

NURS 7051 - Family Nurse Practitioner 4 Practicum

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Credit hours: 3

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Communication Expectations:

The best form of communication is via email. Emails are checked every day throughout the week and after hour requests and weekends may not be addressed until the following business day but all effort is made to respond in a timely manner. Please do not send any messages through blackboard messaging, please use email for all communication and include your name and course number (NURS 7051) in all emails

How to Refer to me:

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Course Description

7051. Family Nurse Practitioner 4 Practicum. The final supervised clinical practicum consisting of a minimum of 75 hours and/or any remaining hours needed to meet the 600 total program hours in a variety of primary care settings. It is designed to provide the advanced Family Nurse Practitioner student with comprehensive experiences in health promotion and the integration and management of acute and chronic health problems in individuals across the lifespan. In addition, preparation for advanced practice certification, certification examination and state licensure processes are addressed. Prereq.: NURS 7050. 1-3 s.h.

Course Readings

Group	Title	Author	ISBN
Required	See below for course reference materials		

The course readings are subject to change in the event of extenuating circumstances, research developments, current events, and/or to ensure better learning.

In this asynchronous online course, there are required and optional textbooks (see below) that will be used and the following technology will be needed for you to be able to fully participate in this course. You will need to have access to the following technology/programs: WebEx, Microsoft Teams, or Zoom videoconferencing platform, webcam (integrated into computer or separate), microphone (integrated into computer, separate, or part of headphones), speakers (integrated into computer or part of headphones) and StatPearls (provided by the university). . YSU has Tech Support available both online and by phone (330-941-1595).

Required Texts

Carry-over Texts from 7045, 7046, 7047

Up to Date is free and available through the MAAG library.

Exxat – for practicum form submission

StatPearls Mock Practice Exams (provided by the School of Nursing).

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Schedule of Topics and Assignments

Week of	Reading(s)	Proposed Topic	Due/To Prepare for Class
5/11	Readings & Media: Welcome – Module Intro Course Instructional Videos	Course Introduction Practicum Goals, Objective & Plan Portfolio update	Assignment(s) Due Weekly Exxat Logs
5/18	Readings & Media: Welcome – Module Intro Course Instructional Videos	Self-Analysis & Study Plan	Assignment(s) Due Practicum days/times & goals for the week Resume/Curriculum Vitae Weekly Exxat Logs StatPearls® (Mock Practice Exam) Questions
5/25	Readings & Media: Welcome – Module Intro Course Instructional Videos	Practicum Experience & Advancement as a FNP Practice Management	Assignment(s) Due Practicum days/times/ goals & Evaluation Diagnostic Analysis Weekly Exxat Logs StatPearls® (Mock Practice Exam) Questions
6/1	Readings & Media: Welcome – Module Intro Course Instructional Videos	Practicum Experience & Advancement as a FNP Practice Management	Assignment(s) Due Practicum days/times/ goals & Evaluation Progress Note Peer Review Weekly Exxat Logs StatPearls® (Mock Practice Exam) Questions
6/8	Readings & Media: Welcome – Module Intro Course Instructional Videos	Practicum Experience & Advancement as a FNP Practice Management	Discussion Certification & Licensure Evaluation/Review Certification & Licensure Review Response Assignment(s) Due Practicum days/times/goals & Evaluation Certification & Licensure Evaluation/Review Weekly Exxat Logs StatPearls® (Mock Practice Exam) Questions
6/15	Readings & Media: Welcome – Module Intro Course Instructional Videos	Practicum Experience & Advancement as a FNP Practice Management	Assignment(s) Due Practicum days/times/ goals & Evaluation Diagnostic Study Plan Weekly Exxat Logs StatPearls® (Mock Practice Exam) Questions
6/22	Readings & Media: Welcome – Module Intro Course Instructional Videos	Practicum Experience & Advancement as a FNP Practice Management	Discussion Experience Reflection & Response Assignment(s) Due Practicum days/times & goals for the week Weekly Exxat Logs Post-practicum Individual Summary Final Practicum Evaluation S/U Verification of Practicum Hours S/U

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