

# Post-Graduate Certificate

## Academic Program Guide

2020 – 2021 Cohort PNP



THE UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA

College of Nursing

This Program Guide is intended as a recommended course schedule to help students guide their course progress. Students should meet regularly with their faculty advisor to discuss their specific course selections, remaining requirements, and degree options.

<b>Pediatric Nurse Practitioner (PNP) Certificate</b>			
<b>SUMMER TERM - Orientation is required during the summer.</b>			
<b>Course Title</b>	<b>Units</b>	<b>Course Notes</b>	<b>Program Milestones</b>
<b>FALL TERM</b>			
<b>NURS 572</b> Advanced Pharmacotherapeutics	3	<sup>1</sup> This course will begin during RISE in August and continue through the Fall Term.	<b>Transfer Coursework Request:</b> Complete Transfer Coursework Request this term.
<b>NURS 609a</b> Health Assessment <sup>1</sup>	3		
<b>NURS 609c</b> Pediatric Health Assessment in Advanced Practice	1		
<b>Semester Total Units</b>	<b>7</b>		
<b>SPRING TERM</b>			
<b>Clinical Skills Intensive (CSI): : Register to attend CSI in Spring Term 1 if registered for NURS 642a in Spring Term 1</b>			
<b>NURS 501</b> Advanced Physiology & Pathophysiology	3	<sup>2</sup> (3 units didactic, 2 units practicum=180 clinical hours)	<b>Plan of Study:</b> Complete and file the Plan of Study with the Graduate College by the start of this term.
<b>NURS 542</b> Pediatric Pharmacotherapeutics	1		
<b>NURS 642a</b> Care of the Well Child and Adolescent <sup>2</sup>	5		
<b>Semester Total Units</b>	<b>9</b>		
<b>SUMMER TERM</b>			
<b>NURS 642b</b> Diagnosis and Management of Acute and Chronic Conditions in Children and Adolescents <sup>3</sup>	6	<sup>3</sup> (4 units didactic, 2 units practicum=180 clinical hours)	
<b>NURS 680</b> Women's Health in Advanced Practice Nursing	2		
<b>Semester Total Units</b>	<b>8</b>		
<b>FALL TERM</b>			
<b>NURS 693a</b> Clinical Residency <sup>4</sup>	3	<sup>4</sup> (1 unit didactic, 2 units practicum=180 clinical hours)	
<b>Semester Total Units</b>	<b>3</b>		
<b>UNIT TOTAL: <u>27</u></b>			
<b>TOTAL CLINICAL PRACTICUM HOURS: <u>540</u></b>			

### Program Notes & Resources

- Post-Master's Certificate students may be eligible to waive the following courses after review of prior Nurse Practitioner education and certification: NURS 501, NURS 609a and NURS 572. Complete waiver policies and procedures are available in the Post-Master's Certificate Student Handbook.
- Post-Master's Certificate students are required to attend orientation for Desire to Learn (D2L) learning platform and Exxat upon enrollment in the program.
- Post-Master's Certificate Student Handbook
- University of Arizona Graduate College Student Policies