



**MÄLARDALENS HÖGSKOLA  
ESKILSTUNA VÄSTERÅS**

Programme Schedule for 2017/2018  
AMM09

## **Programme Schedule for Master's Programme in Health and Welfare: Caring Science and Nursing, 120 credits**

Programme code: AMM09

### **Valid for the academic year 2017/2018**

The program schedule has been examined and approved by Dean of School at the School of Health, Care and Social Welfare on 2017-02-28.

### **About the program schedule**

Every degree program has an established program syllabus in which all the courses included in the program appear, divided up by term. The programme syllabus is supplemented annually with a programme schedule stating in which study period a programme course is run, in which city it takes place, if it collides with another course, and so on. The programme schedule is valid for one year at a time.

Courses which belong to the main field of study for a degree have been marked with “X” in the column Main field of study.

K1, K2 etc. in the study period columns indicate timetable positions and show whether the courses collide or not. Courses with the same K-value collide; courses with different K-values do not collide. Courses with the value “X” can collide with other courses in the study period. “pg” indicates that you have a guaranteed place for the course in that particular study period and that programme term. “comp” indicates that you are applying in competition with all the other programme students at MDH (Mälardalen University). “E” indicates that the course is given in Eskilstuna and “V” that it is given in Västerås.

In the column “Overlapping courses” is indicated courses that wholly or partly overlap with the current course on that row. If you have read overlapping courses you may only be accredited with overlapping credits once in a degree. An “X” in the column means that there are no overlapping courses. Contact your Study Adviser for more information.



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### Level and Classification of Progressive Specialisation

The University uses the following designations for the classification of progressive specialisation, where “G” indicates that the course belongs to a programme at first-cycle level and “A” that the course belongs to second-cycle level:

- G1N course with only upper secondary school entry requirements
- G1F course with less than 60-credit course/courses at first-cycle level as entry requirements
- G1E course including a specially-designed degree project for a higher education diploma
- G2F course with at least 60-credit course/courses at first-cycle level as entry requirements
- G2E course with at least 60-credit course/courses at first-cycle level as entry requirements and which includes a degree project for a Bachelor’s degree
- GXX course which cannot be classified according to the above model
- A1N course with only course/courses at first-cycle level as entry requirements
- A1F course with course/courses at second-cycle level as entry requirements
- A1E course which includes a degree project for a Master’s degree (60 credits)
- A2E course which includes a degree project for a Master’s degree (120 credits)
- AXX course which cannot be classified according to the above model

Previously “GN” was used to indicate that the course belongs to a study programme at first-cycle level and “AN” that the course belongs to second-cycle level. 100, 200 and 300 respectively indicated the level of progressive specialisation within the first-cycle level. For specialisation at the second-cycle level see the respective course syllabus.

### Choice within the programme

During the course of your education you can be given the possibility of choosing courses within the programme. The choice is made by 15 April at the latest for an autumn term and by 15 October at the latest for a spring term. Prior to these choices the host School will provide information about the different options and about how to choose.

When you make your choices you must always base these on the programme syllabus together with the degree requirements for the degree you wish to obtain. Contact your Study Adviser for more information.

To be able to be admitted to a course you must always fulfil the specific eligibility requirements which are stated in the course syllabus, regardless of whether you have a guaranteed place or not. For more information about choice of courses within a programme, see MDH’s (Mälardalen University’s) website for “Current Students” (“Admissions”). See also the local System of Qualifications, which contains all the qualification descriptors.

### Other information

Depending on the number of applicants for the individual courses, courses may be cancelled. You should therefore state reserve alternatives when choosing courses.

The courses are given in English.



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Terms 1 and 2 for programmes starting in the autumn term 2017

Main field of study	Title/Course name	Course code	Level/Specialisation	Credits	Study periods								pg/comp	Rate of study, Form of study, City	Overlapping courses
					FALL				SPRING						
					HT1		HT2		VT1		VT2				
a	b	a	b	a	b	a	b								
X	Management, teams and organizations in health and social welfare	PSA309	A1N	7,5	X								pg	Full time, V	
X	Theories and concepts in caring/nursing science	VAE030	A1N	7,5		X							pg	Full time, V	
X	Evidence based practice and evaluation	SAA064	A1N	7,5			X						pg	Full time, V	VSG029 FYS022
X	Caring perspectives on core competences in nursing	VAE103	A1N	7,5				X					pg	Full time, V	
X	Qualitative research methods I	SOA408	A1N	7,5					X				pg	Full time, V	SOA407
X	Quantitative research methods I	PSA312	A1N	7,5						X			pg	Full time, V	PSA308
X	Thesis in caring science	VAE021	A1E	15							X	X	pg	Full time, V	
	<b>Alternatively</b>														
X	Thesis in caring science	VAE158	A2E	30							X <sup>1</sup>	X	pg	Full time, V	

<sup>1</sup> The initial 15 credits of the thesis are completed during the second semester and the remaining 15 credits during the fourth semester.