


Advanced Graduate Certificate in Family Nurse Practitioner (ON HOLD)

2 Graduate Program Elimination 2021-22

I. General Information

The faculty member originating this proposal is to complete section I.

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IMPORT curriculum data from the Catalog by clicking  in the top left corner.

Do not make any changes to any information until the proposal has been launched in Step 4.

Department*

School of Nursing

Program Type*

Certificate

Degree/ Certificate Name* Advanced Graduate Certificate in Family Nurse Practitioner (ON HOLD)

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Plan Code* FNPCERTG

Program elimination effective date* January 2023

Explanation/ Rationale for this Proposal*

The program was initially put on hold as the School of Nursing determined whether or not it would be phased out. We still have one student who remains active (student A in the attached files) and we have two students who stepped out of the program without completing LOAs (Student B and Student C in the attached files) who were set to come back in spring 2020. As we are in the process of notifying CCNE accrediting body that we plan to eliminate this program, the Graduate College has asked the School of Nursing to submit a formal request for this decision.

If prospective students have already submitted applications to this program how do you propose handling them?

The School of Nursing has not accepted applications to the Advanced Graduate Certificate in Family Nurse Practitioner since it's last application cycle for fall 2019.

II. Course/Student Information

Are there courses that will no longer be offered?*

Yes No

If yes, list courses

Are any of these courses required in another program?*

Yes No

If yes, list courses

NURS - 701 - Diagnostic Reasoning and Clinical Decision Making for the APRN2
NURS - 714 - Family Theory and Health Promotion2
NURS - 740R - FNP Adult and Women's Health6
NURS - 750R - FNP Children and OB6
NURS - 752 - Nurse Practitioner Business and Roles3
NURS - 760R - FNP Geriatric and Chronic Illness(6-8)
NURS - 761 - Clinical Synthesis1

Are students currently enrolled in the program?*

Yes No

If yes, describe how they will be accommodated

There is currently one student in the program (listed as Student A in the teach out plan). We also have two students (see teach out plan for Student B and Student C) who stopped the program and were supposed to come back spring 2020, but have not done so. They also have not responded to communications to resume their studies. We plan to keep the program active so that the student can graduate with this certificate. Students will be notified in July 2020 that they are going to be put on probation for not returning in the spring 2020 and that they will have to come back in the fall 2020 semester or spring 2021 semester (as indicated on their teach out plan) to resume their studies or they may be separated from the Graduate College. Student B and Student C left off in their studies in different spots. The plans of study indicate when a course was taken, the term a course would be re-taken if there is a WD, and what the anticipated graduation/completion date would be. The last student should graduate in fall 2022.

What is the last term degrees will be conferred for this program?

Fall 2022

Please attach required documents by navigating to the Proposal Toolbox and clicking  in the top right corner.

Program Elimination Coversheet available here: www.unlv.edu/provost/vpap/actions

Teach Out Plan Form available here: www.unlv.edu/provost/vpap/actions


NSHE Program Elimination Form available here: www.unlv.edu/provost/vpap/actions

All required forms are attached*

- Program Elimination Coversheet
- Teach Out Plan Form
- NSHE Program Elimination Form

4. LAUNCH proposal by clicking  in the top left corner.

5. After launching the proposal, make all changes and fill in all additional fields.


6. Finish the launch of your proposal by clicking the icon  located in the Proposal Toolbox on left side at top. Make your decision, comment is optional, and click on "Make decision".

You can check the status of the proposal by clicking  in Proposal Toolbox to verify that the proposal has gone to the next step.

III. Department Vote Information

Note: This section is to be filled out by the Department Chair on behalf of the committee.

(The role has been assigned to the corresponding person on this step. If incorrect, please notify GradCurriculum@unlv.edu)

1. Review the proposal. Discuss and make appropriate revisions.
2. Fill in vote information.
3. Then go to the proposal toolbox at the top right side. Click on  and select the corresponding decision for the committee. This will enable the proposal to go to the next person on the workflow.

You can check the status of the proposal by clicking  in Proposal Toolbox to verify that the proposal has gone to the next step.

Date faculty voted on proposal 9/14/2020


Result of vote* 6 yes, 0 no, 0 abstain

Manner of vote AAC- via web conference

IV. Unit Vote Information

Note: This section is to be filled out by the College Committee Chair on behalf of the committee.

(The role has been assigned to the corresponding person on this step. If incorrect, please notify GradCurriculum@unlv.edu)

1. Review the proposal. Discuss and make appropriate revisions.
2. Fill in vote information.
3. Then go to the proposal toolbox at the top right side. Click on  and select the corresponding decision for the committee. This will enable the proposal to go to the next person on the workflow.

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Date faculty voted on 9/28/2020

proposal

Result of vote 29 yes, 1 no, 4 abstain

Manner of vote Faculty Org- via web conference

IV. Processing Notes (Graduate College/Registrar Use Only)

Plan Description

Individuals who already have a master's degree in nursing, and meet the admission qualifications will be allowed to take courses as a non-degree student. No degree will be awarded, but a certificate documenting completion of the course work will be provided and transcripts showing completion of the courses will be available. Each individual applicant will be evaluated to determine the courses required in order to complete the specific certificate program. Additional courses beyond the minimum courses needed for the certificate program may be required if the applicant's earned MS in nursing lack courses required by the UNLV School of Nursing. [View Plan Disclaimer](#) For more information about your program, including your graduate program handbook and learning outcomes, please visit the [Degrees Directory](#).

Plan Admission Requirements

Application deadlines Applications available on the UNLV Graduate College website. Students must apply and submit all admission materials via the Grad Rebel Gateway system available through the Graduate College. The following items are required: Official transcripts of all course work for both baccalaureate and master's degrees must be sent to the School of Nursing and Graduate College. Transcripts must show coursework in Advanced Physical Assessment, Advanced Pathophysiology, and Advanced Pharmacology. Additionally, if unofficial transcripts are available to the student, please upload to the Grad Rebel Gateway application. Nursing course work must have been completed at a nursing program accredited by the National League for Nursing Accrediting Commission or Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education. Three (3) letters of recommendation from either instructors or employers that speak to the applicant's potential to complete the Advanced Graduate Certificate in Family Nurse Practitioner Program. Statement of 300 words describing the students' professional goals and reason for seeking a nurse practitioner certificate. Current resume or curriculum vitae (CV). Current, unrestricted, valid RN license in state of residence. Have practiced as a baccalaureate prepared registered nurse (RN) for a minimum of 2000 hours prior to beginning coursework in the program. All applicants must review and follow the Graduate College Admission and Registration Requirements. Students are accepted into a certificate program as described in the Graduate Catalog. The faculty and corresponding sub-disciplines and sub-plans within the described programs are subject to change at any time.

Plan Requirements

Total Credits Required: 28

Course Requirements

Required Courses – Credits: 28

NURS 701 Diagnostic Reasoning and Clinical Decision Making for the APRN	2
NURS 714 Family Theory and Health Promotion	2
NURS 740R FNP Adult and Women's Health	6
NURS 750R FNP Children and OB	6
NURS 752 Nurse Practitioner Business and Roles	3
NURS 760R FNP Geriatric and Chronic Illness	(6-8)
NURS 761 Clinical Synthesis	1

Certificate Requirements

Completion of a minimum of 28 credit hours with a minimum GPA of 3.00.

Plan Certificate Completion Requirements

The student must submit all required forms to the Graduate College and then apply for graduation in MyUNLV by the appropriate deadline.

Plan Disclaimer

In Nevada, the educational prerequisites for professional licensure or certification for the Advanced Graduate Certificate in Family Nurse Practitioner (FNP) are an active Nevada RN License, National Certification as a Family Nurse Practitioner, and graduation from a nationally accredited Nursing Program with a minimum of 500+ hours of direct patient care. The Advanced Graduate Certificate in Family Nurse Practitioner does NOT currently satisfy those licensure and certification requirements as accreditation by the Commission of Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE) is pending and the University expects to hear something by April 2018. UNLV School of Nursing has not made a determination with respect to the licensure requirements in any other state. As such, Advanced Graduate Certificate in Family Nurse Practitioner is not authorized in any other state in which the prospective or enrolled student resides. If you reside in a state other than Nevada or CCNE does not grant accreditation as anticipated, UNLV will refund the applicable application fee in accordance with its procedures. License requirements for other states are being explored. Please check our website for current information about Fall 2019 application.

Program Alerts (E.g. This program is no longer accepting applications)*

This program is no longer being offered.

PS Processing Notes

PS Processing Date* September 2020

Initials

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Comments for Advanced Graduate Certificate in Family Nurse Practitioner (ON HOLD)

Curriculog

10/6/2020 2:06 pm [Reply](#)

Graduate Curriculum has approved this proposal on Graduate Programs Committee.

Gregory Moody

10/6/2020 2:04 pm [Reply](#)

WebEx Meeting of GPC on Oct 6, 2020, 1pm
15 in favor, no opposition

Curriculog

10/6/2020 2:04 pm [Reply](#)

Gregory Moody has approved this proposal on Graduate Programs Committee.

Curriculog

9/30/2020 8:16 am [Reply](#)

Nursing Associate Dean has approved this proposal on School/College Associate Dean
for Graduate Studies/ Dean.

Curriculog

9/30/2020 8:16 am [Reply](#)

Nursing Associate Dean has approved this proposal on School/College Committee.

Curriculog

9/30/2020 8:16 am [Reply](#)

Nursing Associate Dean has approved this proposal on Department Chair.

Curriculog

9/30/2020 8:15 am [Reply](#)

Nursing Associate Dean has approved this proposal on Graduate Coordinator.

Curriculog

9/29/2020 12:03 pm [Reply](#)

Graduate Curriculum has force approved this proposal.

Curriculog

9/29/2020 12:02 pm [Reply](#)

Graduate Curriculum has approved this proposal on Technical Review.

Curriculog

9/28/2020 5:52 pm [Reply](#)

Emily Lin has approved this proposal on VPAP Step/ Graduate College Dean Review Step.

Curriculog

9/28/2020 4:35 pm [Reply](#)

EVP VPAP has approved this proposal on VPAP Step/ Graduate College Dean Review Step.

Christine Lam

9/28/2020 3:54 pm [Reply](#)

This proposal now contains faculty vote and is ready for review.

Curriculog

9/28/2020 3:54 pm [Reply](#)

Christine Lam has approved this proposal on Originator.

Curriculog

7/16/2020 4:53 pm [Reply](#)

Graduate Curriculum has force rejected this proposal.

EVP VPAP

7/16/2020 4:47 pm [Reply](#)

Need:
Faculty Vote
School Curriculum approval
Grad College Programs Committee vote
NSHE Teach-out plan
Changes to NSHE elimination form.

Curriculog

7/16/2020 4:47 pm [Reply](#)

EVP VPAP has rejected this proposal on VPAP Step/ Graduate College Dean Review Step.

EVP VPAP

7/15/2020 9:17 am [Reply](#)

Need:
Faculty Vote
School Curriculum approval
Grad College Programs Committee vote
NSHE Teach-out plan
Changes to NSHE elimination form.

Curriculog

7/15/2020 9:17 am [Reply](#)

EVP VPAP has requested a hold on this proposal.

Curriculog

7/8/2020 10:58 am [Reply](#)

Christine Lam has approved this proposal on Originator.

Christine Lam

7/8/2020 10:58 am [Reply](#)

The School of Nursing will put this for faculty vote in September 2020. We are submitting the proposal prior to having the vote because we need to show CCNE that we are in the process of eliminating it, which is a requirement of the accrediting body.

Curriculog

7/8/2020 10:57 am [Reply](#)

Christine Lam has launched this proposal.

Curriculog

7/2/2020 11:25 am [Reply](#)

Christine Lam imported from the map 2020-2021 Working Graduate Catalog into the following proposal fields: I. General Information: Program Type, I. General Information: Degree/ Certificate Name, I. General Information: Plan Code, IV. Processing Notes (Graduate College/Registrar Use Only): Prospective Curriculum, IV. Processing Notes (Graduate College/Registrar Use Only): Program Alerts (E.g. This program is no longer accepting applications).