

# GRADUATE CERTIFICATE: PSYCHIATRIC MENTAL HEALTH NURSE PRACTITIONER

The Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner (PM HNP) 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 PM HNP. PM HNP graduates are eligible to sit for the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC) certification corresponding to their population foci upon graduation. The curriculum includes 780 contact hours for clinical practice.

Code	Title	Hours
NURS 6340	Advanced Practice Nursing in Psych Mental Health of Adults	3
NURS 6350	Advanced Practice Nursing in Psych Mental Health of Adults: Practicum 1	4
NURS 6360	Advanced Practice Nursing in Primary Care of Psych Mental Health of Child, Adolescent and Family	3
NURS 6370	Advanced Practice Nursing in Psych Mental Health of Child, Adolescent and Family: Practicum 2	4
NURS 6380	Advanced Practice Nursing in Psych Mental Health of Older Adults	2
NURS 6390	Advanced Practice Nursing in Psych Mental Health of Older Adults: Practicum 3	5
NURS 6060	Psychopharmacology for PMHNP Practice	2
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>23</b>

First Term	Hours
NURS 6340	Advanced Practice Nursing in Psych Mental Health of Adults
NURS 6350	Advanced Practice Nursing in Psych Mental Health of Adults: Practicum 1
NURS 6060	Psychopharmacology for PMHNP Practice
<b>Hours</b>	<b>9</b>

Second Term	Hours
NURS 6360	Advanced Practice Nursing in Primary Care of Psych Mental Health of Child, Adolescent and Family
NURS 6370	Advanced Practice Nursing in Psych Mental Health of Child, Adolescent and Family: Practicum 2
<b>Hours</b>	<b>7</b>

Third Term	Hours
NURS 6380	Advanced Practice Nursing in Psych Mental Health of Older Adults

NURS 6390	Advanced Practice Nursing in Psych Mental Health of Older Adults: Practicum 3	5
<b>Hours</b>		<b>7</b>
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>23</b>

Transcripts must indicate completion at the graduate level of advanced pathophysiology, advanced pharmacology and advanced health assessment with a grade of B or higher in each course.

- PLO 1. Synthesize theories, concepts, and research in nursing, social, and biological sciences and humanities.
- 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.
- PLO 5. Integrate assessment of own learning in developing a lifelong pattern of scholarly inquiry.