

State University of New York Downstate Health Sciences University

School of Health Professions

Master of Science Degree in Midwifery

Program of Study Acknowledgment for Fall 2023 Matriculants

(It is the student’s responsibility to maintain and update this advisement record and bring it to meetings with his/her advisor.)

Student ID No.

Name

Program Requirements

The 52-57 credits required for your degree are listed below. This Program of Study form reflects the curricular requirements listed on the **School of Health Professions website (www.downstate.edu)**. Students are responsible for familiarizing themselves with the website, the most recent Downstate Health Sciences University **Student Handbook** and the individual program student manual.

submit evidence of certification in Neonatal Resuscitation (AAP/AHA) to the Midwifery course (Advisor's Initials/Date) instructor during enrollment in NRMW 5106, Neonatology (Clinical) All students must hold an American Heart Association (AHA) Basic Life Support (BLS) certification, take a basic fetal monitoring course with examination and must hold current certification in neonatal resuscitation (AAP/AHA) prior to taking NRMW 5121 Intrapartum (Clinical)

Transfer Courses

Please refer to the **most recent Student Handbook** for specific information and guidelines regarding the award of transfer credit.

Year One - Fall Semester Courses (9-9.5 credits)					
Term Planned	Term Completed	Grade Earned	Course #	Course Title	Credits
			NRMW 5401	Research I	3
			NRMW 5407	Educational Theories, Philosophies, And Practices for Didactic and Clinical Teaching	3
			NRMW 5011	Prof. Issues & Leadership in Midwifery	3
			NRMW 5117	Continuity of Care in Midwifery Pract 1 (Elective) ##	0.5##

Year One - Spring Semester Courses (4-7.5 credits)					
Term Planned	Term Completed	Grade Earned	Course #	Course Title	Credits
			NRMW 5402	Research II +	3+
			NRMW 5403	Health Care Policy & Community Assessment **+	3**+
			NRMW 5216	Continuity of Care in Midwifery Pract 2 (Elective) ##	0.5##
			NRMW 5012	Toward Racial & Social Justice in Midwifery & Midwifery Education	1

Year One - Summer Semester Courses (0.5-3.5 credits)					
Term Planned	Term Completed	Grade Earned	Course #	Course Title	Credits
			NRMW 5302	International Women’s Health Policy ** +	3**+
			NRMW 5310	Continuity of Care in Midwifery Pract 3 (Elective) ##	0.5##

Year Two - Fall Semester Courses (9-12 credits)					
Term Planned	Term Completed	Grade Earned	Course #	Course Title	Credits
			MIDW 4001	Basic Health Skills*	3*
			NRMW 5205	Advanced Pharmacology	3
			NRMW 5112	Physical Assessment of Women (Didactic)	1
			NRMW 5113	Physical Assessment of Women (Clinical)	1
			NRMW 5114	Pelvic Assessment of Women (Didactic)	0.5
			NRMW 5115	Pelvic Assessment of Women (Clinical)	0.5
			NRMW 5116	Pathophysiology of Acute Chronic Conditions of Women and their Primary Care	3

Year Two - Spring Semester Courses (8.5 credits)					
Term Planned	Term Completed	Grade Earned	Course #	Course Title	Credits
			NRMW 5009	Obstetric Pharmacotherapeutics	1
			NRMW 5209	Medical & Obstetric Complications of Pregnancy	1.5
			NRMW 5212	Well Woman Gynecology (Didactic)	1.5
			NRMW 5213	Well Woman Gynecology (Clinical)***	1.5
			NRMW 5214	Antepartum Care (Didactic)	1.5
			NRMW 5215	Antepartum Care (Clinical)***	1.5

Year Two -Summer Semester Courses (2.5 credits)					
Term Planned	Term Completed	Grade Earned	Course #	Course Title	Credits
			NRMW 5208	Clinical Practicum in Primary Care	1
			NRMW 5309	Medical Complications of Pregnancy	1.5
			NRMW 5213	Well Woman Gynecology (Clinical)***	1.5

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Year Three - Fall Semester Courses (11 credits)

Term Planned	Term Completed	Grade Earned	Course #	Course Title	Credits
_____	_____	_____	NRMW 5106	Neonatology (Didactic)	2
_____	_____	_____	NRMW 5107	Neonatology (Clinical)	1
_____	_____	_____	NRMW 5118	Postpartum Care (Didactic)	
_____	_____	_____	NRMW 5119	Postpartum Care (Clinical)***	0.5
_____	_____	_____	NRMW 5120	Intrapartum Care (Didactic)	2.5
_____	_____	_____	NRMW 5121	Intrapartum Care (Clinical)***	
_____	_____	_____	NRMW 5409	Obstetric Complications of Pregnancy	1.5

Year Three - Spring Semester Courses (5 credits)

Term Planned	Term Completed	Grade Earned	Course #	Course Title	Credits
_____	_____	_____	NRMW 5119	Postpartum Care (Clinical)***	0.5
_____	_____	_____	NRMW 5120	Intrapartum Care (Clinical)***	3
_____	_____	_____	NRMW 5405	Integration of Clinical Studies***	4
_____	_____	_____	NRMW 5013	Preparation for Midwifery Practice***	1

Year Three S – Summer Semester (5 credits)

Term Planned	Term Completed	Grade Earned	Course #	Course Title	Credits
_____	_____	_____	NRMW 5405	Integration of Clinical Studies***	4
_____	_____	_____	NRMW 5013	Preparation for Midwifery Practice***	1

Course			May be taken any semester with program approval	
_____	_____	_____	NRMW 5700	Independent Study
				1-3

TOTAL CREDITS REQUIRED

52/55/56.5

* Registered nurses are exempt from this course as are other health are providers, at the discretion of the faculty. The credits for this course are undergraduate level credits and are not included in the number required for the Master’s Degree.

Either Health Care Policy Community Assessment, **NRMW 5403 or International Women’s Health Care Policy **NRMW 5302**, satisfies the requirement for the MS degree in Midwifery.

##This elective must be taken for all 3 semesters. It involves following one family planning a home birth through all prenatal visits, observing the birth, and following the family up to 6 weeks of the postpartum period. It must be taken for 3 semesters unless the family opts out of care or has care transferred to the hospital. Credits for these courses are not included in the number required for the Advanced Certificate or Master’s Degree.

***May be taken in one of two semesters.

+Courses in the MS in Midwifery Completion program.
