## Curriculum Sequence**
### 2012-2013

### Spring Semester — Senior Year
- Theology: Ethics or Religion/Culture
- Elective
- Nurs 472 Care of the Complex Client
- Nurs 473 Care of the Complex Client Practicum
- Nurs 680 Adv. Pathophysiology
- Nurs 854 Advanced Informatics

### Summer Semester — following BSN graduation
- Non-course: *Nurs 690 Health Policy for BSN Honors*
- *interim course*
- Completion of NCLEX
- Nurs 756 Adv. Health Assessment
- Nurs 502 Graduate Nursing Research
- Nurs 658 Adv Pharmacology

### Fall Semester
- Nurs 556 Intro to CNL
- Nurs 503 Epidemiology
- Nurs 501 Graduate Nursing Theory

### Spring Semester
- Nurs 602 Applying CNL Concepts
- Nurs 500 Ethics

### Summer Semester
- Nurs 754 Leadership & Management
- Nurs 853 Leadership Practicum
- Nurs 852 Leadership for Quality

**Sequence subject to change depending on student and program needs**
BSN-MSN Clinical Nurse Leader Honors Program at Xavier University School of Nursing

Baccalaureate nursing students have the opportunity to complete a master’s degree with a concentration in Clinical Nurse Leader (CNL) within one calendar year and one practicum semester following BSN graduation.

The Clinical Nurse Leader is an advanced generalist who functions at the point of care to improve quality, safety, and continuity of care for the patient. Certification, by examination, is available to students in the final semester of the curriculum.

Who—Fall semester seniors or spring semester Junior nursing students can apply for admission to the Honors option.

What—43 Credit MSN program that builds upon the baccalaureate generalist degree and prepares graduates as advanced generalists in the role of CNL.

When—Students will begin the program in the spring semester, senior year and continue full time graduate study during the following summer, fall, and spring semesters, completing a 300 hour residency during the following summer semester.

Where—The nursing coursework will occur on Xavier’s campus and is video-conferenced to distant sites.

How—Contact Marilyn Gomez at 513-745-4392, email Gomez@xavier.edu, or Dr. Cynthia Sublett at 513-745-4333, email sublett@xavier.edu for application packet.

Consider Xavier for your MSN!

The role of the Clinical Nurse Leader (CNL) is significant for health care and has potential to measurably improve quality, safety, and continuity of health care. Many healthcare institutions have found that the CNL has saved their institutions many dollars by decreasing infections, unnecessary procedures, and assuring continuity of care.

Admission to the Program
1) Completed application form
2) Official transcript demonstrating 3.2 cumulative grade point average that must be maintained through the beginning of the program in nursing and pre-requisite science courses.
3) Completion of essay about interest in CNL role
4) Three (3) faculty references

A great opportunity to begin your career!
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