

**GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY
SCHOOL OF NURSING
BSN-PhD PROGRAM TRACK
FULL TIME PROGRAM PLAN OF STUDY**

Courses	Credits
Fall Semester 1 Year 1	
• NURS 8045 Introduction to Advanced Nursing Research	3
• NURS 8035 Theoretical & Philosophical Foundations of Nursing	3
• NURS 8120 Univariate Statistical Methods for Research Scientists	3
Spring Semester 2 Year 1	
• NURS 8012 Qualitative Research Methods	3
• NURS 8040 Theory Construction	3
• NURS 8140 Multivariate Statistical Methods for Research Scientists	3
Summer Semester 3 Year 1	
Preliminary Examination	
• NURS 8205 Leadership, Research Ethics & Policy <u>or</u> NURS 8100 Health in Vulnerable Populations	3
• NURS 8700 Scholarly Writing or CNHP 8100 Grant Writing	3
Fall Semester 4 Year 2	
• NURS 8050 Quantitative Research Methods I	3
• CNHP 8200 Instrument Evaluation & Construction	3
• Area of concentration course*	3
Spring Semester 5 Year 2	
• NURS 8051 Quantitative Research Methods II	3
• NURS 8001 Epidemiology for Health Professionals	3
• Area of concentration course*	3
Summer Semester 6 Year 2	
• NURS 8205 Leadership, Research Ethics & Policy <u>or</u> NURS 8100 Health in Vulnerable Populations	3
• CNHP 8500 Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis	3
Fall Semester 7 Year 3	
• CNHP 7800 Interprofessional Collaboration	3
• NURS 8240 Advanced Data Management	3
• Area of concentration course*	3
Spring Semester 8 Year 3	
• Area of concentration course*	3
• NURS 9000 Dissertation Proposal	3
Dissertation Summer Semester Year 3 & Year 4	
• NURS 9990 Dissertation (3 credits per semester to total 9 credit hours)	9
Note: * Area of concentration courses are selected with the guidance of the PhD Advisory Committee. **The BSN-PhD program is a total of 72 credits hours in length.	