



Department of Nursing

POST-MASTER'S CERTIFICATE FAMILY (INDIVIDUAL ACROSS THE LIFESPAN) NURSE PRACTITIONER TRACK/MSN PROGRAM

Based on 15 week clinical courses

First Year Academic Year

Orientation (2-day on campus orientation) prior to beginning courses.

Fall Semester		Spring Semester		Summer Semester	
Course	Credits	Course	Credits	Course	Credits
15 Week MSN 502 Population Focused Leadership for Health Promotion & Disease Prevention	3 Credits Theory	15 Week FNP 601 Advanced Pathophysiology	3 Credits Theory	15 Week FNP 602 Pharmacology for The Family (Individual Across the Lifespan) Nurse Practitioner Prescriber (includes required PSBN 4 hours opioid/pain management)	3 Credits Theory
				All required health and preceptor/agency requirements in place prior to registering for next clinical course	
Total Number of Credits	3 Credits		3 Credits		3 Credits

1 clinical credit= 5 clock hours (based on 15 weeks of materials in clinical courses)

Clock hours spent on campus, in class, in the laboratory are not counted as clinical hours.

T= Theory

C= Clinical

Second Academic Year					
Fall Semester		Spring Semester		Summer Semester	
Course	Credits	Course	Credits	Course	Credits
15 Week FNP 603 Advanced Physical Assessment and Differential Diagnosis	3 Credits Theory/ 1 Credit Clinical 75 clock hours clinical [24 hr campus lab/51 hours preceptor]	15 Week FNP 605 Reproductive Health and Illness in Men and Women	3 Credits Theory/2 Credits Clinical 150 Clock Hours with Preceptor	(14-15-summer time table depending on the academic calendar) Week FNP 606 Health and Illness in Infants, Children, and Adolescents	3 Credits Theory/2 Credits Clinical 150 Clock Hours with Preceptor
3P Clinical Qualifying Exam					
FNP 604 Family Nurse Practitioner Role I	1 Credit Theory				
All required health and preceptor/agency requirements in place prior to registering for next clinical course		All required health and preceptor/agency requirements in place prior to registering for next clinical course		All required health and preceptor/agency requirements in place prior to registering for next clinical course	
Total Number of Credits	5 Credits		5 Credits		5 Credits

Third Academic Year					
Fall Semester		Spring Semester		Summer Semester	
Course	Credits	Course	Credits	Course	Credits
15 Week FNP 607 Health and Illness in Adults and Aging	3 Credits Theory/ 2 Credits Clinical 150 clock hours clinical [24 hr campus lab/126 hours preceptor]	15 Week FNP 608 Health & Illness in the Family and Individual Across the Lifespan	2 Credits Theory/ 3 Credits Clinical 225 clock hours clinical [24 clock hr review course]		
		Pre-test Predictor Exam			
		Review Course off Campus			
		Post-test Predictor Exam			
		FNP 609-Family Nurse Practitioner Role II	2 Credits Theory		
All required health and preceptor/agency requirements in place prior to registering for next clinical course					
Total Number of Credits	5 Credits		7 Credits		
Total number of credits in program					48 Total Credits
Total Number of Clinical Hours minus the lab/campus residencies/face to face classes				48 Total Lab Hours/ 48 Total Credits/ 9 Total Semesters/ With summer start	702 Total Clinical Clock Hours