

# **MASTER OF NURSING**

#### **Leading the Nation**

The Faculty of Nursing at the University of Alberta is ranked **first in Canada** and **fifth in the world**. Participating in our graduate program will position you as an innovative and expert nurse leader who is ready to advance professional nursing roles in diverse and complex contexts.

Build knowledge and skills that prepare you to refresh your career. Explore focus areas such as teaching in academia, management roles in a variety of settings, researching the next advancements in care or becoming a nurse practitioner.

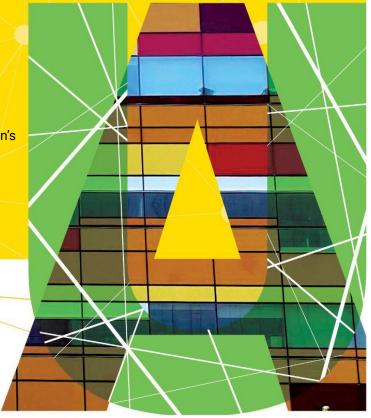
#### **Education excellence**

Pursuing graduate studies is an excellent investment, particularly in a demanding job market. Highlights of our programs include:

- \$749,527 in grants/awards given to graduate students in 2022-2023.
- Areas of research excellence: Children and Women's Health, Healthy Aging, Health Equity and Health Systems.
- Emerging areas of research: Global Health and Migration, Mental Health.

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### **Unique Offerings**

Our Masters program provides the ability to establish relationships with top Canadian Nursing Faculty, including award winning researchers and teachers, and can provide you:

- Advanced skills to support and lead nursing practice in your area of focus/expertise.
- Ability to move quickly into leadership roles in diverse settings.
- Foundation to continue your studies towards a PhD for academic research careers.

#### **Connected Curriculum**

- Inquiry and research are intimately linked with learning and practice.
- Connects students to each other, faculty, faculty research, questions and issues in nursing, and to diverse ways of knowing and inquiring.
- Students engage in "Community of Inquiry" courses that develop skills to ask good questions, analyze information and current literature, and utilize a structured, guided, and independent approach to research and inquiries. These courses build towards the completion of capstone or research projects.

### **Program Structure**

**Time to Completion:** 20 months (full-time) to 3 years (part-time)

**Delivery:** Course-based or Thesis-based

Course work: Part-time or full-time, flexible scheduling (daytime/evening, blended/hybrid

classes). Students must be available to participate in regularly scheduled classes

and seminars

**Opportunities:** Students select one of four Advanced Focus areas of study in Education,

Leadership, Research, or Clinical (leads to licensing as a Nurse Practitioner)

**Application Deadline January 15** 

