

**Master of Science (MS) in Nursing
Nurse-Midwifery/Women’s Health Nurse Practitioner Concentration**

Students who complete the Nurse-Midwifery/Women’s Health Nurse Practitioner program are qualified to sit for the Nurse-Midwife certification examination from the American Midwifery Certification Board (AMCB) and the Women’s Health Nurse Practitioner certification examination from the National Certification Corporation (NCC).

Degree Requirements

Course #	Course Title	SH
Core Courses		
NURS 525	Intermediate Statistics	3
NURS 526	Nursing Inquiry I	2
NURS 527	Nursing Inquiry II	2
NURS 528	Health, Environment and Systems	2
NURS 529	Issues of Advanced Practice in Nursing	1
NURS 531	Pharmacotherapeutics in Advanced Practice in Nursing	3
NURS 532	Comprehensive Health Assessment for Advanced Practice	2
NURS 535	Biological Basis of Disease	4
NURS 550	Evidence-Based Practice or	3
NURS 597	Master’s Project or	3
NURS 598	Master’s Thesis	5
Concentration Specialty Courses		
NUSP 548	Biological Basis for Women’s Health and Perinatal Nursing I	2
NUSP 549	Biological Basis for Women’s Health and Perinatal Nursing II	1
NUSP 550	Issues for Research and Practice in Women’s Health	3
NUSP 555	Health Care of Women I	4
NUSP 556	Health Care of Women II	4
NUSP 557	Health Care of Women III	4
NUSP 558	Advanced Parent-Infant Nursing	2
NUSP 559	Dimensions of Midwifery and Women’s Health Practice	2
NUPR 572	Practicum: Health Care of Women *	14-17
NUPR 573	Practicum: Birth and the Newborn *	6-9
Total Degree Hours		67- 69

* A minimum of 23 clinical credit hours are required, with a minimum of 14 cr in outpatient (NUPR 572) and 6 cr in inpatient (NUPR 573) settings and the other 3 cr divided between or all in one area.

Clinical credit hrs:	23	Clinical clock hrs:	1035
Didactic credit hrs:	43	Didactic clock hrs:	645
Lab credit hrs:	1	Lab clock hrs:	30