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DOCTOR OF NURSING PRACTICE WOMEN'S HEALTH CLINICAL NURSE SPECIALIST TRACK 3-YEAR PROGRAM CURRICULUM

*Note: Effective Autumn 2025. Not applicable to students entering the program prior to 2025.
Please contact your faculty advisors with questions concerning your program curriculum.*

YEAR 1	AUTUMN	WINTER	SPRING
	NSG 555: Perspectives on Implementing Research in Advanced Nursing Practice Credits 3 NSG 530: Leadership Communication & Professional Role Development 3 NSG 553: Foundations of Health Systems and Health Economics 3 NURS 573: Foundations of Advanced Practice Nursing 1	NMETH 535: Nursing Inquiry to Support Evidence-Based Practice Credits 4 NSG 551: Health Politics and Policy 3 NSG 552: Social Determinants of Health & Health Equity 3	NMETH 533: Appraisal & Translation of Evidence for Practice Credits 5 NURS 552: Wellness, Health Promotion & Disease Prevention 3 NMETH 536: Methods of Program Evaluation & Quality Improvement 4




Total credit hours: 32

YEAR 2	AUTUMN	WINTER	SPRING	SUMMER
	NSG 557: Physiology & Pathophysiology Across the Lifespan Credits 4 NCLIN 500: Comprehensive Health Assessment 3 NCLIN 501: Diagnostic Reasoning 2 NURS 514: Physiologic Adaptations in Women & Children 3	NSG 520: Pharmacotherapeutics for Advanced Nursing Practice Credits 3 NURS 541: Sexual and Reproductive Health 3 NSG 562: Management of Adults I 2 NCLIN 502: Pediatric Diagnostic Health Assessment 1 NCLIN 511: Introduction to Perinatal Care for Advanced Practice 1	NCLIN 516: Advanced Clinical Practicum I Credits 4 NURS 542: Childbearing I 4 NSG 539: Management of Common Newborn Conditions 2	NCLIN 517: Advanced Clinical Practicum II Credits 5 NURS 543: Childbearing II 3

Total credit hours: 40

YEAR 3	AUTUMN	WINTER
	NCLIN 518: Advanced Clinical Practicum III Credits 7 NMETH 801: Practice Doctorate Project 3	NCLIN 801: Practice Doctoral Clinical Immersion Credits 8 NMETH 801: Practice Doctorate Project 3

Total credit hours: 21

-  Doctor of Nursing Practice Core Course (all DNP students)
-  Advanced Practice Nursing Core Course (all APN students)
-  Track and Shared Track (students by track focus)