

The Doctor of Nursing Practice: Family Nurse Practitioner track prepares actively practicing RNs to care for patients across their lifespan. As an FNP student, you will be taught how to complete comprehensive health assessments, order appropriate diagnostic tests, complete advanced-level procedural skills, manage and diagnose acute and chronic conditions, and serve as a primary health care provider in a variety of settings. Students will design models of health care delivery, evaluate clinical outcomes, identify and manage the health care needs of diverse populations, and use technology and information to transform the field.

Now offering a fall or spring start!

Earning your DNP will advance your nursing career

 On average, primary care nursing practitioners make over \$90,000 annually and have increased earning potential.

This program can help you do it

 The flexible, hybrid program lets you learn at a pace that allows you to balance your education with your family and career obligations.



DNP: Family Nurse Practitioner ELIGIBILITY

- A 4-year nursing degree from an accredited program conferred prior to the start of the program
- Cumulative GPA of at least 3.0
- Current, unencumbered licensure as a registered nurse
- Preferred qualifications for admission include at least 2 years of work experience as an RN

As an FNP, you'll be able to provide patient care in a variety of practice settings, such as:

- Homes
- Hospitals
- Offices
- Schools
- Community health centers
- Rural health centers
- Public and private clinics
- Private practices

IT'S YOUR TIME

Curriculum Requirements | DNP: Family Nurse Practitioner

Program Credit Hours: 70

YEAR 1

FALL	CR	SPRING	CR	SUMMER	CR
NRSG 502	3	NRSG 513 Global Perspectives	3	NRSG 501 Research Methods	3
 NRSG 503 Theoretical Basis for Program Evaluation and Quality Improvement 	3	NRSG 514 Ethics, Health Policy and Advocacy	3	NRSG 504 Evaluation and Translation of the Evidence	3
		NRSG 515 Health Care Systems and Organizational Leadership	3	NRSG 520 Transition to Advanced Practice	3

TOTAL CREDIT HOURS: 24

YEAR 2

FALL	CR	SPRING	CR	SUMMER	CR
NRSG 535 Advanced Physiology/Pathophysiology	3	NRSG 539 Advanced Health Assessment	3	NRSG 553 Advanced Diagnostics II	2
NRSG 536 Advanced Pharmacology I	3	NRSG 537 Advanced Pharmacology II	2	NRSG 560 APN I	3
NRSG 551 Family Systems	2	NRSG 552 Advanced Diagnostics I	2	NRSG 584 Clinical Practicum (240 hours)	2
		NRSG 590 Doctorate Project I	2	NRSG 591 Doctorate Project II	1

TOTAL CREDIT HOURS: 25

YEAR 3

FALL	CR	SPRING	CR	SUMMER	CR
NRSG 561 APN II	4	NRSG 593 Doctorate Project IV	1	NRSG 557 Specialty Care Management	2
NRSG 585 Clinical Practicum II (240 hours)	2	NRSG 562 APN III	4	 NRSG 563 Capstone APN and Transition to Practice 	2
NRSG 592 Doctorate Project III	1	NRSG 586 Clinical Practicum III (240 hours)	2	NRSG 587 Clinical Practicum Elective (mental health, acute care or specialty care) (240 hours)	2
				NRSG 594 Doctorate Project V	1

TOTAL CREDIT HOURS: 21

CLINICAL HOURS TABLE

COURSE	CREDITS	CLINICAL HOURS
NRSG 584 Practicum I	2	240
NRSG 585 Practicum II	2	240
NRSG 586 Practicum III	2	240
NRSG 587 Practicum Elective	2	240
NRSG 590-594 Doctorate Project (x5)	6	180
TOTAL	14	1140



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