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- MSN – Family Nurse Practitioner Online
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Psych-Mental Health Nurse Practitioner Preceptor

Clinical Hours & Details for PMHNP Preceptor

Students must complete 500 clinical hours consisting of child, adolescent, adult and geriatric populations (lifespan). Clinical may be done in any area, such as inpatient, outpatient, or community with a Psych Mental Health NP, Psych Clinical Nurse Specialists, or Psychiatrist.

PMHNP Preceptor Qualifications

- Must have two years experience
- Master's degree or higher
- Can be a PMHNP, Psych CNL, LICSW, LPCC, or Psychiatrist

The student may also have psychotherapy/counseling experiences with a Psychologist, a Licensed Independent Clinical Social Worker (LICSW), or a Licensed Professional Clinical Counselor (LPCC) who is providing individual, family or play therapy services for up to 80 hours over the course of the program.

Recommendations for meeting requirements are:

- 170 hours with clients in a pediatric population (including children, adolescents, and families)
- 165 hours with adult clients
- 165 hours with seniors

To meet the American Nurse Credentialing Center (ANCC) certification requirements, the student is required to complete clinical hours in all areas.



Adult Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner Preceptor

Clinical Hours & Details for AGACNP Preceptor

MSN and Post-MSN students must complete 500 clinical hours. Students must spend part of their clinical time with an Adult Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner while in the program. Students are expected to spend a minimum of 100 hours with each preceptor in an ICU, but not more than 150 hours in any one area.

AGACNP Preceptor Qualifications

- Must have one year experience
- Master's degree or higher
- Can be an MD, AGACNP, FNP, or a PA

Students may also do clinical with a variety of services such as: Hospitalist, Trauma, Renal, Endocrine, Plastic Surgery (but not Dermatology), Cardiology, Medicine, or Cardiac Surgery. They may also have an ED or Urgent Care rotation, but not both, as they are expected to focus on the ICU patient.

Students may have multiple observational experiences as long as they spend no more than 40 hours away from their preceptor (for the entire duration of the program, not per clinical rotation). We recommend students spend 8-12 hours in an observational experience with a:

- Radiologist learning to read x-rays
- Pharm D learning about Total Parenteral Nutrition (TPN) ordering
- Preceptor in a Cardiac Cath or Vascular lab, or other areas that are deemed appropriate and have been approved by their clinical faculty (not preceptor)

Students must see a range of patients from teenagers, 13 years or older, to geriatric. Under no circumstances should students be allowed to see patients under the age of 13. Direct patient contact is required.



Adult Gero Nurse Practitioner Preceptor

Clinical Hours & Details for AGNP Preceptor

The student must complete 600 hours of clinical practice. These hours may be split among multiple approved preceptors. Students must see a range of patients from teenagers, 13 years or older, to geriatric. Under no circumstances should students be allowed to see patients under the age of 13.

AGNP Preceptor Qualifications

- Must have one year experience
- Master's degree or higher
- Can be an MD, AGNP, FNP, or a PA

NKU prefers a family practice setting, but the student may elect to perform clinical practice in other specialties. Per the Kentucky Board of Nursing (KBN), students must follow an FNP for an "unspecified" amount of time and must "see patients across the lifespan" from infants to elderly adults.

Specialty settings should be limited to approximately 100 hours in each specialty rotation. We recommend that our students spend at least 300 hours in family practice. Direct patient contact is required.



Family Nurse Practitioner Preceptor

FNP Clinical Hours & Details for FNP Preceptor

The student must complete 600 hours of clinical practice to complete the FNP program. These hours may be split among multiple approved preceptors. A student's rotation should only include areas that would hire an FNP.

NKU prefers a family practice setting, but the student may elect to perform clinical practice in other specialties. Per the Kentucky Board of Nursing (KBN), students must follow an FNP for an "unspecified" amount of time and must "see patients across the lifespan" from infants to elderly adults.

FNP Preceptor Qualifications

- Must have one year experience
- Master's degree or higher
- Can be an MD, NP or a PA

Preceptors in Women's Health and Pediatrics, and specialties such as the Emergency Department, Renal, Endocrine, Cardiology, Ortho, and Urgent Care, etc. are highly encouraged.

Specialty settings should be limited to approximately 100 hours in each specialty rotation. We recommend that students spend at least 300 hours in family practice, seeing both pediatric and women's health patients. Direct patient contact is required.



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