

**Kentucky Board of Nursing
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Name	Type	Address/Phone/Contact	Format	
Bellarmino University Accreditation: CCNE & SACS	Masters	Address: 2001 Newburg Road, Miles Hall, Louisville KY 40205 Phone: (502) 272-8215 Contact: Julieab@bellarmine.edu Website: www.bellarmino.edu/lansing	Traditional Classroom	FNP only
		Combination On-line & Live Classroom	Evening & weekends	
Nursing Education; Nursing Administration; Family Nurse Practitioner; MSN/MBA Dual Degree Option; Post-masters certificates in Nursing Education and Nursing Administration				
Bellarmino University Accreditation: SACS	Doctoral	Address: 2001 Newburg Road, Miles Hall, Louisville KY 40205 Phone: (502) 272-8215 Contact: Julieab@bellarmine.edu Website: www.bellarmino.edu/nursing	Combination On-line & Live Classroom	MSN to DNP
		Post MSN-DNP: This program prepares nurses for clinical leadership in one of two tracks: Advanced Practice Nursing focus and Advanced Leadership. Courses are delivered as a blend of in-class, online, and clinic experiences, with classes generally meeting on campus 4 weekends each semester.		
Eastern Kentucky University Accreditation: CCNE & SACS	Masters	Address: 521 Lancaster Avenue, Richmond KY 40475 Phone Number: (859) 622-1838 Contact: Angie.Wheeler@eku.edu Website: www.bsn-gn.eku.edu	On-Line Format	
		Rural Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner and Public Health Nursing-Administration and Education Options are 100% online starting Spring 2013; Rural Health Family Nurse Practitioner option will be 100% online starting Summer 2013; Post-MSN Certificate: Psych-Mental Health NP and Public Health Nursing-Administration and Education are starting online Spring 2013; Family NP will be 100% online starting Summer 2013.		
Eastern Kentucky University Accreditation: SACS	Doctoral	Address: 521 Lancaster Avenue, Rowlett Bldg., Rm. 223, Richmond KY 40475 Phone Number: (859) 622-1838 Contact: Angie.Wheeler@eku.edu Website: www.bsn-gn.eku.edu.DNP	Post MSN DNP 100% online	

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Frontier Nursing University Accreditation: ACEN	Masters	Address: P. O. Box 528, Hyden KY 41749 Phone Number: (606) 672-2312 Contact: Debra.turner@frontier.edu Website: www.frontier.edu	Traditional Classroom	
			On-Line Format	Day, Evening, Weekend
			Combination On-line & Live Classroom	
Tracks available: Nurse-Midwifery, Family Nurse Practitioner, Women's Health Care Nurse Practitioner				
Frontier Nursing University Accreditation: ACEN	Doctoral	Address: P. O. Box 528, Hyden KY 41749 Phone Number: (606) 672-2312 Contact: Debra.turner@frontier.edu Website: www.frontier.edu	Traditional Classroom	
			On-Line Format	Post MSN-DNP & DNP
			Combination On-line & Live Classroom	
Tracks available: Nurse-midwifery, Family Nurse Practitioner, Women's Health Care Nurse Practitioner				
Indiana Wesleyan University Accreditation: CCNE	Masters	Address: Indiana Wesleyan University Education Center, 500 Meijers Drive, Florence KY 41042 Phone Number: (859) 372-8878 Contact: Steve Evans @ 800-621-8667, ext. 2045 or Steve.evans@indwes.edu Website: www.indwses.edu/nursing		
McKendree University - Louisville & Radcliff campuses Accreditation: ACEN & CCNE	Masters	Address: 10168 Linn Station Road, Suite 100, Louisville KY 40223 Phone Number: (502) 266-6696 (Louisville); (270) 351-5003 (Radcliff) Contact: klmarkuson@mckendree.edu Website: www.mckendree.edu/Kentucky	Traditional Classroom	
			On-Line Format	
			Combination On-line & Live Classroom	RN-MSN
Tracks: Administration / Management and Nurse Educator Tracks				

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Murray State University Accreditation: CCNE & Council on Accreditation of Nurse Anesthesia Educational Programs	Masters	Address: 120 Mason Hall, Murray KY 42071 Phone Number: (270) 809-2193 Contact: Dina.byers@murraystate.edu Website: http://www.murraystate.edu/Academics/CollegesDepartments/Nursing/MSN.aspx	Traditional Classroom	
		On-Line Format		
		Combination On-line & Live Classroom	Yes	
		Academic Nurse Educator (ANE); Clinical Nurse Specialist (CNS) - Adult Health; Family Nurse Practitioner (FNP) Nurse Anesthesia - Baptist Health Care/Murray State University Program of Anesthesia, 435 N. Kentucky Avenue, Suite A, Madisonville KY 42431 (270-824-3460)		
Murray State University Accreditation: CCNE pending	Doctorate	Address: 120 Mason Hall, Murray KY 42071 Phone Number (270) 809-2196 Contact: dbyers@murraystate.edu Website: http://www.murraystate.edu/nursing.aspx	Traditional Classroom	
		On-Line Format		
		Combination On-line & Live Classroom		
Northern Kentucky University Accreditation: ACEN	Masters	Address: 206 Albright Health Center, Highland Heights KY 41099 Phone Number: (859) 572-7964 Contact: Sarah Dill at dills1@nku.edu Website: http://healthprofessions.nku.edu/departments/advancednursing.html	Traditional Classroom	Day & Evening
		On-Line Format		
		Combination On-line & Live Classroom		
		MSN, Post MSN and NP advancement programs offered in evening classroom & online format. Majors include: FNP, ANP, PNP, ACNP, Nurse Executive Leadership, Nursing Informatics, and Nursing Education. NP Advancement programs include ANP to FNP, PNP to FNP, CNM/WHNP to ANP or FNP and Psych NP only for Post MSN NPs. Post MSN certificates available in nursing administration, nursing education, and NP tracks.		
Northern Kentucky University Accreditation: ACEN candidate	Doctorate	Address: 206 Albright Health Center, Highland Heights KY 41099 Phone Number: (859) 572-5579 Contact: A. J. Miller at millera5@nku.edu Website: http://healthprofessions.nku.edu/departments/advancednursing.html	Traditional Classroom	
		On-Line Format		
		Combination On-line & Live Classroom		
Spalding University Accreditation: CCNE	Masters	Address: 851 South Fourth Street, Louisville KY 40203 Phone Number: (502) 585-9911, Ext. 2227 Contact: nursing@spalding.edu Website: www.spalding.edu/nursing	Traditional Classroom	Day
		On-Line Format		
		Combination On-line & Live Classroom		
		Tracks: Nurse Educator; Leadership in Nursing and Healthcare; Nurse Practitioner - Adult, Family, Pediatric Options: Post Masters Certificate - Nurse Educator		

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University of Kentucky Accreditation: CCNE/SACS	Doctoral	Address: 315 College of Nursing Building, 751 Rose Street, Lexington KY 40536-0232 Phone Number: (859) 323-5108 Contact: cons@uky.edu Website: http://www.mc.uky.edu/Nursing/	PhD BSN-PhD		BSN-DNP Post MSN-DNP
<p>Post MSN-DNP: This program prepares nurses for clinical and executive leadership. Courses are offered via a web enhanced delivery model with class meetings on campus approximately five times each semester. Options for full-time and part-time study are available.</p> <p>BSN-DNP: In addition to the description for the post-Master's/DNP option, the BSN-DNP option prepares graduates for certification as Advanced Practice Registered Nurses (APRN) in direct care roles as Primary Care, Pediatric, Psychiatric Mental Health or Acute Care Nurse Practitioners (NP) and Adult Clinical Nurse Specialist (CNS). Options are also available in Nursing Management and Public Health.</p> <p>PhD: Prepares nurses to assume academic research and teaching positions in a wide range of settings from small colleges to leading universities with academic health centers. All core nursing courses are offered on the same day (Wednesday).</p> <p>BSN-PhD: Prepares nurses to assume same positions as above. Program shortens time to PhD by a minimum of one year full-time and two years part-time over traditional BSN to MSN to PhD route.</p>					
University of Louisville Accreditation: CCNE	Masters	Address: School of Nursing, University of Louisville, Louisville KY 40292 Phone Number: (502) 852-1196 Contact: Pamoon01@louisville.edu Website: www.louisville.edu/nursing	All classes scheduled Thursday each week of Fall & Spring semesters		Most courses are offered as web- enhanced.
<p>Nurse Practitioner: Adult Acute Care; Adult Primary Care; Women's Health /Family: Family; Psych/Mental Health; Neonatal Nurse Practitioner; MSN with a Certificate in Health Professions Education - Post Masters Certificate programs for the Nurse Practitioner tracks.</p>					
University of Louisville Accreditation: CCNE/SACS	Doctoral	Address: School of Nursing, 555 South Floyd Street, Louisville KY 40202 Phone Number: (502) 852-8387 Contact: Carla.hermann@louisville.edu ; kegate01@louisville.edu Website: www.louisville.edu/nursing	BSN to PhD MSN to PhD	BSN to PhD	BSN to PhD MSN to PhD
<p>BSN to PhD - Take 18 core hours at the masters level; some classes are online. Traditional classes meet on Thursdays. Students then move into doctoral level coursework.</p> <p>MSN to PhD - Not all course are online at the PhD level, but working toward development. Traditional courses from the School of Nursing meet on Mondays.</p> <p>Other: Health Professions Teaching Certificate offered with the School of Education and Human Development</p>					

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Western Kentucky University Accreditation: CCNE	Masters	Address: 1906 College Heights Blvd., #11036, Bowling Green KY 42101-1036 Phone Number: (270) 745-3391 Contact: Beverly.siegrist@wku.edu Website: http://www.wku.edu/nursing	FNP didactic classes scheduled on Tuesdays; most face-to-face classes offered IVS with sites located in Bowling Green, Glasgow, Owensboro, & Elizabethtown	Core classes for all specialties available online. All didactic courses in Nurse Educator online. Clinical may be completed in student's geographic area.	All classes web-enhanced.
Family Nurse Practitioner, Nurse Educator, Nurse Administrator & Psychiatric Nurse Practitioner (specialty courses are taught from the University of Louisville) Post Masters Certificate programs available for the following options: Family Nurse Practitioner, Nurse Educator, and Nurse Administrator. Final class for MSN-FNP is fall 2013 - this specialty moves to BSN-DNP.					
Western Kentucky University Accreditation: CCNE pending - visit scheduled February 2013	Doctoral	Address: 1906 College Heights Blvd., #11036, Bowling Green KY 42101-1036 Phone Number: (270) 745-3490 Contact: Eve.main@wku.edu Website: http://www.wku.edu/nursing	BSN to DNP Option Combination On-Line, Traditional, & IVS with sites in Bowling Green, Glasgow, Owensboro, & Elizabethtown Post-MSN DNP Option All classes are web-enhanced. Classes meet one Saturday a month, four times a semester.		