International Nursing PhD Program

Introduction of Program

National Taipei University of Nursing and Health Sciences originally founded in 1954 and was the first nursing college in Taiwan. In 2005, NTUNHS established a doctoral program in nursing; this was the first doctoral nursing program in the nation provided by a technological and vocational school. In response to students' diversified development and career planning needs, the School of Nursing has the best-rated PhD-level faculty in the country, and develops competency-based courses connected to the nursing practice, as well as implement objective methods for competence assessment. Our doctoral program aims to nurture healthcare talents in nursing leadership, nursing education, and nursing research.



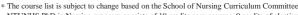
Graduation Requirements

After PhD nursing students successfully complete the first year study with total 19 credits of coursework, they can take a comprehensive written PhD Qualifying exam. Students will be able to take the proposal defense and dissertation defense after they have passed their qualifying exam. Students will need to fulfill a Learning Achievement score by publishing their academic articles, presenting conference papers, or registering a (related product) patent. Each student also needs to have at least 14 days of international learning experience abroad at schools or organizations recognized internationally.



Curriculum

Required Courses (RC)	Elective Courses (EC)
Science Philosophy & Knowledge Development	The Ergonomics Project of Health Care
Advanced Quantitative Research Methods	Measurement and Instrumentation
Doctoral Seminar in Nursing Science	Dissertation Independent Study I
Advanced Biostatistics	Leadership and Decision Making
Advanced Nursing Practicum	Design and Analysis of Nursing Intervention Studies
Advanced Qualitative Research	Dissertation Independent Study II
Environment and Health Policy	Dissertation Seminar
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^{**} NTUNHS PhD in Nursing program consists of 19 credits core courses, 9 credits of elective courses, and 12 credits of dissertation courses.



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Admission Criteria

- 1. Do not have overseas Chinese status and do not hold a R.O.C. (Taiwan) passport at least for past eight years.
- 2. Have a master's degree in fields related to nursing or midwifery from universities and colleges approved by R.O.C. (Taiwan) Ministry of Education.
- *Applicants who have completed their master's degree at a non-English speaking academic institution, are required to have evidence of English proficiency equivalent to TOEFL iBT test score of 60 or IELTS 6.0 or higher.

Application

Application Period: January 1 - March 31

English Documents required

- 1. NTUNHS Application Form & NTUNHS Medical Report
- 2. College diploma/ certificate & all college-level official transcript.
- 3. Three letters of recommendation
- 4. Study plan/ statement of purpose/ research goals
- 5. Evidence of English proficiency (apply IELTS or TOEFL test report from official web and directly sent to NTUNHS International and Cross-Strait Education Centre)
- 6. CV/ Resume and other supporting materials
- 7. Passport biographical page
- 8. Financial statement (scholarship recipients will be waived)
- 9. Writing Sample (manuscript, thesis, report, publication...)
- 10. A copy of Taiwan/Taiwan ICDF Scholarship application form (if applicable)

* Both paper and online application are accepted.

- **Applicants should upload all the required documents to NTUNHS online application site or post it to school address. Moreover, applicants should make sure submitted documents are not illegible or blurry.
- ***Admitted students need to submit official certificate/ diploma, transcript and financial statement to Taiwan

(R.O.C.) Embassy or Representative Office for authentication after accepted by NTUNHS. If failed to provide above documents before registration, NTUNHS has the right to revoke the admissions.

Scholarship Opportunity

- 1. Taiwan Scholarship: Application forms and relevant documents must submit to R.O.C. (Taiwan) Embassy or Representative Office. The actual application period for each local Taiwan Representative Office will announce in its publicly available information. (https://tinyurl.com/wfu9hvo)
- 2. NTUNHS Scholarship: Application forms and relevant materials must submit to NTUNHS after the applicant is accepted.

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