Teaching nurses **how to teach.**

OVERVIEW

The part-time, 35-credit Master's in Nursing Education program is designed for experienced working nurses who want to transition to a teaching role, either as a nurse educator in an academic setting or in a clinical teaching role. Graduates will be eligible for national CNE certification by meeting established nurse educator competencies.

OTHER PROGRAM OPTIONS

RN to BS to MS program
MS to PhD Dual Degree program
Post-Master's Certificate

CURRICULUM

The Nursing Education program is a hybrid online program, in which students will:

- learn the proven methods and technologies of effective teaching alongside other professionals in a variety of health care disciplines (courses are taught in collaboration with Warner Graduate School of Education and the School of Medicine and Dentistry)
- follow a cognitive apprenticeship model, and learn by observing, practicing, reflecting, and participating within a community of nurse educators
- complete coursework online, with some classroom time in the evenings for in-person support, to accommodate full-time work schedules
- complete a capstone project in the last semester based on career interests

PROGRAM ELIGIBILITY

- a bachelor's degree in nursing from an accredited college or university
- RN licensure within the United States or U.S. territory
- one year of clinical experience preferred
- CPR certification
- statistics course with a grade of C or above (Our *online, self-paced statistics course* can be completed in as little as four weeks)
- graduate-level writing course (may be taken as a non-matriculated course with NUR 401 – Writing Workshop course)
- undergraduate physical assessment course within the last 5 years or NSG 363 – Comprehensive Health Assessment Refresher (may be taken as a non-matriculated course). Required before registering for NLX 422.

CAREERS

Our Nursing Education program prepares nurses:

- to be educators — of patients, of health care providers, and of the next generation of nurses
- for positions in nursing schools, professional development, and patient education
- with vital knowledge about the 'science' of teaching, the variety of ways people learn, and best practices in the field

UR Nursing's master's programs ranked **No. 36** in the country by U.S. News & World Report

According to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, the median salary for full-time nurse educators in 2016 was **$76,480** per year at a college or university and **$86,980** per year at hospitals.

Students may complete this part-time, 35-credit program in as little as **five semesters.**

FINANCIAL AID

Scholarships

Numerous scholarships are available for qualifying students and programs. For a complete list of current opportunities, please visit son.rochester.edu/admissions.

Tuition Benefits

Many employers choose to provide tuition reimbursement benefits to their employees. At the University of Rochester, employees may receive substantial tuition benefits for up to two courses per semester, including summer sessions. Please contact your Human Resources office regarding your eligibility to receive tuition benefits.

APPLICATION DEADLINES

Applications are accepted on a rolling basis with the opportunity to enroll in fall, spring, or summer semesters. Program prerequisites and selected program courses may also be taken as a non-matriculated student.

ADMISSION CHECKLIST

To apply to the MNE Program, applicants will need to submit the following:

- ☐ current RN license
- ☐ official transcripts from all schools attended, including prerequisites (cumulative GPA of 3.0 preferred)
- ☐ two letters of recommendation
- ☐ professional goal statement
- ☐ resume or CV
- ☐ writing sample (academic paper or publication)
- ☐ for international students, TOEFL with a minimum score of 560 (paper-based), 230 (computer-based) or 88 (iBT)

Please send all supplemental application materials to:

Admissions Office
University of Rochester
School of Nursing
Box SON
601 Elmwood Avenue
Rochester, NY 14642

Learn more and apply: son.rochester.edu/apply