

POST-MASTER'S CERTIFICATE IN ADULT-GERONTOLOGY PRIMARY CARE NURSE PRACTITIONER

The post-master's certificate in adult-gerontology primary care nurse practitioner is designed for advanced practice nurses who wish to expand their scope of practice. Coursework includes didactic and clinical experiences that focus on the primary care needs of patients, families, and communities from adolescence through adulthood.

Visit the [GW Nursing website \(https://nursing.gwu.edu/\)](https://nursing.gwu.edu/) for additional information.

ADMISSIONS

Article	Requirement
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Admission deadline:	Summer: March 31
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Recommendations required:	Two letters of recommendation
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Prior academic records	Official transcripts (from all post-secondary schools)
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Statement of Purpose:	Compose a 250-500 word essay describing your reasons for undertaking study in nursing at The George Washington University, your academic objectives, career goals, and related qualifications (including relevant collegiate, professional, and/or community activities). Include any substantial accomplishments not already mentioned on the application form. Your essay should also speak to the role (e.g. FNP, AGACNP, etc.) that you are applying for and how your qualifications will help you succeed in this role both professionally and as a student.
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Prerequisites: Master's degree in nursing from a regionally accredited college or university

Additional:	Current resume Active and unencumbered nursing license Preferred scholastic GPA of at least 3.0 on a 4.0 scale from a regionally accredited college or university Successful completion of graduate-level courses in pathophysiology, pharmacology, and advanced health assessment
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International Requirements: TOEFL is: Internet-based test: 100 or higher Paper test: 600 or higher
The minimum required score for the IELTS is: An overall band score of 7.0 Individual band scores of 6.0 or higher

Supporting documents not submitted online should be mailed to:

Office of Admissions
45085 University Drive, Suite 201-T

Ashburn, VA 20147

Contact for questions:

nursing@gwu.edu ~ 571-553-0138 (phone)
<https://nursing.gwu.edu/admissions-aid> (<https://nursing.gwu.edu/admissions-aid/>)
9:00 am – 5:00 pm, Monday through Friday

REQUIREMENTS

The following requirements must be fulfilled: 20 credits in required courses and completion of 600 clinical hours.

Code	Title	Credits
Required		
NURS 6224	Adult/Gerontology Primary Care Nurse Practitioner I: Practice Introduction	
NURS 6225	Adult/Gerontology Primary Care Nurse Practitioner II: Adolescent and Adult	
NURS 6229	Adult/Gerontology Primary Care Nurse Practitioner III: Adult, Older/Frail	