

# NURS 660B: DNP PROJECT PART 2

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## New Course Proposal

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**Catalog Title:**

DNP Project Part 2

**Class Schedule Title:**

DNP Project Part 2

**Academic Group: (College)**

HHS - Health & Human Services

**Academic Organization: (Department)**

Nursing

**Will this course be offered through the College of Continuing Education (CCE)?**

No

**Catalog Year Effective:**

Fall 2026 (2026/2027 Catalog)

**Subject Area: (prefix)**

NURS - Nursing

**Catalog Number: (course number)**

660B

**Course ID: (For administrative use only.)**

TBD

**Units:**

1

**Is the ONLY purpose of this change to update the term typically offered or the enforcement of existing requisites at registration?**

No

**In what term(s) will this course typically be offered?**

Spring term only

**Does this course require a room for its final exam?**

No, final exam does not require a room

**Does this course replace an existing experimental course?**

No

**This course complies with the credit hour policy:**

Yes

**Justification for course proposal:**

A majority of the advanced practice nursing organizations are proposing the Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP) as entry into advanced practice. A DNP degree offers several benefits that can shape an individual's health care career, opening new opportunities, building on specialized knowledge, and improving performance. Therefore, the School of Nursing applied to have a DNP program added to the campus master plan and received approval spring 2024. This course proposal is for one of the required courses in this new program.

In addition to meeting CSU requirements for doctoral education and postsecondary faculty preparation, this course will be part of a program accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE). CCNE standard include 29 "Essentials" for curriculum and requires 1,000 practicum hours and that students become eligible for an advanced certification (Certified Nurse Leader (CNL®), Nursing Professional Development (NPDTM), or Certified Nurse Educator (CNE®)). This course includes practicum hours and covers:

Essentials: CO requirement for doctoral project part 2 (methodology development & proposal approval); Doctoral Education #6. Evidence-based practice; Postsecondary Faculty Preparation #1. Research and scholarship; Nursing Practice #1. Knowledge of nursing practice, & #4. Scholarship for nursing discipline; Core Concepts #1. Scientific underpinnings for practice, & #3. Clinical scholarship and analytical methods for evidence-based practice

Certifications: CNL #3. Evidence-based practice; NPD #4. Evidence-based practice and research

**Course Description: (Not to exceed 90 words and language should conform to catalog copy.)**

Creation of a DNP project that demonstrates a synthesis of the DNP Program Outcomes and represents an opportunity for the student to investigate a clinical practice or systems health care issue. Sequential completion of the several phases provides the student with the foundation to develop a cogent, publishable manuscript. Chapter 3: Methodology development & proposal approval will be the focus of this course.

**Are one or more field trips required with this course?**

No

**Fee Course?**

No

**Is this course designated as Service Learning?**

No

**Is this course designated as Curricular Community Engaged Learning?**

No

**Does this course require safety training?**

No

**Does this course require personal protective equipment (PPE)?**

No

**Does this course have prerequisites?**

Yes

**Prerequisite:**

NURS 219, NURS 221, NURS 222, NURS 660A

**Prerequisites Enforced at Registration?**

Yes

**Does this course have corequisites?**

Yes

**Corequisite:**

NURS 620, NURS 622, NURS 624

**Corequisites Enforced at Registration?**

Yes

**Graded:**

Credit / No Credit

**Approval required for enrollment?**

No Approval Required

**Course Component(s) and Classification(s):**

Independent Study

**Independent Study Classification**

S3/CS#25 - Practice Teaching/Workstudy/Thesis Project/Independent Study (S-factor=.5 WTU per student enrolled)

**Independent Study Units**

1

**Is this a paired course?**

No

**Is this course crosslisted?**

No

**Can this course be repeated for credit?**

No

**Can the course be taken for credit more than once during the same term?**

No

**Description of the Expected Learning Outcomes and Assessment Strategies:**

List the Expected Learning Outcomes and their accompanying Assessment Strategies (e.g., portfolios, examinations, performances, pre-and post-tests, conferences with students, student papers). Click the plus sign to add a new row.

	<b>Expected Learning Outcome</b>	<b>Assessment Strategies</b>
1	Construct an evidence-based strategy or method to address the identified problem.	Doctoral Project Proposal Doctoral Project Paper (Chapter 3: Methodology Development)
2	Discuss the strategies for navigating the system: including legal, ethical, advocacy and health policy, regulations as well as team-based approaches.	Doctoral Project Proposal Doctoral Project Paper (Chapter 3: Methodology Development)
3	Design a plan for implementation of the strategy or method that has systems level impact for the improvement of health outcomes.	Doctoral Project Proposal Doctoral Project Paper (Chapter 3: Methodology Development)
4	Apply DNP competencies in obtaining institutional review board and project committee approval for the evidence-based project.	Doctoral Project Proposal Doctoral Project Defense

5	Describe data collection or systems assessment strategies surrounding implementation.	Doctoral Project Proposal Doctoral Project Paper (Chapter 3: Methodology Development)
6	Describe overall evaluation of project, including barriers, facilitators, positive change in outcomes and costs of implementation and outcome savings.	Doctoral Project Paper (Chapter 3: Methodology Development)

**Attach a list of the required/recommended course readings and activities:**

NURS 660B Readings & Activities 11\_25.docx

**For whom is this course being developed?**

Majors in the Dept

**Is this course required in a degree program (major, minor, graduate degree, certificate?)**

Yes

**Has a corresponding Program Change been submitted to Workflow?**

Yes

**Identify the program(s) in which this course is required:**

**Programs:**

Doctor of Nursing Practice

**Does the proposed change or addition cause a significant increase in the use of College or University resources (lab room, computer)?**

No

**Will there be any departments affected by this proposed course?**

No

**I/we as the author(s) of this course proposal agree to provide a new or updated accessibility checklist to the Dean's office prior to the semester when this course is taught utilizing the changes proposed here.**

I/we agree

## University Learning Goals

**Doctorate Learning Goal(s):**

Disciplinary knowledge  
Communication  
Critical thinking/analysis  
Information literacy  
Professionalism  
Intercultural/Global perspectives

**Is this course required as part of a teaching credential program, a single subject, or multiple subject waiver program (e.g., Liberal Studies, Biology) or other school personnel preparation program (e.g., School of Nursing)?**

No

**Is this a Graduate Writing Intensive (GWI) course?**

No

**Please attach any additional files not requested above:**

NURS 660B Syllabus for AC 11-27.docx

**Reviewer Comments:**

**Andrea Becker (andrea.becker) (Wed, 20 Nov 2024 01:13:39 GMT):** Rollback: Minor Revisions (see document from committee chair)

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