

Master of Science in Nursing/Master of Business Administration

INTRODUCTION

The MSN/MBA program at Cleveland State University is designed to prepare nurses for careers in management and administration. This unique program offers graduates advanced knowledge, competencies, and skills in nursing of populations (aggregates) and a foundation for their growth into competent business managers. The graduate will have in-depth skills in demography, epidemiological assessment and data analysis, evidence based practice, survey research, data projections, cost-benefit analysis and the ability to apply nursing theory, business theory, ethics, cultural awareness and political strategies to design, implement, manage, and evaluate health programs, departments and facilities.

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

This 74 credit hour program is specifically designed for nurses who wish to pursue administrative careers. The program is offered in a combined traditional classroom and online format. It allows students to develop advanced computer skills necessary in today's business world and maintain the interaction colleagueship often acquired through traditional classroom learning. The MSN/MBA is offered as a dual degree with

the MBA accepting nine hours of core MSN courses as elective credit and the MSN program accepting 10 hours of core MBA courses. The program practicum synthesizes the nursing and business content as students apply business principles in nursing settings. This program is unique in that the business principles are integrated throughout the nursing curriculum.



DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

All students entering the program must meet all admission, course, and exit requirements for both the MSN and MBA degrees. Admission into the program requires students to have a bachelor's degree in nursing, a license to practice nursing in the state of Ohio, completion of all business prerequisite courses and evidence of an undergraduate statistics course. Students are also required to take the GMAT prior to admission. Students may contact the School of Nursing or

the College of Business Administration at CSU for specific program information.

For admission information contact:

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(216) 687-5599
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For program information contact:

School of Nursing, RT 915
(216) 687-3598
<http://www.csuohio.edu/nursing/MSN.MBA.htm>
College of Business
Administration, BU 308
(216) 687-6925
http://www.csuohio.edu/cba/advising_g/nursing.html