

# FAMILY NURSE PRACTITIONER

This CCNE accredited graduate track leads to the Master of Science in Nursing degree or a Post-Master's Certificate. It reflects Husson's ongoing commitment to educate nurses for the challenges of the 21st century. Graduates are eligible to sit for the ANCC or AANP Family Nurse Practitioner Certification Exam. Programming is delivered via online modalities with on-campus orientation prior to clinical courses, making graduate nursing education accessible to everyone.

## Track Outcomes

Upon completion, graduates will be expected to:

- Provide primary health care to individuals of all ages and their families, within diverse practice settings.
- Utilize community assessment in evaluating client needs and planning health care.
- Synthesize relevant theories and specialized knowledge into their clinical practice.
- Analyze and apply research literature used for improving health outcomes of individuals and their families.
- Influence family nursing practice by exhibiting competence in clinical practice, teaching, counseling, consultation, research, leadership and collaboration.
- Utilize an interdisciplinary focus in the delivery of comprehensive family health care.
- Contribute to the improvement of family health care by influencing health policy.
- Practice with personal integrity and a willingness to search for ethical truths in a constantly changing environment.
- Assume responsibility for continued professional growth and development.

## Professional Courses

NU 700	Theories and Roles for Advanced Nursing Practice *	3
NU 702	Advanced Pharmacotherapeutics *	3
NU 704	Advanced Health Assessment *	3
NU 706	Advanced Pathophysiology *	3
NU 708	Socio-Cultural Perception of Addiction and Population Health *	3
NU 710	Advanced Evidence Based Practice *	3
NU 740	Public Health Policy Issues and Challenges *	3
NU 802 & NL 802C	Family Health I – Adult-Gero Health and Clinical: Family Health I	6
NU 806 & NL 806C	Family Health III -- Integrating Primary Care and Clinical: Family Health III	6
NU 815 & NL 815C	Family Health II – Family Centered Care of Women, Infants & Children and Clinical: Family Health II	6
NU 821	Strategy & Analysis of Organizational Process *	3
NU 836	Healthcare Informatics and Technology *	3
NU 840	Graduate Nursing Capstone *	3
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>48</b>

\* Student will not need to take this course if taken in previous MSN program.