

UConn School of Nursing

Adult Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner (AGACNP)

POST-MASTER'S CERTIFICATE PROGRAM

Adult Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner (AGACNP) graduates are prepared as advance practice nurses to assess, diagnose, monitor, treat and coordinate care of acutely and critically ill individuals from adolescence to senescence in acute care settings. The core competencies emphasize teaching/coaching, consultation and evidence-based practice. Graduates of this concentration are prepared for eligibility to apply for the AGNP Acute Care certification examination prepared by an approved national organization as accepted by the Board of Registration in Nursing and apply to practice in the expanded role in Connecticut or other states based on regulatory guidelines.

SAMPLE PLAN OF STUDY

Semester I

NURS 5060	Advanced Pathophysiology: Concepts for Advanced Nursing Practice Across the Lifespan	3 Credits
NURS 5062	Advanced Health Assessment Across the Lifespan	3 Credits

Semester II

NURS 5070	Advanced Pharmacodynamics and Implications for Nursing Actions	3 Credits
NURS 5400	Health Promotion, Prevention, and Common Health Problems in APN Practice I	3 Credits
NURS 5409	APN Practicum I	3 Credits

Semester III

NURS 5150	Common and Chronic Health Problems in APN Practice II	3 Credits
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Semester IV

NURS 5160	Common and Comorbid Health Problems in AGNP Acute Care Practice III	3 Credits
NURS 5169	AGNP Acute Care Clinical Practicum II	3 Credits

Semester V

NURS 5170	Complex and Comorbid Health Problems in AGNP Acute Care Practice IV	3 Credits
NURS 5179	AGNP Acute Care Clinical Practicum III	3 Credits

30 Credits

Courses that have previously been taken and meet university criteria might be eligible to be waived.
A copy of the course syllabus must be provided if the course was completed at another university or college.

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