



Byrdine F. Lewis School of Nursing

Family Nurse Practitioner Program in Nursing The Family Nurse

Practitioner 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 Family Nurse Practitioner option are employed in a variety of clinical and ambulatory settings are eligible for certification by the American Nurses Credentialing Center and the American Academy of Nurse Practitioners.

Core Courses

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 Foundations for Advance Practice Nursing	3

Specialty Courses

Nurs 7340:	Common Health Problems of Adults	10
Nurs 7342:	Common Health Problems of Children and Adolescents	6
Nurs 7350:	Common Health Problems in Women	6
Nurs 7360:	Advanced Family Nurse Practicum	4

TOTAL SEMESTER HOUR REQUIREMENT 48

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