

Master's Essentials: Bridging the Gap

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The Future of Nursing:
LEADING CHANGE, ADVANCING HEALTH
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Guiding Questions

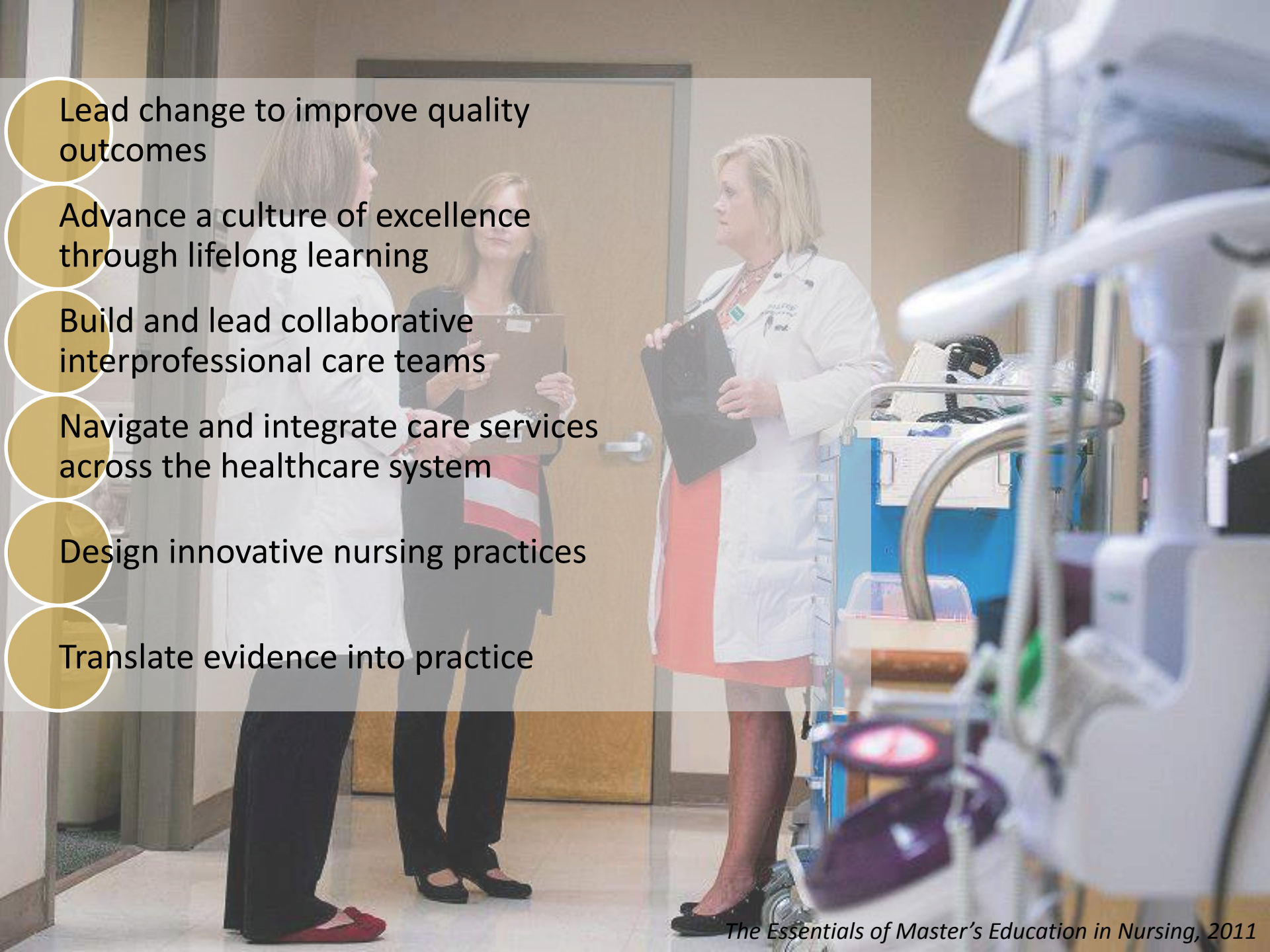
What is the role of the master's prepared nurse?

What differentiates graduate level prelicensure programs from baccalaureate prelicensure programs?

What are some future specialized areas of practice for the master's prepared nurse?

Paradigm Shift: What is the timeline for progression?

What is the Role of the Master's Prepared Nurse?



Lead change to improve quality outcomes

Advance a culture of excellence through lifelong learning

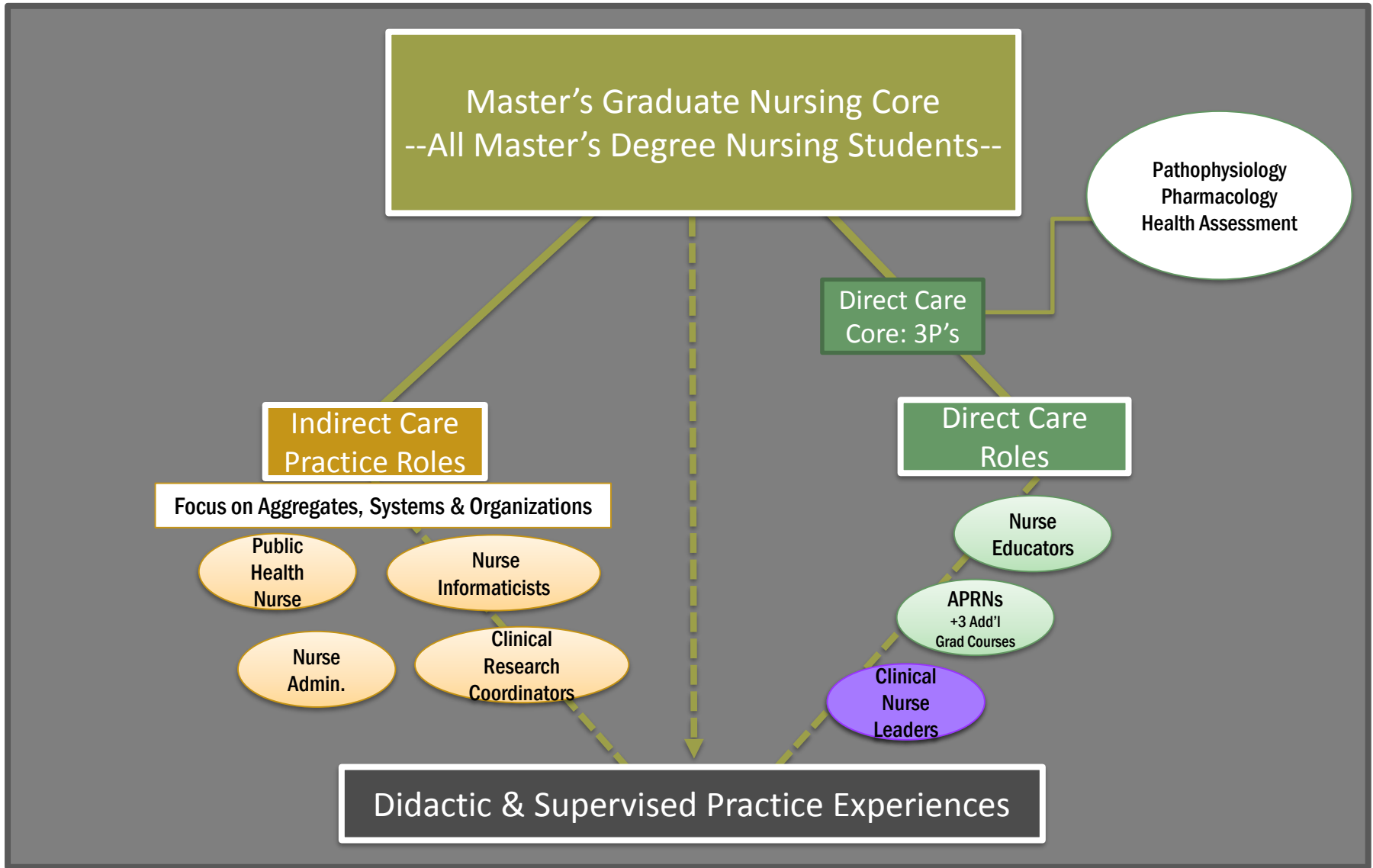
Build and lead collaborative interprofessional care teams

Navigate and integrate care services across the healthcare system

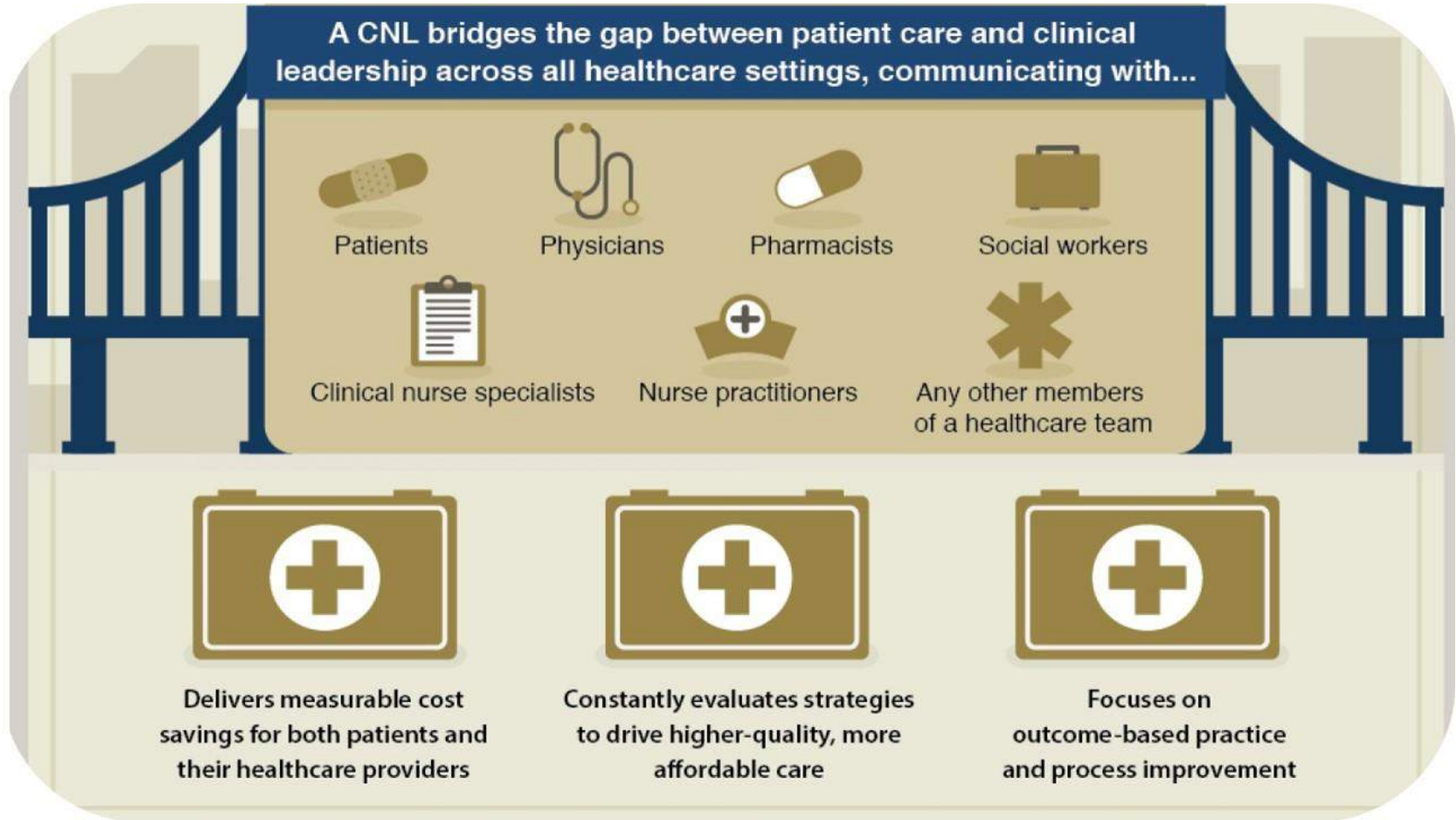
Design innovative nursing practices

Translate evidence into practice

Model of Master's Nursing Curriculum



The Established Role of the Clinical Nurse Leader



**What Differentiates
Graduate Level
Prelicensure Programs
from Baccalaureate
Prelicensure Programs?**

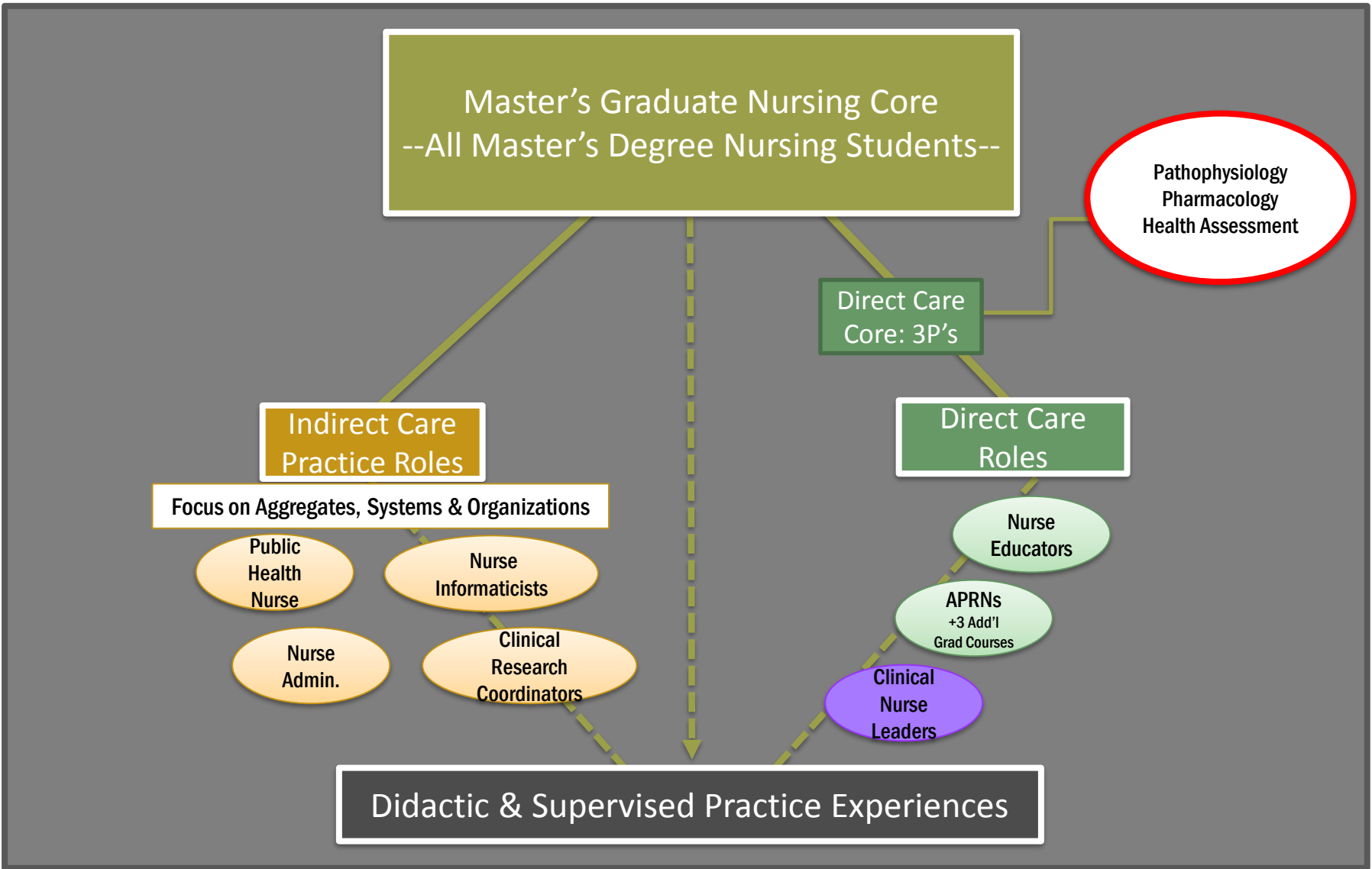
Baccalaureate Level Prelicensure

- Pathways for Traditional & Second Degree Students
- Aligns *Baccalaureate Essentials*
- Awarded BSN Upon Completion

Graduate Level Prelicensure

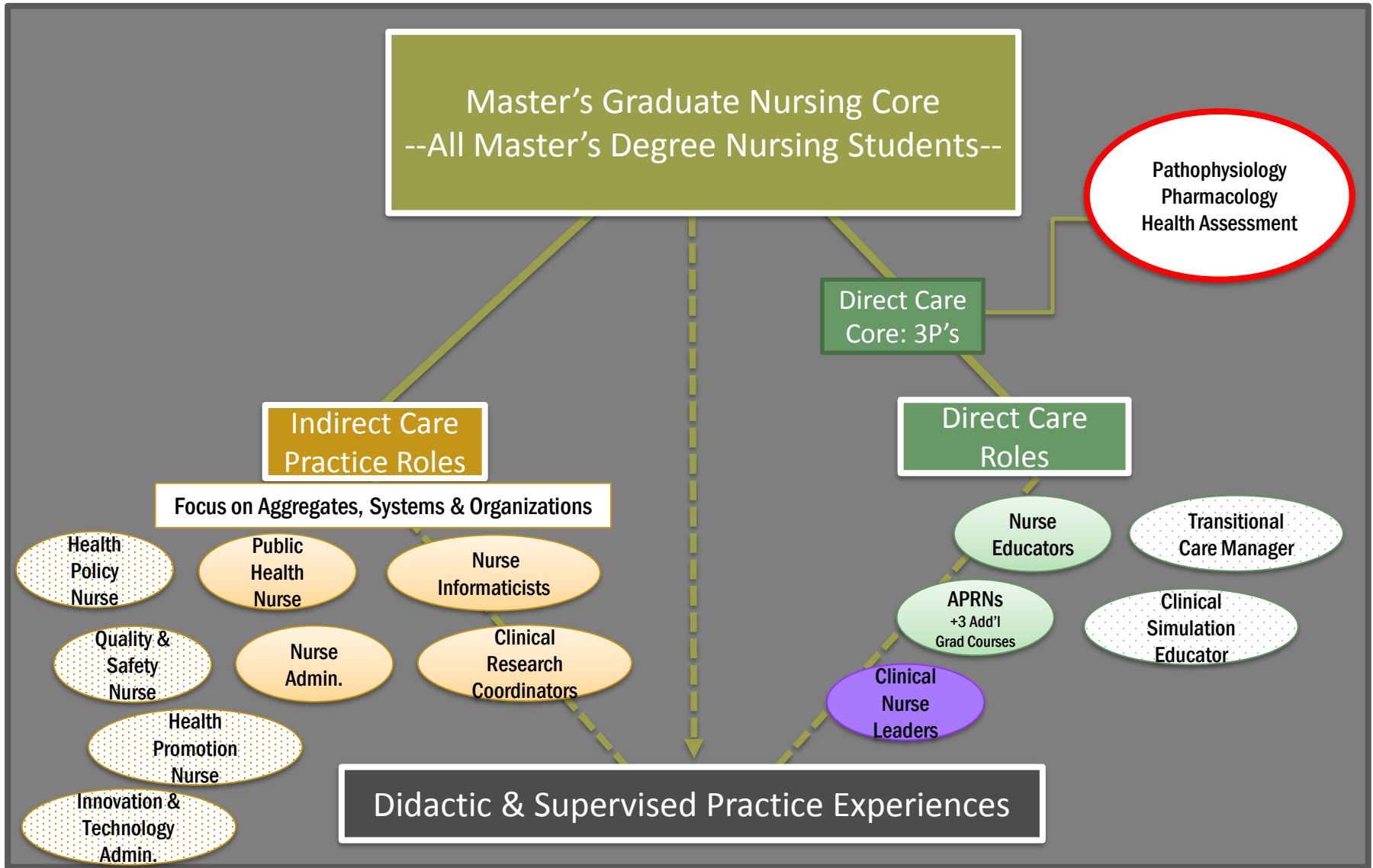
- Second Degree Students
- Accelerated
 - Based on BSN Content
- Eligible for Master's Program
- Must Ensure Programs Produce Graduates in Master's Roles
 - Build on *Baccalaureate Essentials*
 - Additional Master's Areas of Practice Content

Model of Master's Nursing Curriculum



**What Are Some Future
Areas of Practice for the
Master's Prepared Nurse?**

Future Master's Areas of Practice



Future Master's Areas of Practice



Paradigm Shift: What is the Timeline for Progression?

Issues Related to the Master's Essentials

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Graduate Level
Prelicensure
Master's
Alignment

Cost of
Program
Administration

Need for
Master's
Prepared Nurses
at Point of Care

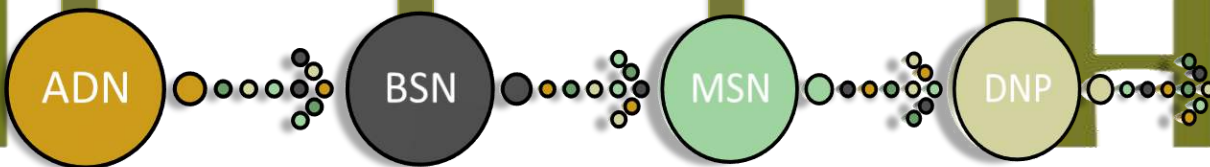
APRN
Program
Progression
to DNP

**Master's
Education**

**Doctoral
Education**

Curriculum Rejuvenation: Fidelity to Master's & Doctoral Essentials

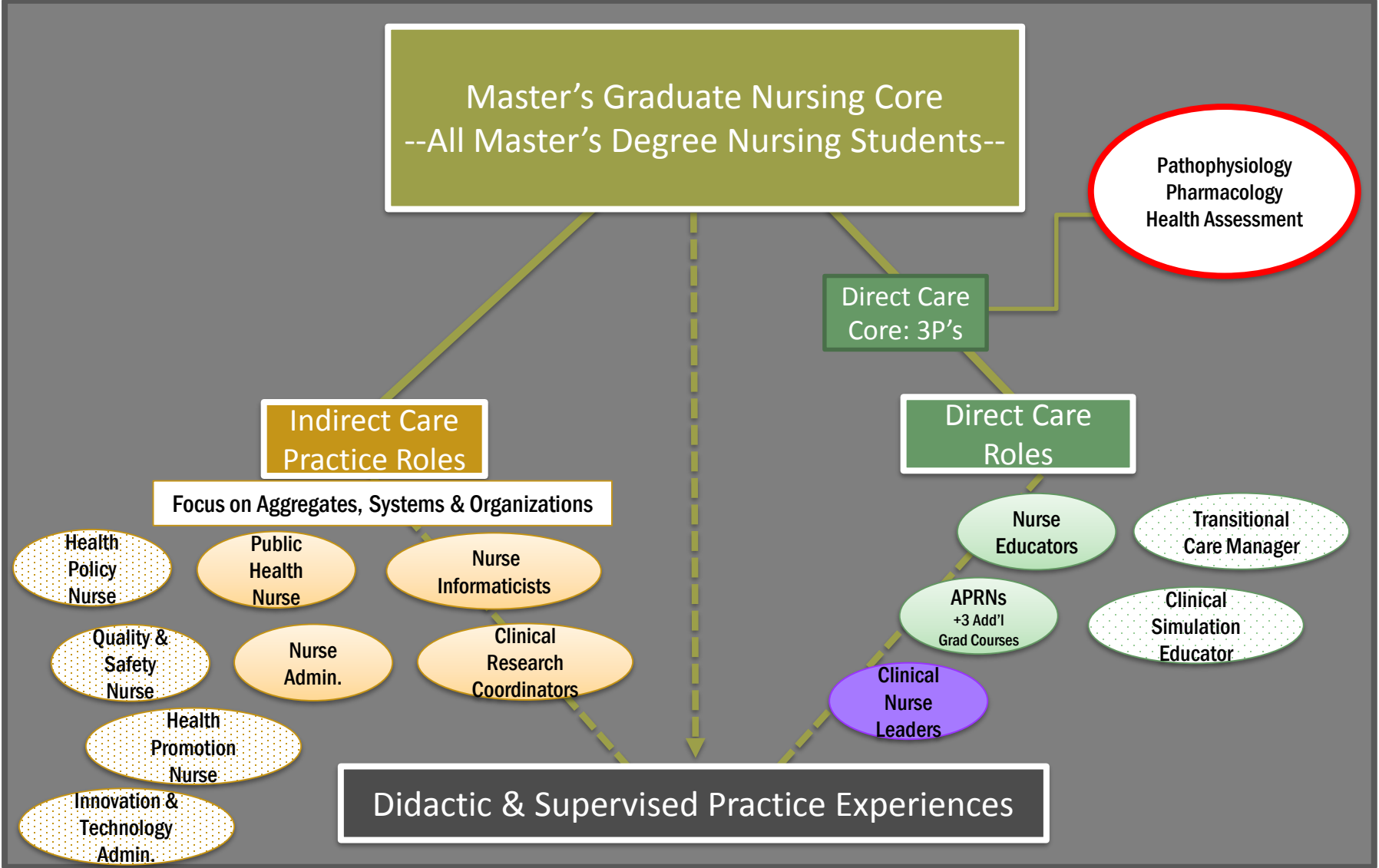
Seamless Progression:
IOM Future of Nursing
Key Message #2



Complete Redesign



Changing Master's Landscape



To Bridge the Gap, You Must Take a Leap

**Are You Ready to
Take the Jump?**

Questions/Comments

