

Master of Science in Nursing Program

**FALL 2022 ADMISSION
FAMILY NURSE PRACTITIONER
SAMPLE COURSE SEQUENCE – SUBJECT TO REVISION**

A minimum of **78-79** units (19 courses) are required for the Family Nurse Practitioner student. Each student must meet with their faculty advisor every quarter to review progress in the program and plan coursework for future quarters. Students who work as TAs must enroll in at least 12 units in the quarter they are a TA.

A minimum of 4 units of nursing theory elective coursework is required for students in this specialty. Nursing theory elective courses must be selected in consultation with the student's faculty advisor. A student may opt to take a 3-unit elective at the discretion of the advisor. A sample list of acceptable elective courses is provided below. Students may request to take an elective course in a related subject through another department on campus with the advisor's approval.

First Year Fall Quarter

Course Number	Course Title	Units	Co-requisites
N200	Health Promotion and Assessment Across the Lifespan	4	
N204	Research Design and Critique	4	
N231	Advanced Pathophysiology for Advanced Practice Nurses	4	
N440	Advanced Assessment and Clinical Diagnosis for APN	2	N231
Total units		14	

First Year Winter Quarter

Course Number	Course Title	Units	Co-requisites
N211	Women's Health Primary Care	4	
N224	Pharmacology for Advanced Practice Nurses	5	N231
N239A	Adult/Gerontology Primary Healthcare for Advanced Practice Nurses I	4	N200, N231, N224, N429A
N429A	Family Nurse Practitioner Practicum I	4	N200, N440, N239A
Elective*		0-4	
Total units		17-21	

First Year Spring Quarter

Course Number	Course Title	Units	Co-requisites
N236	Pediatric Primary Care for Family Nurse Practitioners	4	
N239B	Adult/Gerontology Primary Healthcare for Advanced Practice Nurses II	4	N429B
N429B	Family Nurse Practitioner Practicum II	4	N239A, N429A, N239B
Elective*		0-4	
Total units		12-16	

Second Year Fall Quarter

Course Number	Course Title	Units	Co-requisites
N212	Family Healthcare Perspectives	2	
N239C	Adult/Gerontology Primary Healthcare for Advanced Practice Nurses III	4	N429C
N429C	Family Nurse Practitioner Practicum III	6	N239B, N429B, N239C
Elective*		0-4	
Total units		12-16	

Second Year Winter Quarter

Course Number	Course Title	Units	Co-requisites
N264	Professional Role Issues in Advanced Practice Registered Nursing	3	N416A, N429A, N437A or N439A
N429D	Family Nurse Practitioner Practicum IV	6	N239C, N429C
N597**	Individual Study for Master's Comprehensive Examination	2	**Can be taken in Winter or Spring Year 2
Elective*		0-4	
Total units		9-15	

Second Year Spring Quarter

Course Number	Course Title	Units	Co-requisites
N429E	Family Nurse Practitioner Practicum V	9	N429D
N597**	Individual Study for Master's Comprehensive Examination	2	**Can be taken in Winter or Spring Year 2
Total units		11	

* Course Electives (examples but not limited to):

N213	Worker, Health & Safety: Role and Theory	4 units
N214	Seminar: Advanced Concepts in Oncology	4 units
N220	Theories of Instruction and Learning in Nursing	3 units
N232	Human Responses to Aging and Chronic Illness	2-4 units
N245	Theoretical Foundations of Clinical Nurse Specialist Practice	4 units
N249	Meeting Health-Related Needs in Underserved Populations	4 units
N255	Global Health Elective: Globalization, Social Justice, and Human Rights	3 units

Check the Schedule of Classes for more information.

Clinical Course	Supervised Clinical Hours	Conferences, Labs, Sim
N429A	80	40
N429B	80	40
N429C	160	20
N429D	160	20
N429E	240	30
Total	720	150

1. For clinical courses, students must pass both clinical and theory components with a "B" (84%) or better to pass the course and progress to the next series of courses.
2. A minimum cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 must be maintained throughout the program, per Graduate Division.