

Course List for the Master of Science in Nursing, Family Nurse Practitioner

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Resources

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Courses

NURS 5327

Exploration of Science and Theories for Nursing

This course provides a critical examination of the philosophical and theoretical bases for nursing science.

Five Week Course (AO) | Prerequisite: Graduate Standing | 3 Credit Hours

NURS 5366

Principles of Nursing Research

This course focuses on integration of theoretical and empirical principles of nursing research to generate evidence for nursing practice.

Five Week Course (AO) | Prerequisite: Graduate Standing | 3 Credit Hours

NURS 5367

Evidence Based Practice

Preparation to lead evidence-based practice teams, to interpret best evidence, to plan for change, to evaluate outcomes, and to disseminate the project.

Five Week Course (AO) | Prerequisites: NURS 5327, 5366 | 3 Credit Hours

NURS 5315

Advanced Pathophysiology

Builds on a previous understanding of anatomy and physiology and focuses on developing advanced knowledge of physiologic and pathophysiologic concepts across the life span.

Eleven Week Course (AO) | Prerequisite: Graduate Standing | 3 Credit Hours

NURS 5334

Advanced Pharmacology for Nurse Practitioners

Study of clinical pharmacological therapeutics for advanced nursing practice.

Eleven Week Course (AO) | Prerequisite: NURS 5315 | 3 Credit Hours

NURS 5220

Advanced Health Assessment and Diagnostic Reasoning

Apply theoretical foundations of comprehensive health assessment across the lifespan.

Five Week Course (AO) | Prerequisite: NURS 5315 | 2 Credit Hours

NURS 5120

Adult Gerontology Assessment Lab

Conduct comprehensive health assessment in the adult-gerontology population.

Three Week Course (AO) | Prerequisite: NURS 5220 | 1 Credit Hour

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NURS 5130

Pediatric Assessment Lab

Conduct comprehensive health assessment in the pediatric population.

Three Week Course (AO) | Prerequisite: NURS 5220
| 1 Credit Hour

NURS 5350

Role of the Nurse in Advanced Practice

Theory and application of the multiple roles of the advanced practice nurse within the health care system.

Five Week Course (AO) | Prerequisites: Graduate Standing | 3 Credit Hours

NURS 5432

Family I

Course focuses on advanced concepts and knowledge for nurse practitioners primary care management of designated XURW, chronic and complex health problems of individuals and families across the lifespan. Particular emphasis will be on pediatric wellness, women's health, men's health, and geriatrics concepts & conditions.

Eight Week Course (AO) | Prerequisites: NURS 5334, 5220, 5120, 5130 | 4 Credit Hours

NURS 5433

Family II

This course focuses on advanced concepts and knowledge for nurse practitioner primary care management of commonly occurring conditions seen in primary care patients across the lifespan

Eight Week Course (AO) | Prerequisites: NURS 5334, 5220, 5120, 5130 | 4 Credit Hours

NURS 5434

Family III

This course focuses on advanced concepts and knowledge for nurse practitioner primary care management of designated acute, chronic and complex health problems of individuals and families across the lifespan. Particular emphasis will be on adult wellness, psychiatric and cardiometabolic concepts and conditions.

Eight Week Course (AO) | Prerequisites: NURS 5334, 5220, 5120, 5130 | 4 Credit Hours

NURS 5337

Family Clinical Practice I

Initial clinical preceptorship in selected primary health practice sites with opportunities to apply knowledge and concepts of advanced nursing practice implementing the family nurse practitioner role in evidenced based patient care.

Eleven Week Course (AO) | Prerequisite: NURS 5432, 5433, 5434, 3.0 GPA | 3 Credit Hours

NURS 5338

Family Clinical Practice II

Continued clinical preceptorship with opportunities for increased clinical knowledge in selected primary health practice sites with opportunities to apply knowledge and concepts of advanced nursing practice implementing the family nurse practitioner role in evidenced based patient care.

Eleven Week Course (AO) | Prerequisites: NURS 5432, 5433, 5434, 5337, 3.0 GPA | 3 Credit Hours

NURS 5660

Family NP Advanced Practicum

Clinical preceptorships in selected health practice sites with opportunities to apply knowledge, skills and concepts in a guided, progressive context of Family Primary Care Advanced Nursing Practice. The ratio of credit to clinical hours is 1:4.

Thirteen Week Course (AO) | Prerequisites: NURS 5337, 5338, 3.0 GPA | 6 Credit Hours

Total Hours for the Program

46 Semester Credit Hours, 720 Clinical Hours