CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, LOS ANGELES

POST-MASTER'S CERTIFICATE FAMILY NURSE PRACTITIONER PROGRAM ROADMAP



effective Fall 2025

PREREQUISITES (must be completed unless equivalency is met or student is already an NP)

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Fall		15	
NURS 5020	Role, Health Care, & Policy	3	
NURS 5280*	Advanced Pharmacology	3	
NURS 5660	Advanced Pathophysiology	3	
NURS 5720	Advanced Health Assessment and Diagnostic Reasoning	3	
NURS 5730	Advanced Health Assessment and Diagnostic Reasoning Practicum	3	

YFAR 1

Fall		Units: 11 Spring		Units: 11
NURS 5211	Family Nurse Practitioner I	4 NURS 5213	Family Nurse Practitioner II	4
NURS 5310	Family Nurse Practitioner Practicum I	7 NURS 5312	Family Nurse Practitioner Practicum II	7
Practicum/Clinical [†]	315 hours	Practicum/Clinical [†]	315 hours	

YEAR 3

Fall		Units: 10
NURS 5214	Family Nurse Practitioner III	4
NURS 5313	Family Nurse Practitioner Practicum III	6
Practicum/Clinical [†]	270 hours	

TOTAL UNITS: 32
TOTAL PRACTICUM/CLINICAL HOURS: 900

NOTES:

Only 8 units taken at another institution may be substituted with approval from the Patricia A. Chin School of Nursing

*For Non-NP students: the BRN requires Pharmacology to be completed no more than 5 years prior to the time of completing the furnishing number application

†Effective Fall 2025, the nurse practitioner programs have increased to 900 clinical hours. This meets the newly updated requirements set forth by the National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculties (NONPF).