

Pediatric Nurse Practitioner – Primary Care

BS-DNP Plan of Study – Fall Start

FALL YEAR ONE

Course	Description	Credit Hours
NURS 6243	Advanced Pathophysiology	3 credits
NURS 6286	Foundations of Health Care Informatics	3 credits

SPRING YEAR ONE

Course	Description	Credit Hours
NURS 6070	Policy & Politics of Health	3 credits
NURS 6222	Advanced Pharmacology and Therapeutics	3 credits

SUMMER YEAR ONE

Course	Description	Credit Hours
NURS 6761	Advanced Assessment (on campus requirement)	3 credits
NURS 6859	Advanced Professional Role	2 credits

FALL YEAR TWO

Course	Description	Credit Hours
NURS 6009	Theory Foundations for Advanced Nursing	3 credits
NURS 6109	Evidence-Based Practice: Evaluating Evidence	3 credits
NURS 6450	Advanced Pediatric Physical Assessment	1 credit

SPRING YEAR TWO

Course	Description	Credit Hours
NURS 5911	PNP Advanced Practicum I	3 credits/135 clinical hours
NURS 6478	Care of the Well Child	4 credits

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SUMMER YEAR TWO

Course	Description	Credit Hours
NURS 5912	PNP Advanced Practicum II	3 credits/135 clinical hours
NURS 6456	Pediatric Advanced Clinical Skills (on campus requirement)	1 credit

FALL YEAR THREE

Course	Description	Credit Hours
NURS 5913	PNP Advanced Practicum III	3 credits/135 clinical hours
NURS 6488	Pediatric Minor Acute Illness	3 credits

SPRING YEAR THREE

Course	Description	Credit Hours
NURS 5914	PNP Advanced Practicum IV	3 credits/135 clinical hours
NURS 6496	Pediatric Chronic Illness and Disability	3 credits

FALL YEAR FOUR

Course	Description	Credit Hours
NURS 6107	Research Methods	3 credits
NURS 6800	Innovative Leadership	3 credits
NURS 8020	DNP Project Prep (on campus 3 days during second week of term; 1 didactic credit, 1 practical credit)	2 credits/45 hours

SPRING YEAR FOUR

Course	Description	Credit Hours
NURS 6303	Epidemiology	3 credits
NURS 8030	DNP Project I	4 credits/180 hours

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SUMMER YEAR FOUR

Course	Description	Credit Hours
NURS 6108	Inferential Statistics and Quality Improvement	3 credits
NURS 8040	DNP Project II (1 didactic credit, 3 practical credits)	4 credits/135 hours

FALL YEAR FIVE

Course	Description	Credit Hours
NURS 8050	DNP Project III	4 credits/180 hours
Total Didactic Credits: 49	Total Clinical Credits: 24	Total Credits: 73 Total Clinical Hours: 1080

^{*1} clinical credit – 45 face-to-face direct patient care hours

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