



THE UNIVERSITY OF MAINE

School of Nursing

Master of Science in Nursing Nurse Educator

How long will it take me to complete the program?

Full-time students can expect to complete the program in two years, including summer sessions. Part-time students may take three to four years to complete the program. The program consists of 36 credits.

Do I have to come to campus for classes?

The majority of the courses are online. Some courses do require live participation on a periodic basis either on campus or via distance technology (e.g. Zoom). There may be times where you will be required to come to campus. Course instructors will provide details in the first week of classes.

Do I have to do a thesis?

Although Master's Nursing students do have the option of doing a thesis, most students elect the non-thesis option. With this option, you will explore an area of advanced practice nursing related to your personal areas of interest.

Is this for Academic or Staff Development Educators?

The program is appropriate for students who wish to gain knowledge in nursing education either in the academic or clinical setting. A precepted field experience can be tailored to the student's area of interest.