



Byrdine F. Lewis School of Nursing

Child Health Program in Nursing The Child Health CNS/PNP option focuses in the preparation of clinical experts with advanced competencies and emphasizes excellence in practice, critical thinking, inquiry, leadership, self-awareness and empowerment. The curriculum consists of a minimum of 48 semester hours of study. Full-time and part-time study may be selected. Each student's program of study will be planned at the time of admission. Students will be advised of any curricular changes at that time.

Graduates of the Child Health CNS/PNP option are employed in a variety of clinical and ambulatory settings are eligible for certification by the American Nurses Credentialing Center and the National Certification Board of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners & Nurses (NCBPNP/N).

Core Courses

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| Nurs 7000: | Research for Advanced Practice Nurses | 3 |
| Nurs 7310: | Advanced Pathophysiological Concepts in Nursing –Part I | 3 |
| Nurs 7320: | Advanced Pathophysiological Concepts in Nursing –Part II | 3 |
| Nurs 7500: | Advanced Health Assessment | 3 |
| Nurs 7550: | Pharmacology for the Advanced Practice Nurse | 3 |
| Nurs 7600: | The Culture of Health Care | 2 |
| Nurs 7940: | Advance Professional Nurse Practice Issues | 2 |
| Nurs 7900: | Theoretical Foundation for Advance Practice Nursing | 3 |

Specialty Courses

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| Nurs 7420: | Common Health Problems and Issues Pertinent to Children and Adolescents | 9 |
| Nurs 7430: | Chronic Health Problems in Children and Adolescents | 7 |
| Nurs 7440: | Advanced Practicum in Child Health | 10 |

TOTAL SEMESTER HOUR REQUIREMENT 48

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