

Overview of Nurse Practitioner Curriculum Master's & Advanced Certificate Programs Prior to Jan. 2025

Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner (AGACNP)

Master of Science 47 credit hours (672 clinical hours)

- NUR 400 Research Principles for Evidence-Based Practice (5 credit hours)
- NUR 401 Foundations of Scholarly Writing in the Health Professions (1 credit hour)
- NUR 403 Ethics and Public Policy in the Health Care System (3 credit hours)
- NUR 410 Advanced Health Assessment (4 credit hours; includes 2 credits for lab, or 4 hours/wk.)
- NUR 407 Advanced Physiology and Pathophysiology (5 credit hours)
- NUR 419 Advanced Pharmacology (3 credit hours)
- NUR 411 Evaluation and Management of Common Health Problems (8 credit hours, 224 clinical hours)
- NUR 414 Nurse Practitioner Procedure Lab (1 lab credit hour)
- NUR 424 Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner I (9 credit hours, 224 clinical hours)
- NUR 425 Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner II (8 credit hours, 224 clinical hours)

Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner (AGACNP)

Advanced Certificate

- NUR 411 Evaluation and Management of Common Health Problems (8 credit hours, 224 clinical hours)
- NUR 414 Nurse Practitioner Procedure Lab (1 lab credit hour)
- NUR 424 Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner I (9 credit hours, 224 clinical hours)
- NUR 425 Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner II (8 credit hours, 224 clinical hours)
- Advanced Health Assessment*

Adult-Gerontology Primary Care Nurse Practitioner (AGPCNP)

Master of Science 45 credit hours (672 clinical hours)

- NUR 400 Research Principles for Evidence-Based Practice (5 credit hours)
- NUR 401 Foundations of Scholarly Writing in the Health Professions (1 credit hour)
- NUR 403 Ethics and Public Policy in the Health Care System (3 credit hours)
- NUR 407 Advanced Physiology and Pathophysiology (5 credit hours)
- NUR 410 Advanced Health Assessment (4 credit hours; includes 2 credits for lab, or 4 hours/wk.)
- NUR 419 Advanced Pharmacology (3 credit hours)
- NUR 411 Evaluation and Management of Common Health Problems (8 credit hours, 224 clinical hours)
- NUR 414 Nurse Practitioner Procedure Lab (1 lab credit hour)
- NUR 444 Primary Care NP I (8 credit hours, 224 clinical hours)
- NUR 445 Primary Care NP II (7 credit hours, 224 clinical hours)

Adult-Gerontology Primary Care Nurse Practitioner (AGPCNP)

Advanced Certificate

- NUR 411 Evaluation and Management of Common Health Problems (8 credit hours, 224 clinical hours)
- NUR 414 Nurse Practitioner Procedure Lab (1 lab credit hour)
- NUR 444 Primary Care NP I (8 credit hours, 224 clinical hours)
- NUR 445 Primary Care NP II (7 credit hours, 224 clinical hours)
- Advanced Health Assessment*

Family Nurse Practitioner (FNP)

Master of Science Degree 55 credit hours (672 clinical hours)

- NUR 400 Research Principles for Evidence-Based Practice (5 credit hours)
- NUR 401 Foundations of Scholarly Writing in the Health Professions (1 credit hour)
- NUR 403 Ethics and Public Policy in the Health Care System (3 credit hours)
- NUR 407 Advanced Physiology and Pathophysiology (5 credit hours)
- NUR 410 Advanced Health Assessment (6 credit hours, 2 of which are lab credits)
- NUR 419 Advanced Pharmacology (3 credit hours)
- NUR 411 Evaluation and Management of Common Health Problems (6 credit hours, 112 clinical hours)
- NUR 413 Family Theoretical Frameworks and Application to Nursing Care of Families (3 credit hours)
- NUR 414 Nurse Practitioner Procedure Lab (1 lab credit hour)
- NUR 437 Pediatric Primary Care I (4 credit hours, didactic only)
- NUR 444 Primary Care NP I (8 credit hours, 224 clinical hours)
- NUR 445 Primary Care NP II (7 credit hours, 224 clinical hours)
- NUR 449 Women's Health Care for Primary Care Generalists (3 credit hours, 112 clinical hours).

Family Nurse Practitioner (FNP)

Advanced Certificate

- NUR 411 Evaluation and Management of Common Health Problems (6 credit hours, 112 clinical hours)
- NUR 414 Nurse Practitioner Procedure Lab (1 lab credit hour)
- NUR 413 Family Theoretical Frameworks and Application to Nursing Care of Families (3 credit hours)
- NUR 437 Pediatric Primary Care I (4 credit hours, didactic only)
- NUR 444 Primary Care NP I (8 credit hours, 224 clinical hours)
- NUR 445 Primary Care NP II (7 credit hours, 224 clinical hours)
- NUR 449 Women's Health Care for Primary Care Generalists (3 credit hours, 112 clinical hours)
- Advanced Health Assessment*

Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner Across the Lifespan (PMHNP)

Master of Science Degree 54 credits (616 Clinical Hours)

- NUR 400 Research Principles for Evidence-Based Practice (5 credits)
- NUR 401 Foundations of Scholarly Writing in the Health Professions (1 credit)
- NUR 403 Ethics and Public Policy in the Health Care System (3 credits)
- NUR 407 Advanced Physiology and Pathophysiology (4 credits)
- NUR 410 Advanced Health Assessment (6 credits, including 2 lab credits, alternative to NUR 415)
- NUR 415 Advanced Health Assessment – Lifespan (4 credits, including 1 lab credit; for new degree plan students)
- NUR 419 Advanced Pharmacology (3 credits)
- NUR 450 Psychopathology and Psychiatric Assessment and Diagnosis across the Lifespan (5 credits)
- NUR 451 Individual Psychotherapy across the Lifespan I (3 credits)
- NUR 452 Pathophysiology and Psychopharmacology of Mental Health Disorders across the Lifespan I (3 credits)
- NUR 453 Pathophysiology and Psychopharmacology of Mental Health Disorders across the Lifespan II (3 credits)
- NUR 454 Group & Family Psychotherapy across the Lifespan (3 credits)
- NUR 455 Theoretical Frameworks for Advanced Psychiatric Nursing Practice (3 credits)
- NUR 456 Practicum in Advanced Family Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner Role I (3 credits, 168 clinical hours)
- NUR 457 Practicum in Advanced Family Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner Role II (4 credits, 224 clinical hours)

NUR 458 Practicum in Advanced Family Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner Role III (4 credits, 224 clinical hours)

NUR 459 Individual Psychotherapy Across the Life Span II (3 credits)

Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner Across the Lifespan (PMHNP)

Advanced Certificate

NUR 450 Psychopathology and Psychiatric Assessment and Diagnosis across the Lifespan (5 credits)

NUR 451 Individual Psychotherapy across the Lifespan I (3 credits)

NUR 452 Pathophysiology and Psychopharmacology of Mental Health Disorders across the Lifespan I (3 credits)

NUR 453 Pathophysiology and Psychopharmacology of Mental Health Disorders across the Lifespan II (3 credits)

NUR 454 Group & Family Psychotherapy across the Lifespan (3 credits)

NUR 455 Theoretical Frameworks for Advanced Psychiatric Nursing Practice (3 credits)

NUR 456 Practicum in Advanced Family Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner Role I (3 credits, 168 clinical hours)

NUR 457 Practicum in Advanced Family Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner Role II (4 credits, 224 clinical hours)

NUR 458 Practicum in Advanced Family Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner Role III (4 credits, 224 clinical hours)

NUR 459 Individual Psychotherapy Across the Life Span II (3 credits)

Advanced Health Assessment*

Neonatal Nurse Practitioner (NNP)

Advanced Certificate

NUR 436 Nursing Care of the High-Risk Neonate (3 credits)

NUR 492 Advanced Practicum in the Care of Neonates I (6-10 credit hours, 360-600 clinical hours)

Pediatric Nurse Practitioner - Primary Care (PNP)

Master of Science Degree 45 credit hours (616 clinical hours)

NUR 400 Research Principles for Evidence-Based Practice (5 credit hours)

NUR 401 Foundations of Scholarly Writing in the Health Professions (1 credit hour)

NUR 403 Ethics and Public Policy in the Health Care System (3 credit hours)

NUR 407 Advanced Physiology and Pathophysiology (5 credit hours)

NUR 419 Advanced Pharmacology (3 credit hours)

NUR 410 Advanced Pediatric Health Assessment and Care of Well Children and Adolescents (5 credit hours, 112 clinical hours)

NUR 437 Pediatric Primary Care I (7 credit hours, 112 clinical hours)

NUR 438 Pediatric Primary Care II (6 credit hours, 168 clinical hours)

NUR 439 Pediatric Primary Care III (7 credit hours, 224 clinical hours)

NUR 435 Pediatric Psychopharmacology (3 credit hours)

Pediatric Nurse Practitioner - Primary Care (PNP)

Advanced Certificate

NUR 437 Pediatric Primary Care I (6 credit hours, 112 clinical hours)

NUR 438 Pediatric Primary Care II (3-6 credit hours, 168 clinical hours)

NUR 439 Pediatric Primary Care III (4-7 credit hours, 224 clinical hours)

NUR 435 Pediatric Psychopharmacology (3 credit hours)

Pediatric Nurse Practitioner/Neonatal Nurse Practitioner (PNP-NNP)

Master of Science Degree 54-58 credit hours (976-1216 clinical hours)

NUR 400 Research Principles for Evidence-Based Practice (5 credit hours)

NUR 401 Foundations of Scholarly Writing in the Health Professions (1 credit hour)

NUR 403 Ethics and Public Policy in the Health Care System (3 credit hours)

NUR 407 Advanced Physiology and Pathophysiology (5 credit hours)

NUR 419 Advanced Pharmacology (3 credit hours)

NUR 410 Advanced Pediatric Health Assessment and Care of Well Children and Adolescents (5 credit hours, 112 clinical hours)

NUR 437 Pediatric Primary Care I (7 credit hours, 112 clinical hours)

NUR 438 Pediatric Primary Care II (6 credit hours, 168 clinical hours)

NUR 439 Pediatric Primary Care III (7 credit hours, 224 clinical hours)

NUR 435 Pediatric Psychopharmacology (3 credit hours)

NUR 492 Advanced Practicum in the Care of the High-Risk Neonate (6-10 credit hours, 360-600 clinical hours)

NUR 436 Care of the High-Risk Neonate (3 credit hours)

Pediatric Nurse Practitioner – Acute Care

Advanced Certificate

NUR 433 Pediatric Acute Care NP I (4 didactic credits, 1 lab credit, variable clinical credits)

NUR 434 Pediatric Acute Care NP II (4 didactic credits, 1 lab credit, variable clinical credits)

(Clinical credits are variable depending on the number of previously completed acute care clinical credits)

*Note. Advanced Certificate students may require additional advanced health assessment credits (variable) based on selected specialty population focus on the Advanced Certificate program if previous graduate coursework did not cover the lifespan (e.g., a PNP pursuing an AGPCNP Advanced Certificate would need advanced adult health assessment content if the PNP program only covered children).