

ADULT-GERONTOLOGY ACUTE CARE NURSE PRACTITIONER, MSN

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| NURS 431 | Psychosocial and Spiritual Dimensions of Advanced Nursing Practice | 2 |
| Hours | | 10 |
| Total Hours | | 39 |

Degree: Master of Science in Nursing (MSN)

Field of Study: Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner

Program Overview

Adult Gerontology Acute care nurse practitioners (AGACNPs) often serve as first responders in a variety of healthcare settings that include community and academic hospitals, intensive care units, outpatient clinics, and specialty practices like medical cardiology, subacute care, or trauma.

Major Requirements

As part of FPB's MSN program, the AGACNP major requires at least 39 credit hours of coursework and 600 hours of clinical experience. A recent year of adult intensive care (ICU) nursing experience is required prior to beginning this program.

Sample Plan of Study

First Year

| Fall | | Hours |
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| NUNP 438 | Foundations for Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nursing | 4 |
| NURS 453 | Advanced Pathophysiology | 4 |
| NURS 459 | Advanced Health Assessment | 3 |
| NURS 444B | Health Care Delivery and Finance in Advanced Practice | 1 |
| Hours | | 12 |

Spring

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| NURS 430 | Advanced Pharmacology | 3 |
| NUNP 443 | Acute Health Problems of Adults and Older Adults | 6 |
| NURS 405 | Inquiry I - Theoretical Foundations | 2 |
| Hours | | 11 |

Summer

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| NURS 425 | Inquiry II - Research Process | 3 |
| NURS 451 | Leadership for Quality Healthcare within Organizations and Systems | 3 |
| Hours | | 6 |

Second Year

| Fall | | Hours |
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| NURS 502 | Inquiry III Evidence-Based Practice | 2 |
| NUNP 444 | Advanced Management of Acutely Ill Adults and Older Adults | 4 |
| NURS 444A | Ethical Issues in Advanced Nursing Practice | 1 |
| NURS 444C | Health Policy Legislation and Legal Issues in Advanced Practice | 1 |