



LOMA LINDA UNIVERSITY

School of Nursing

## BS to DNP

### Clinical Nurse Specialist: Adult/Gerontology

#### CORE COURSES

|      |     |  |       |
|------|-----|--|-------|
| NGRD | 650 | Advanced Role and Collaboration  | 4u    |
| NGRD | 651 | Theoretical Foundations for Evidence-Based Practice                          | 4u    |
| NGRD | 652 | Health Care Systems Leadership   | 4u    |
| NGRD | 653 | Health Systems Policy Development and Advocacy                               | 4u    |
| NGRD | 654 | Social Determinants of Health - <b>Service Learning</b>                      | 4u    |
| NGRD | 655 | Health Systems Finance   | 4u    |
| NGRD | 656 | Outcomes Assessment for Strategic Planning                                   | 4u    |
| NGRD | 657 | Intermediate Statistics  | 4u    |
| NGRD | 658 | Nursing Research and Translational Science                                   | 4u    |
| NGRD | 659 | Professional Writing for Nurse Leaders                                       | 4u    |
| NGRD | 660 | Integrative Leadership Case Study (may be required based on prior education) | 1u-4u |
| RELE | 564 | Ethics and Health Disparities  | 3u    |
| RELR | 540 | Wholeness and Health - <b>Service Learning</b>                               | 3u    |
| RELT | 557 | Theology of Human Suffering  | 3u    |

#### CONCENTRATION COURSES

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|------|-----|--------------------------------------|----|
| NGRD | 621 | Pharmacology in Advanced Practice I  | 2u |
| NGRD | 622 | Pharmacology in Advanced Practice II | 3u |
| NGRD | 624 | Advanced Health Assessment           | 4u |
| NGRD | 625 | Advanced Clinical Pathophysiology    | 4u |

#### CLINICAL COURSES

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|------|------|--|----|
| NGCN | 551  | Adult-Gerontology: CNS I   | 4u |
| NGCN | 552  | Adult-Gerontology: CNS II  | 4u |
| NGCN | 553  | Adult-Gerontology: CNS III - <b>60 Clinical Hours</b>                      | 4u |
| NGCN | 554A | Adult-Gerontology: CNS IV Clinical Practicum A - <b>150 Clinical hours</b> | 5u |
| NGCN | 554B | Adult-Gerontology: CNS IV Clinical Practicum B - <b>150 Clinical hours</b> | 5u |
| NGCN | 554C | Adult-Gerontology: CNS IV Clinical Practicum C - <b>180 Clinical hours</b> | 6u |

#### DNP PROJECT

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|------|-----|--|-----|
| NGRD | 667 | DNP Proposal Development ( <b>30 Practice hours</b> )        | 3u  |
| NGRD | 669 | DNP Project A, B, C, D, E, & F ( <b>640 Practice hours</b> ) | 16u |

**TOTAL QUARTER UNITS: 109**  
(73 semester units)

*All courses are subject to change*