ADULT/GERONTOLOGY PRIMARY CARE NURSE PRACTITIONER

The Adult/Gerontology Primary Care Nurse Practitioner (AGPCNP) specialty prepares graduates to provide comprehensive, holistic care for patients with episodic, critical, and complex illness or injury, as well as chronic disease exacerbations. Education includes how to stabilize patient conditions, prevent complications, restore and maintain optimal health, and provide palliative and end-of-life care. The AGPCNP curriculum prepares graduates to provide care for individuals beginning at adolescence through the adult lifespan. The AGPCNP curriculum focuses on optimizing health by engaging patients in decisions that support the intersection of physical, behavioral, and social wellness; this curriculum prepares graduates to assess undifferentiated presentations and emphasize primary, secondary, and tertiary prevention.

The AGPCNP curriculum is intended to prepare students to apply for Adult/ Gerontology Primary Care Nurse Practitioner Certification through the American Nurses Credentialing Center or the American Association of Nurse Practitioners.

YEAR ONE

Fall Term

NURS 6000	Advanced Health Assessment	3
NURS 6010	Advanced Pathophysiology	3
NURS 6020	Advanced Pharmacology	2
NURS 7020	Primary Care I A	1
NURS 7030	Primary Care I B	1
NURS 7100	Critical Perspectives in The Care of the Older Adult	2
NURS 7200	Women's Health I	1
Spring Term		
NURS 6040	Statistics and Research for Evidence-Based Practice Nursing	3
NURS 7000	Advanced Skills and Procedures for the Primary Care Provider	2
NURS 7040	Primary Care II	2
NURS 7045	Primary Care II Clinical Practice AGPCNP	5
NURS 7110	Advanced FNP/AGPCNP Pharmacology	1
NURS 7230	Women's Health III	1
NURS 7440	Primary Care of Adolescents	2
Year Two		
NURS 7046	Primary Care II Clinical Practice AGPCNP	5
NURS 6050	Transitions to Professional Practice	2
NURS 6060	Promoting Health in the Community	2
NURS 6070	Mental Health Management for Advanced Practice Nurses	2

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NURS 7060	Primary Care IIIA	1
NURS 7061	Primary Care IIIB	1
NURS 6210	Advanced Primary Care and Community Health	1
Spring Term		
NURS 7047	Adult-Gerontology Primary Care Practicum II	7
NURS 7104	Advanced Primary Care of the Older Adult	2
NURS 6211	Advanced Primary Care and Community Health	1