic conditions, and various community health settings including school health, occupational health and environmental health are included. Community empowerment, social sustainable development and voluntary participation are emphasized.	2(2-0-4)
01998522	Advanced Nursing for Family and Community with Health Problems This course focuses on concepts of primary health care, health promoting and risk reduction of vulnerable population, family and community assessment and diagnosis. Utilization of theoretical approaches to family and community health nursing process and its	2(2-0-4)

	application for holistic nursing practice for families and community with crisis situations and special needs. Home health care and disaster nursing are included.	
01998523	Advanced Practice in Family and Community Health Nursing This course focuses on integration of assessment and application of theoretical foundations of family and community health nursing, epidemiology, health promotion and prevention as well as evidence and research to the provision of nursing care for family in the community settings. Emphasis is on community diagnosis and developing skills of home visit for families with chronic illness, crisis situation, and special needs. Practicum at community and primary care settings by collaborative with primary health care team, people in community, and local organizations to promote health and prevent diseases in various community settings, including schools, and workplaces are performed.	3(0-12-6)
01998531	Curriculum and Teaching in Nursing This course explores concepts and theories pertaining to curriculum and teaching-learning in nursing, curriculum development process, curriculum implementation, and curriculum evaluation. Teaching and learning process in nursing focusing on student centered and active approaches used for both theoretical and practical components are analyzed. Innovations in educative process and evaluation of students are also included.	3(3-0-6)
01998532	Teaching Practicum in Nursing This course is designed to help the graduates synthesize course materials, instruction design, and teaching strategies for classroom and clinical teaching. The course also allows the graduates to function in the role of teacher by actively participating in an ongoing educational program. Class activities are designed to apply the theory related to learning-teaching strategies to specific classroom and clinical situations. Assessment and evaluation of students are also included.	3(0-12-6)
01998591	Research Methodology in Nursing This course provides the knowledge and skills essential for the utilization of research to support decision-making in nursing arena. The course includes basic research designs both quantitative and qualitative, data collection, assessing data quality, ethics, and research utilization. The course also emphasizes on techniques for control of variables, data analysis, and interpretation of results. Content is discussed in terms of nursing research problems and how to apply in several settings.	3(3-0-6)
01998592	Statistics for Nursing Research This course focuses on the principles and utilization of statistics in nursing research. Interpretation and presentation of data, descriptive statistics, concepts of hypothesis testing, estimation and confidence are provided. Inferential statistics including comparison of two and multiple groups, correlations between variables, and linear regression are emphasized.	2(2-0-4)
01998593	Qualitative Research in Nursing This course focuses on major approaches to qualitative research including design, conduct, reporting and experiences in field and in-class exercises and introduction to qualitative analysis and trustworthiness.	3(3-0-6)
01998597	Seminar Presentation and discussion on current interesting topics in nursing at the master's degree level.	1

01998599 Thesis

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Research at the master's degree level and compile into a thesis.