



**BRANDON UNIVERSITY  
FACULTY OF HEALTH STUDIES**

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**Subject:** Second Degree Requirements

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**Program:** Master of Psychiatric Nursing

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Students who have completed a first Masters degree and who are seeking the Master of Psychiatric Nursing (MPN) as a second degree are required to complete a minimum of 21 credit hours of Brandon University courses, but no more than 33 credit hours, depending on previous education. Every student enrolled in the MPN program must complete 75:700 Graduate Thesis.

**Process**

Previous education will be assessed by the MPN Program Steering Committee to determine specific courses that second degree students will be required to complete within the range of 21 and 33 credit hours. The decision about MPN program composition will be provided to the student in writing by the MPN Program Coordinator with a copy sent to the University Registrar and a copy placed within the student file.