MS in Nursing and Interprofessional Leadership

TAN CHINGFEN GRADUATE SCHOOL OF NURSING

The Master of Science in nursing and interprofessional leadership program equips nurses with the knowledge and skills for a competitive edge to expand professional opportunities. The program focuses on building relationships and partnerships with all health care team members, including the patient and family, to advance health and improve health care in our communities.

Why choose MS in nursing and interprofessional leadership?

Graduates of this program gain valuable experience and skills to lead change and foster effective work environments in both clinical and non-clinical settings. The program provides an in-depth understanding of complex health care systems that allows the graduate to apply their new knowledge and skills in any specialty area, direct clinical care, management, quality improvement, informatics, community health, business, or government organizations.
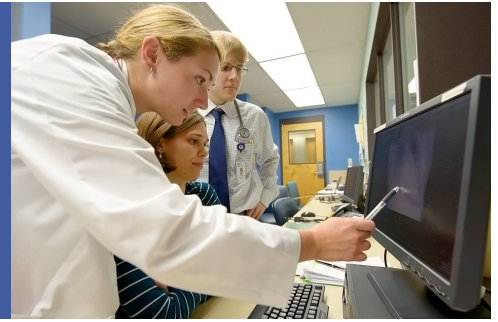

World-class facilities and clinical settings

UMass Chan's three graduate schools share a campus with clinical partner UMass Memorial Health as well as thriving biomedical research enterprise, providing students with a rich hands-on interprofessional learning environment and opportunities.

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Program options:

Students can attend the program either full or part-time. A hybrid model is available as well, offering flexibility that can accelerate degree completion. Program completion takes 12 to 18 months, depending on the option chosen. Scholarships are available upon acceptance to the program.

Upon program completion, graduates are prepared to:

- Lead and participate in interprofessional, collaborative team practices addressing health and health care delivery across populations;

- Appraise, synthesize and implement resolutions to improve health and health care processes for optimal outcomes;

- Advance health outcomes and equity through the application of principles in project development, strategic planning and ethical decision making;

- Build inclusive partnerships with stakeholders by using effective and culturally sensitive communication strategies;

- Mitigate disparities and inequities by engaging in political and health care advocacy;

- Leverage the newest technologies to facilitate solutions resulting in improved health outcomes and experiences; and

- Apply principles of cost-effective health care management and policy planning to decision making processes.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- Bachelor of Science in nursing from an accredited program or a RN with bachelor's degree in a related field

- Statistics course within 5 years is required as a prerequisite

- Current nursing license

- Established nursing practice experience

- Undergraduate GPA of 3.0 or higher

- Official transcripts from all post-secondary schools

- Current résumé/CV

- A 1,000 word personal statement explaining why you want to pursue this nursing specialty and your five-year career plan upon completion of the program.

- Three letters of recommendation, (one academic and two from professional contacts)

- Interview with faculty if application is moved forward

- TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language) results are needed for applicants whose language of instruction was not English. Scores above 250 on the computer test or 600 on the paper test or 100 on the internet-based testare recommended.

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