University of Massachusetts/Amherst

College of Nursing

Application for the Graduate Certificate in Nursing Education

Name: ___________________________________  __________________________  __________________________

First     Last     Middle

Address: _________________________________________________________________

Street     Town   State  Zip

Phone: __________________________  Email: __________________________

1. Are you already a matriculated student at UMass, College of Nursing?     Yes      No
   If no, please also complete the University of Massachusetts Amherst “Non-Degree Application”
   https://www.umass.edu/gradschool/admissions  (Matriculated students do NOT need to fill this out)

2. Non degree students, please also include, with this application a copy of:
   ✓ Personal Statement
   ✓ Resume
   ✓ Transcripts from Bachelor’s and/or Master’s degrees awarded
   ✓ Nursing license

Please submit this application and requirements to:
CGNE, College of Nursing
651 North Pleasant Street
Amherst, MA  01003

Program Description

Students must complete five 3-credit courses (15 total credit hours) consisting of:

Two required nursing courses
Two electives from the College of Education
Completion of the capstone teaching practicum

Required courses:
N642: Teaching in Nursing (3cr.)
N697T: Curriculum Development and Evaluation Process in Nursing (3cr.)

Electives: Student will select two courses from the College of Education. Some of the courses that can be used are:
Educ 595K: Introduction to College Teaching
Educ 692K: Foundations and Theories of Learning
Educ 691E: Social Issues in Education
Educ 615G: Integrating Tech with Instruction
Educ 615K: Community College Leadership
Educ 615T: College Impact on Students
Educ 674: Leading Higher Education

Teaching Practicum (3 cr) (this course should be taken last as a culmination course)
N698T: Teaching Practicum in Nursing: This course provides the framework, mentorship, and coaching for graduate students to develop skills in teaching in the classroom, in clinical settings, and in an online environment.

I have read and understand the requirements for the Certificate in Graduate Nursing Education

Signature: __________________________  Date: __________________________