

Post-Master's Certificate in Pediatric Acute Care Nurse Practitioner

About This Program

The Pediatric Acute Care Nurse Practitioner Graduate Certificate enables individuals with a Master's Degree in Nursing to take a national certification exam and to be recognized by the Board of Nursing as an Advanced Practice Registered Nurse with a specialty in pediatric acute care. Required courses will be determined by a gap analysis completed by the program director.

Competencies

1. Upon completion, students will demonstrate competence in an advanced nursing role.
2. Upon completion, students will participate in scholarly endeavors to advanced nursing knowledge.
3. Upon completion, students will provide leadership in professional nursing and interdisciplinary health care.

Curriculum

Nurse Practitioner Core

Based on a gap analysis students may be required to take one or more of the following:

NURS 5315	ADVANCED PATHOPHYSIOLOGY	
NURS 5220	ADVANCED HEALTH ASSESSMENT AND DIAGNOSTIC REASONING	
NURS 5130	PEDIATRIC ASSESSMENT LAB	
NURS 5334	ADVANCED PHARMACOLOGY FOR NURSE PRACTITIONERS	
NURS 5350	ROLE OF THE NURSE IN ADVANCED PRACTICE	
Certificate Foundations		
NURS 5465	PRIMARY PEDIATRIC CARE	4
NURS 5466	PEDIATRIC ACUTE CARE	4
NURS 5467	PEDIATRIC COMPLEX CARE	4
NURS 5373	PEDIATRIC ACUTE CARE CLINICAL PRACTICE 1	3
NURS 5374	PEDIATRIC ACUTE CARE CLINICAL PRACTICE 2	3
NURS 5680	PEDIATRIC ACUTE CARE NP ADVANCED PRACTICUM	6
Total Hours		24

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Advising Resources

Graduate nursing students will be assigned a degree plan once admitted to the program. They are encouraged to make phone, in-person, or virtual appointments as needed to discuss their academic progression.

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