Adult Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner, Graduate Certificate

Learning Outcomes

Graduates will be able to:

- demonstrate high-quality, evidence-based clinical competence in the advanced practice care of a new patient population focus;
- utilize scientific underpinnings for the advanced practice care of a new patient population focus; and
- incorporate principles of inclusive, compassionate, personcentered care into the delivery of health care.

Requirements

The graduate Certificate in Adult Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner requires 21 s.h. of credit. Students must maintain a UI cumulative grade-point average of at least 2.50 in coursework for the certificate. The certificate is available for post-master's Advanced Practice Registered Nurse (APRN) degree students who would like to pursue a second specialty.

The curriculum includes didactic and clinical core courses as well as specialty courses, as determined by the director of the program. Coursework and clinical hours are determined by a gap analysis.

The Certificate in Adult Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner requires the following coursework.

Requirements

First Year

Course #	Title	Hours
NURS:5035	Graduate Pharmacology Specialty	3
NURS:5038	Advanced Diagnostic and Therapeutic Procedures for Acute Care	1
NURS:6410	Adult-Gerontology Acute Care I	3
NURS:6411	Adult-Gerontology Acute Care II	3
NURS:6701	Advanced Practice Clinical Practicum I	4
NURS:6702	Advanced Practice Clinical Practicum II	4

Second Year

Course #	Title	Hours
NURS:6703	Advanced Practice Clinical	3
	Practicum III	

Admission

The application deadline for the certificate is Feb. 1. See Post-Graduate Certificate Programs on the College of Nursing website for admission requirements and application details.