

## POST MASTER'S CERTIFICATE (PMC)

### *Family/Individual Across the Lifespan and Emergency Nurse Practitioner Specialization Program*

**(48 Quarter Credits)**

- The program is organized into four 10-week quarters per academic year (Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer)
- The plan of study is designed with 1-2 courses per Quarter. *Please see plan of study on page 3*
- To review the program information and course descriptions please click [HERE](#)

#### **DEGREE REQUIREMENTS:**

<b>Support Courses</b>				
<b>(13 Credits)</b>				
<b>Course Number</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>Prerequisites</b>	<b>Quarter(s) Offered</b>
NURS548	Advanced Pathophysiology	3	None	Fall/Spring/Summer
NUPR600	Advanced Pharmacotherapeutics	5	NURS548	Spring Quarter
NURS550	Advanced Health Assessment and Diagnostic Reasoning	4	Must take this course the Fall after NUPR 600 and immediately before NURS536	Fall Quarter
NURS664	Professional Issues for Nurse Practitioners	1	All Core Courses	Fall and Spring Quarter
<b>Family Nurse Practitioner Clinical Courses</b>				
<b>(20 Credits)</b>				
<b>Course Number</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>Prerequisites</b>	<b>Quarter(s) Offered</b>
NUPR 520	Nurse Practitioner Clinical Orientation Seminar	0		Fall
NURS534	FNP I Primary Care of the Emerging Family <i>(Includes 160 Clinical Hours)</i>	5	All Core and Support Courses	Summer Quarter
NURS535	FNP II Primary and Episodic Care of Infants, Children, and Adolescents	5	All Core and Support Courses	Fall Quarter

	<i>(Includes 160 Clinical Hours)</i>			
NURS536	FNP III Primary Care of Adults and Older Adults Across the Adult Age Spectrum I <i>(Includes 160 Clinical Hours)</i>	5	All Core and Support Courses	Winter Quarter
NURS537	FNP IV Primary Care of Adults and Older Adults Across the Adult Age Spectrum II <i>(Includes 160 Clinical Hours)</i>	5	All Core and Support Courses	Spring Quarter
<b>Emergency Nurse Practitioner Clinical Courses</b> <b>(15 Credits)</b>				
<b>Course Number</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>Prerequisites</b>	<b>Quarter(s) Offered</b>
NURS 673	ENP-I: Emergency/Trauma Care Across the Lifespan I <i>(170 clinical hours)</i>	5	FNP-BC	Winter Quarter
NURS 674	ENP-II: Emergency/Trauma Care Across the Lifespan II <i>(170 clinical hours)</i>	5	NURS 673	Spring Quarter
NURS 675	ENP-III: Emergency/Trauma Care Caring for the Trauma and Critically Ill Patient <i>(160 clinical hours)</i>	5	NURS 675	Summer Quarter

## IMPORTANT NOTES

- A final grade of a B or better is required for each course.
- Students must maintain a 3.00 or higher for both “Term GPA” and “Cumulative GPA”.
- Financial Aid/Student Loans – Graduate students who utilize student loans must maintain a minimum enrollment of 4.5 credits per quarter.
- The Graduate College policy requires students to complete the program within five years of their first enrollment term.

## SAMPLE PLAN OF STUDY:

	FALL QUARTER	WINTER QUARTER	SPRING QUARTER	SUMMER QUARTER
YEAR ONE	<b>NURS 548</b> <b>(3 credits)</b>  <b>NURS 664</b> <b>(1 credit)</b>  <b>NUPR 520</b> <b>(0 credits)</b>	<b>OFF</b>	<b>NUPR600</b> <b>(5 Credits)</b>	<b>OFF</b>
YEAR TWO	<b>NURS550</b> <b>(4 Credits)</b>	<b>*NURS536</b> <b>(5 Credits)</b>  <b>160 Direct Patient Care Hours</b>  <b>Family/Primary</b>	<b>*NURS537</b> <b>(5 Credits)</b>  <b>160 Direct Patient Care Hours</b>  <b>Family/Primary</b>	<b>*NURS534</b> <b>(5 Credits)</b>  <b>160 Direct Patient Care Hours</b>  <b>Family/Primary</b> <b>(Women’s Health)</b>
YEAR THREE	<b>*NURS535</b> <b>(5 Credits)</b>  <b>160 Direct Patient Care Hours</b>  <b>Family/Primary</b> <b>(Pediatrics)</b>	<b>*NURS673</b> <b>(5 Credits)</b>  <b>170 Direct Patient Care Hours</b>  <b>Emergency Care</b>	<b>*NURS674</b> <b>(5 Credits)</b>  <b>170 Direct Patient Care Hours</b>  <b>Emergency Care</b>	<b>*NURS675</b> <b>(5 Credits)</b>  <b>160 Direct Patient Care Hours</b>  <b>Emergency Care</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Courses marked with a (*) have weekly, synchronous virtual class sessions, which have mandatory attendance. Please note any course in the plan of study may require mandatory, synchronous virtual sessions.</li> <li>• The mandatory online clinical orientation is a synchronous, one-night information session. This is not a course for credit.</li> </ul>				

- Nurse Practitioner students are required to take NURS550 – Advanced Health Assessment and Diagnostic Reasoning, the **fall** quarter immediately preceding the first clinical-based course and with the completion of the track specific pharmacology course.
- Clinical courses require both clinical and didactic coursework. Both clinical and didactic coursework must be successfully completed to earn a passing grade in the course.

**See full course information above**