



Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner, CGS 2024-2025

OVERVIEW

The CGS AGACNP is a post-master’s certificate, designed for master’s prepared nurse. It is a part-time program that incorporates a blend of on-campus and asynchronous online coursework. In general, students will come to campus about 5-6 times per semester. Regarding clinical assignments, we encourage students to participate in the identification of a site prior to their clinical year. If they are unable to identify a preceptor, we will work with the student to make the arrangements.

The program spans 28-37 credits, a determination made by the Program Director through a gap analysis post-admission. Applicants who have completed the 3 Ps (Advanced Pathophysiology, Advanced Pharmacology, and Physical Assessment) more than two years ago may be required to either retake the relevant class(es) or undergo challenge exam(s).

CURRICULUM

	Fall	Spring	Summer
Year 1			NURS 681 Pathophysiology for Advanced Practice Nurses * NURS 640 Advanced Physical Assessment across the Lifespan *
Year 2	NURS 682 Clinical Pharmacology for Prescribing Advanced Practice Nurses * NURS 646 Diagnostic Reasoning for Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioners	NURS 741 Advanced Theory and Practice I for Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioners (190 clinical hours)	NURS 742 Advanced Theory and Practice II for Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioners (190 clinical hours)
Year 3	NURS 743 Advanced Theory and Practice III for Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioners (190 clinical hours)	NURS 744 Advanced Theory and Practice IV for Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioners (190 clinical hours)	
	MS Credit Total: 28-37	Clinical Hours: 760	