



CHRISTINE E. LYNN  
COLLEGE OF NURSING  
Florida Atlantic University

## MASTER OF SCIENCE DEGREE NURSE EDUCATOR TRACK

*The Christine E. Lynn College of Nursing is dedicated to Caring: advancing the science, practicing the art, studying its meaning and living it day-to-day.*



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# NURSE EDUCATOR TRACK

## Introduction to the Nurse Educator Track

Completion of the Nurse Educator track prepares students to function in new and innovative ways as nurse educators. Students choosing the Nurse Educator focus will be able to:

- Design methods of teaching, learning and evaluation for nursing education in the classroom, online, and nursing practice/clinical settings.
- Analyze and develop plans of study in nursing based on appropriate curricular principles.
- Integrate caring as a theoretical model into an educational framework.
- Apply the role of nurse educator, demonstrating successful instructional methods in the classroom, online, and nursing practice/clinical settings.

The Nurse Educator track requires a minimum of 39 credit hours. Full and part-time programs of study are available. Many courses are available online. Students complete a minimum of 360 supervised Nurse Educator practicum hours and 180 supervised direct care focus hours.

At the completion of the program graduates are eligible to sit for the National League for Nursing Nurse Educator Certification.

A Nurse Educator post master's certificate is available.

## Admission Requirements

- Earned B.S.N. from an accredited bachelor's program in nursing.
- Minimum grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale for the final 60 baccalaureate-level course credits in the B.S.N. program (Graduate Record Examination (GRE) or Miller Analogies Test (MAT) scores are required for applicants with a grade point average of less than 3.0).
- Basic undergraduate statistics course.
- Baccalaureate-level, upper-division nursing research course.
- Résumé or Curriculum vitae (CV) presented in specified format located on the College of Nursing website.
- A written essay describing the student's philosophy of nursing (guidelines located on the College of Nursing website).
- Two letters of recommendation (guidelines located on the College of Nursing website).
- Current RN licensure to practice nursing.
- An interview and on-site writing sample may be required.
- Practice experience is not required but may be considered as part of the overall quality of the application.
- Background check (completed upon admission).