OVERVIEW
The Nursing Education Minor and Post-Professional Nursing Education Certificate combine didactic courses and two field-based preceptorships in settings and roles of the student’s interest. The curriculum prepares students to apply instructional theory and research in the following types of educational settings and roles: schools of nursing, health care agency staff development, continuing education departments, advanced practice nursing, and patient and community education agencies. The minor is available to enrolled University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing graduate students. Students should consult with their academic advisor.

Graduates of the Nursing Education Minor or Post-Professional Nursing Education Certificate may be eligible for the Certified Nurse Education Exam offered by the National League for Nursing (NLN). Visit NLN (nln.org) for eligibility requirements.

CURRICULUM FORMAT
Nursing Education MINOR
- Onsite
- Part-time (~ 4-5 terms)
- 12 credits (includes 330 practicum hours)

Post-Professional Nursing Education CERTIFICATE
- Onsite
- Part-time (~ 4-5 terms)
- 15 credits (includes 330 practicum hours)
- Fall, Spring and Summer Term Admission

ADMISSION CRITERIA: Nursing Education MINOR
- ≥ 3.0 GPA in current MSN or DNP Program

ADMISSION CRITERIA: Post-Professional Nursing Education CERTIFICATE
- Current RN license in U.S. state/territory or locale where student will complete clinical requirements
- ≥ 3.0 GPA in MSN or DNP Degree (from ACEN [NLN], ACICS, or CCNE accredited program)
- Pre-admission interview
- Complete online application: nursing.pitt.edu
- International applicants: nursing.pitt.edu & ois.pitt.edu

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