



# **DUAL DEGREE**

## **MASTER OF SCIENCE IN NURSING**

## **MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION**

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INTO THE MSN/MBA DUAL DEGREE

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By earning an MSN/MBA at Franklin Pierce University, you will be forging your way to securing a high-level executive position within your organization. YOU will have a powerful seat at the table inspiring, influencing, and implementing critical changes in today's healthcare field.

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## **MSN/MBA**

Franklin Pierce University

College of Business

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### PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

You must successfully complete the following 60 credits to earn the MSN/MBA Dual Degree.

#### M.S.N. Core Courses (18 credits)

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| NR510 | Nursing Science in Practice              |
| NR520 | Health Policy & Population Health Issues |
| NR530 | Inferential Statistics                   |
| NR540 | Evidence-Based Practice                  |
| NR009 | Precourse for NR690                      |
| NR690 | Nursing Capstone, Seminar and Project    |

#### M.B.A. Core Courses (24 credits)

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| GM510 | Seminar in Leadership                     |
| GM520 | Legal and Ethical Issues in Organizations |
| GM540 | Organizational Behavior                   |
| GM542 | Quantitative Techniques                   |
| GM543 | Economics for Managers                    |
| GM561 | Financial Management                      |
| GM562 | Marketing Management                      |
| GM564 | Operations Management                     |

#### Dual Degree Courses (18 credits)

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| GM594 | Healthcare Payment Systems                            |
| GM596 | Quality Improvement Models in Healthcare              |
| NR565 | Strategic Planning & Project Management For Nurses I  |
| NR570 | Strategic Planning & Project Management For Nurses II |

6 credits M.B.A. Electives

#### MSN Graduate Path

If you have already completed an MSN degree at Franklin Pierce, you must be accepted into the MBA program before taking courses toward completion of the second degree. Once admitted, you must complete a minimum of 24 credits in the MBA curriculum to earn an MBA degree.

### APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

#### MSN Program

- Completed graduate admission application
- Professional résumé
- A statement of professional goals including reasons for pursuing graduate study
- All official transcripts from colleges or universities previously attended
- Unencumbered current license to practice as a registered nurse issued by New Hampshire or another jurisdiction

#### MBA Program

- Completed graduate admission application
- Professional résumé
- All official transcripts from colleges or universities previously attended
- Outline of professional aspirations and how this MBA will help you achieve them (250-500 words)
- Essay: Answer one of the four questions below. Explain not only what you did, but how you did it. What was the outcome? What was the response? Only describe experiences that have occurred within the last three years (250-500 words).
  - A time when you made a lasting impact on your organization
  - A major accomplishment
  - A major setback you have faced
  - A time when you exceeded expectations

### ADMISSION TO PROGRAM

You must have a bachelor's degree from a regionally accredited college or university, generally with a CGPA of 2.8 or greater on a 4.0 scale. Acceptance to the MBA program requires competency in the areas of accounting and statistics, and computer skills. Detailed admission and acceptance criteria are listed in the Academic Catalog, which is available online.

### BASED ON 2022-2023 ACADEMIC YEAR

Number of credit hours: 60

Cost per credit: \$665

Franklin Pierce offers personal support through our enrollment team and an academic advisor to assist with onboarding, paving the way for student success. Our teams are ready to help you reach your career and educational goals.