Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner Program

Partnership Between Old Dominion University and Shenandoah University

MSN PMHNP Full Time Curriculum

First Semester	(Fall)	
NURS 715	Ethical Concepts of Advanced Nursing Practice	3
NURS 770	Pathophysiology for Advanced Nursing Practice	3
NURS 771	Physical Assessment for Advanced Practice Nursing	3
NURS 800*	Introduction to Healthcare Disparities, Vulnerable	
	Populations, and Epidemiology	<u>3</u>
		12 Credits
Second Semester (Spring)		
NURS 709	Evidence Based Research & Theories for Nursing	
	Practice	3
NURS 761	Pharmacology for Advanced Practice Nursing	3
NURS 802*	Business of Advanced Practice Nursing	3
NURS 763	Health Promotion and Maintenance	<u>2</u>
		11 Credits
Third Semeste		
NP 525	Behavioral Neuroscience and Psychopharmacology	3
PMH 635	Foundations of Psychotherapy	<u>3</u>
		6 Credits
Fourth Semester (Fall)		
PMH 680	Management of Psychiatric Mental health:	
	Child & Adolescent – 120 clinical hours	4
PMH 640	Management of Psychiatric Mental Health:	
	Adult Practicum – 120 clinical hours	<u>4</u>
		8 Credits
Fifth Semester	, <u>.</u>	
PMH 685	Management of Psychiatric Mental Health:	
	Geriatric	2
PMH 660	Management of Complex Mental Health	
	Across the Lifespan Practicum – 120 clinical hours	4
HP 576	Substance and Relationship Abuse	<u>3</u>
		9 Credits
Sixth Semester (Summer 2)		
PMH 695	Advanced Psychiatric Mental Health	
	Practicum – 240 clinical hours	4
		4 Credits

TOTAL 50 Credit Hours (600 Clinical Hours)

^{*} Courses count toward DNP as well