

# NURSING (NON-THESIS): DIRECT ENTRY TO ADVANCED PRACTICE NURSING (M.SC.A.) (61 CREDITS)

**Offered by:** Ingram School of Nursing (Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences)

**Degree:** Master of Science Applied

**Program credit weight:** 61

## Program Description

The M.Sc.(Applied) in Nursing; Non-Thesis - Direct Entry to Advanced Practice Nursing program is an entry to practice program structured for individuals with a non-nursing undergraduate degree to study to become a nurse in a three-year Master's program. The program focuses on the preparation needed for both entry-to-practice and advanced practice nursing. A Strengths-Based Nursing and health care approach is used in a variety of clinical settings. Emphasis is placed on bringing the best available evidence to nursing practice. Clinically relevant nursing challenges will be addressed in the choice of one of the two streams. Graduates of this program are eligible to write the OIIQ licensing exam.

**Note:** For information about Fall 2025 and Winter 2026 course offerings, please check back on May 8, 2025. Until then, the "Terms offered" field will appear blank for most courses while the class schedule is being finalized.

## Program Prerequisite

The completion of a Qualifying Year (QY) is mandatory before applying to Year 1 of the M.Sc.(Applied) in Nursing; Non-Thesis - Direct entry to Advanced Practice Nursing program.

## Required Courses (49 credits)

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Course	Title	Credits
IPEA 502	Partnership in Interprofessional Teams	0
IPEA 503	Managing Interprofessional Conflict.	0
NUR2 515	Applied Statistics for Nursing.	3
NUR2 516	Perspectives on Global Health.	3
NUR2 607	Children's Nursing	3
NUR2 609	Nursing Care of Children and their Families.	3
NUR2 610	Ambulatory/Community Care.	3
NUR2 611	Policy Leadership in Nursing.	3
NUR2 612	Research Methods in Nursing	3
NUR2 616	Advanced Clinical Skills.	4
NUR2 619	Nursing Clinical Skills Laboratory 4.	1
NUR2 621	Wound Care 2.	2
NUR2 623	Clinical Assessment and Therapeutics 1.	3

NUR2 626	Professional Issues in Nursing.	3
NUR2 634	Clinical Assessment and Therapeutics 2.	3
NUR2 637	Clinical Nursing Specialization.	3
NUR2 638	Nursing in Critical Care.	3
NUR2 640	Clinical Reasoning.	3
NUR2 642	Ethics in Advanced Practice.	3

## Complementary Courses (12 credits)

12 credits from one of the following streams.

### Knowledge Translation Stream

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Course	Title	Credits
NUR2 600	Knowledge Translation in Healthcare .	3
NUR2 601	Applied Knowledge Translation in Healthcare 1.	6
NUR2 602	Applied Knowledge Translation in Healthcare 2 .	3

### Research Stream

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Course	Title	Credits
NUR2 630	Research Project 1.	3
NUR2 631	Research Project 2.	6
NUR2 632	Research Project 3.	3