Idaho State University FNP Program (Core Clinical Courses)

**NURS 6611L Advanced Health Assessment (144 hours)**
- Demonstrate competency with physical assessment techniques and other laboratory and diagnostic testing.
- Collect, organize and record pertinent data regarding an individual’s health status and demonstrate critical reasoning in the systematic use of the data in an advanced level clinical decision-making process for the individual patient.
- Describe the role of the advanced practice nurse in identifying disease states, health education, and health promotion.

**Placements:** primary care, physical therapy, correctional facility

**NURS 6642L Primary Care of the Young Adult (144 hours)**
- Assess, diagnose, plan, implement, and evaluate health care needs with a focus on young adults.
- Assess and diagnose the health problems that are commonly seen in young adults.
- Manage the health problems commonly experienced in young adults using pharmacologic and non-pharmacologic therapeutic modalities.
- Collaborate and refer to other health providers as indicated
- Critique the FNP role as a primary health care provider within clinical setting

**Placements:** primary care, correctional facility, public health, women’s health, men’s health

**NURS 6643L Primary Care of Child and Adolescent (96 hours)**
- Assess, diagnose, plan, implement, and evaluate the health care needs with a focus on children and adolescents.
- Assess and diagnose the health problems that are commonly seen in the children and adolescents.
- Manage the health problems commonly experienced in the children and adolescents using pharmacologic and non-pharmacologic therapeutic modalities.
- Collaborate and refer to other health providers as indicated
- Critique the FNP role as a primary health care provider within clinical settings

**Placements:** primary care, pediatrics

**NURS 6644L Primary Care of the Middle and Older Adult (96 hours)**
- Assess, diagnose, plan, implement, and evaluate health care needs with a focus on middle and older adults.
- Assess and diagnose the health problems that are commonly seen in middle and older adults.
- Manage the health problems commonly experienced in middle and older adults using pharmacologic and non-pharmacologic therapeutic modalities.
- Collaborate and refer to other health providers as indicated.
- Critique the FNP role as a primary health care provider within clinical settings

**Placements:** primary care, internal medicine, correctional facility, public health, women’s health, men’s health

**NURS 7740L Primary Care Throughout the Lifespan (240 hours)**
- Assess, diagnose, plan, implement, and evaluate health care needs with a focus on the complex patient and special populations.
- Assess and diagnose the complex health problems that are commonly seen in the primary care setting.
- Manage the complex health problems commonly experienced using pharmacologic and non-pharmacologic therapeutic modalities.
- Collaborate and refer to other health care providers as indicated
- Critique the FNP role as a primary health care provider within clinical settings.

**Placements:** primary care, correctional facility, public health, women’s health, men’s health, emergency room, urgent care, specialty rotation (dermatology, cardiology, pulmonology, orthopedics, urology/nephrology, endocrinology, behavioral health)

**NURS 7780L FNP Practicum (288 hours)**
(Total Program Clinical Hours: 1008)
- Assess, diagnose, evaluate, plan, implement, and treat health care needs with a focus on family populations
- Assess and diagnose the health problems that are commonly seen in family practice. Manage the health problems commonly experienced in these populations using pharmacologic and non-pharmacologic therapeutic modalities
- Collaborate and refer to other health providers as indicated
- Develop own role as an FNP primary health care provider within clinical settings

**Placements:** primary care, correctional facility, public health, women’s health, men’s health, emergency room, urgent care, specialty rotation (dermatology, cardiology, pulmonology, orthopedics, urology/nephrology, endocrinology, behavioral health, hospitalist (limited))

**Skills:** nail resection/removal, splinting/casting, I & D of minor abscess, digital block, joint aspiration, joint injection, foreign body removal, eye irrigation with Morgan lens, ear irrigation/kerumen removal, fluorescein stain (eye), woods lamp use, spirometry, subungual hematoma release, reduction of nursemaid’s elbow/reduction of minor finger/toe dislocations (with supervision), ABIs, orthostatic BP, suturing, shave biopsy, punch biopsy, cryotherapy, wart removal, Nexplanon removal/insertion (needs certification), IUD removal/insertion (needs certification).

**Preceptor Tool Kit:**
[Dashboard (isu.edu)]

**ISU SON Website:**
[Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP) | Idaho State University (isu.edu)]

**Typhon Website:**
**Typhon Group**

**Site Visits:** One site visit will be completed per semester either virtual or in person. Site visits will be arranged by the clinical instructor in coordination with the student and preceptor either via email or telephone.

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