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nurses who will function at an advanced level of practice
s will be prepared for independent management of
the antepartum, intrapartum, and postpartum periods,
at the life span. Nurse -midwifery practice

Majors "GEM") [<http://www.marquette.edu/nursing/academicprograms-direct.shtml> -msn -
<http://www.marquette.edu/nursing/academicprograms-faqs-DE-MSN.shtml>].

The online application form to be used is available through the Graduate School, but is also linked on the Graduate Nursing webpage [<https://marquette-grad.edu.185r.net/application/login/>].

Applications are due by November 15 for Spring admission, and at the start of August for Fall admission. Although there are two admission pools annually, most students should consider the Feb 15 application deadline for fall admission. The Nurse-Midwifery Program clinical sequence is a fall start, therefore beginning in the spring will generally not save students any time in the program. Post-Master's students can apply by November for Spring admission and may take a part time program of study.

Additional specific information about the NMP is included below. The Curriculum and Frequently Asy

Curriculum

The Master of Science in Nursing (MSN) degree in the NMP option requires a total of 49 credit hours of course work, which may be completed on a combined part-time and full-time basis. There are three broad categories of courses, which are 3 credits each unless otherwise noted.

Core Courses – 12 credits

- Nurs 6000 Theoretical Foundations of Nursing
- Nurs 6007 Ethics, Policy, & Health Care Advocacy
- Nurs 6009 Organizational & Systems Leadership
- Nurs 6010 Research & Evidence as a Foundation for Nursing

Foundation Courses – 12 credits

- Nurs 6030 Pathophysiological Concepts for Advanced Nursing Practice ^a
- Nurs 6032 Pharmacology for Advanced Nursing Practice ^a
- Nurs 6035 Advanced Health Assessment ^a
- Nurs 6037 Management of Episodic Health Problems ^a

Nurse-Midwifery Program Specialty Courses – 26-28 credits ^{a,b}

- Nurs 6740 Advanced Concepts in Women's Health Care Management across the Life Span ^{a,b}
- Nurs 6742 Advanced Concepts in Antepartum Management ^{a,b}
- Nurs 6744 Advanced Concepts in Postpartum and Newborn Care ^{a,b}

Nurse -Midwifery Program Philosophy

The Jesuit ideal of cura personalis is

Nurse -Midwifery Program Learning Outcomes/Objectives:	MSN Graduate Program Outcome and Performance Indicators:
Upon completion of the course of study, the student is expected to do the following:	At the completion of the program, students will be able to:
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Demonstrate competent beginning practice of nurse midwifery as a primary provider of care to child-bearing families and women in transition throughout the life span. 2. Utilize critical thinking to incorporate research, theories, knowledge, and skills into nurse midwifery practice. 	<p>Use data and analytical processes to discover, critique, and/or synthesize nursing knowledge for the continued improvement of nursing care across diverse settings.</p> <p>Integrate pertinent theories, research</p>

How long is the Nurse-Midwifery Program?

The NMP contains 49 total credits. Marquette defines full time attendance as a minimum of 7 graduate credits per semester. A three -year plan, is considered optimal & is shown in the sample plan below. The Nurse -Midwifery clinical course

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What does a *SAMPLE PROGRAM PLAN* look like?

A sample plan is noted below and begins with some part-time course work that progresses to full-time. BSN admissions have a lighter Year 1 Fall to adjust to graduate school demands. Direct entry/GEM admissions have several lighter semesters initially (generally 6 credits each) to facilitate finding, being oriented to, and working as an RN in related employment.

Year 1: Fall

Credit **Summer**

Year 1: Spring Sea sea9