

**Course:**

**NURS 5050 Research and Evidence Based Practice in Nursing and Health Care**

**3 hours**

**Majors (Grad)**

Nursing (B.S.N. to M.S.N.)

Nursing (R.N. to M.S.N.)

Nursing/Business Administration (M.S.N./M.B.A.) Joint Degree

**Departments/Programs:**

Nursing (Graduate)

This course focuses on quantitative and qualitative research areas and methods used in health care. Analysis of the research process and application of research findings to health care will be emphasized. Students will design a best practice proposal related to an identified problem in nursing, health outcomes of a specific population or nursing education. At the end of the course students will have completed a literature review and methods section for a research project.

*Prerequisite(s): Admission to the MSN or MSN/MBA program and NURS 5020 Health Care Statistics, or permission of the Nursing Department Chair or Program Director.*

*Pre or corequisite(s): NURS 5010 Professional Communication in Nursing.*