



Rivier

UNIVERSITY

MSN

Master of Science in
Nursing – Leadership in
Health Systems
Management

Become a nurse leader in policy and patient care

Prepare for leadership roles in all practice environments.

The nursing profession is experiencing dramatic change. Nurse leaders are being called upon to assist in the transformation of healthcare delivery systems to improve population health and patient outcomes.

The aging baby boomer population, increased access and demand for medical services, and expected RN retirements present a unique challenge for the healthcare workforce. The need for nurse leaders is increasing; in fact, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics projects employment for medical and health services managers will grow 28% from 2021 to 2031, much faster than average for all occupations.

Change Makers and Masters

The MSN – Leadership in Health Systems Management program prepares you to assume supervisory and management responsibilities in all practice environments, building the skills necessary to put you on a leadership career track. As a nurse leader, you'll direct and manage nursing staff workflow to facilitate and deliver exceptional patient care, advocating for your patients, nurses, and the nursing profession.

Choose Rivier

Program graduates develop the emotional intelligence, critical thinking, problem-solving, and decision-making skills to effectively lead a group and advance organizational objectives. Offered online, this program provides a quality education in a flexible, convenient format that can be designed around your professional and personal schedules.



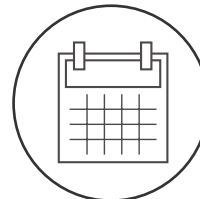
Course Formats

Online



#1 Ranked

Nursing School
in NH



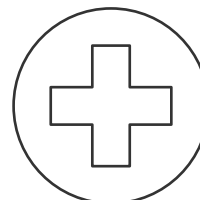
Estimated Program Length

2 years



Top 50

ranked private
Nursing School
in the nation



Multiple Entry Points

Based on
previous experience



Total Program Credits

36



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Program Start Dates

Three term starts per year allow you to begin your program in September, January or May. Completed applications are reviewed as they are received throughout the year.

Course of Study

Required Courses

BUS 559 - Healthcare Finance
BUS 569 - Healthcare Administration
BUS 632 - Healthcare Information Systems
BUS 654 - Compliance and Risk Management in Healthcare Settings
NSG 561 - Advanced Nursing Leadership I
NSG 562 - Advanced Nursing Leadership I Practicum
NSG 563 - Advanced Nursing Leadership II
NSG 564 - Advanced Nursing Leadership II Practicum
NSG 601 - Quality Healthcare Improvement
NSG 602 - Evidence-Based Practice in Nursing & Healthcare
NSG 606 - Research Capstone Advisement
NSG 610 - Advanced Health Policy
NSG 620 - Biostatistics for the Health Sciences

Note: Nursing practicums may be completed in student's geographic location.

Bridge Options

The University offers bridge options for nurses with an associate degree or diploma preparation (RN-MS) as well as an option for RNs with a bachelor's degree in another field. These programs have additional requirements.

Accreditation

Rivier University's ASN, BSN, MSN, Post-Master's Certificates, and DNP programs located in Nashua, NH, are accredited by the Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN), 3390 Peachtree Road NE, Suite 1400, Atlanta, GA 30326, (404) 975-5000.

The most recent accreditation decision made by the ACEN Board of Commissioners for the master's nursing program is Continuing Accreditation. View the public information disclosed by the ACEN regarding this program at rivier.edu/ACEN.

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90+

years of
educational excellence

24,000+

strong alumni network

How to Apply

1. **Apply online** at rivier.edu/apply.
There is no application fee.
2. **Review and complete the application process** at rivier.edu/gradadmissions.
3. **Have questions?** For personal support, contact us at (603) 897-8507 or email admissions@rivier.edu.

Quick Links

Ask a Question – admissions@rivier.edu

Schedule a Visit – events.rivier.edu

Talk to an Admissions Counselor – rivier.edu/team

Tuition & Fees – rivier.edu/tuition



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