

GRADUATE CERTIFICATE: ADULT GERONTOLOGY ACUTE CARE NURSE PRACTITIONER PROGRAM

The Adult Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner (AG ACNP) certificate is offered to individuals who have completed a graduate degree in nursing and who desire to obtain specialized knowledge to seek certification as a AG ACNP. AG ACNP graduates are eligible to sit for the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC) or the American Association of Critical Care Nursing (AACN). The curriculum includes 780 contact hours for clinical practice.

- PLO 1. Synthesize theories, concepts, and research in nursing, social, and biological sciences and humanities as the basis for practice.
- PLO 2. Integrate advanced nursing practice knowledge and skills in managing care of selected populations.
- PLO 3. Engage in the research process with an emphasis on application to advanced practice.
- PLO 4. Engage in leadership strategies that contribute to the improvement of health care delivery and influence health care policy.
- PLO 5. Integrate assessment of own learning in developing a lifelong pattern of scholarly inquiry.

Code	Title	Hours
NURS 6240	Advanced Practice Nursing in Acute Care of Late Adolescents and Young Adults	3
NURS 6250	Advanced Practice Nursing in Acute Care of Late Adolescents and Young Adults: Practicum 1	4
NURS 6260	Advanced Practice Nursing in Acute Care of Adults and Older Adults	3
NURS 6270	Advanced Practice Nursing in Acute Care of Adults and Older Adults: Practicum 2	4
NURS 6280	Advanced Practice Nursing in Acute Care of Older Adults and Frail Adults	2
NURS 6290	Advanced Practice Nursing in Acute Care of Older Adults and Frail Adults: Practicum 3	5
Total Hours		21

First Year

First Term		Hours
NURS 6240	Advanced Practice Nursing in Acute Care of Late Adolescents and Young Adults	3
NURS 6250	Advanced Practice Nursing in Acute Care of Late Adolescents and Young Adults: Practicum 1	4
Hours		7

Second Term

NURS 6260	Advanced Practice Nursing in Acute Care of Adults and Older Adults	3
NURS 6270	Advanced Practice Nursing in Acute Care of Adults and Older Adults: Practicum 2	4
Hours		7

Third Term

NURS 6280	Advanced Practice Nursing in Acute Care of Older Adults and Frail Adults	2
NURS 6290	Advanced Practice Nursing in Acute Care of Older Adults and Frail Adults: Practicum 3	5
Hours		7
Total Hours		21