

POST-MASTERS FAMILY NURSE PRACTITIONER CERTIFICATE PROGRAM

Department of Nursing

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Certificate Description

The Family Nurse Practitioner Certificate Program at Youngstown State University is designed to prepare the Post-Masters prepared nurse with opportunities to build upon their current knowledge and obtain additional advanced practice knowledge and skill which will enable them to provide direct primary care to individuals and families. The Family Nurse Practitioner Certificate Program is not a degree program. This certificate program is designed to enhance the professional development of the masters prepared nurse by providing education and training that prepares them for a family nurse practitioner's role.

Family Nurse Practitioner (FNP) Option Curriculum

COURSE	TITLE	S.H.
NURS 6903	Advanced Pharmacology	3
NURS 6904	Advanced Health Assessment	3
NURS 7003	Role Development	3
NURS 7024	Family and Women's Health	3
NURS 7004	Role Development Practicum	2
NURS 7026	Infant, Child and Adolescent Health	3
NURS 7025	Family and Women's Health Practicum	2
NURS 7028	Adult and Older Adult Health	3
NURS 7027	Infant, Child and Adolescent Health Practicum	2
NURS 7029	Adult and Older Adult Health Practicum	2
Total Semester Hours		26

Students will complete 570 hours of supervised clinical practice as part of this certificate option for national certification eligibility.