

**BRANDON UNIVERSITY  
FACULTY OF HEALTH STUDIES**

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<b>Subject:</b> Residency Requirement	<b>Date:</b>	<b>November 29, 2010</b>
<b>Program:</b> Master of Psychiatric Nursing	<b>Revised:</b>	<b>November 22, 2023</b>
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A minimum of 21 credit hours must be awarded by Brandon University in order to satisfy residency requirements for the Master of Psychiatric Nursing (MPN) program. Course credit obtained through other universities and / or through Prior Learning Assessment may not exceed 12 credit hours.

Courses are delivered online. In person attendance is mandatory at the on-campus orientation session held annually in August, for ALL new students admitted to the MPN program. Returning students are required to attend one additional virtual orientation session prior to registering for Advanced Readings 75.656. In the event that Public Health regulations restrict in person activities all sessions will be offered virtually. Requests for absence from an orientation session are submitted to the MPN Steering Committee by June 1st and the outcome will be decided on an individual, case-by-case basis