

Doctor of Nursing Practice

Post-MSN Doctor of Nursing Practice



The Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP) at FIU focuses on improving healthcare by facilitating a culture of patient safety, evidence-based practice, culturally competent care for diverse patients/populations and by providing the additional skills necessary to develop advanced practice nursing leaders for the future. Graduates of this program will be able to facilitate the application and integration of research into clinical practice using innovative approaches across multiple settings to improve healthcare outcomes of culturally and linguistically diverse patients, and healthcare systems in South Florida as we move forward in a dynamic, diverse environment.

Admissions Minimum Requirements

- Completed Master's degree or Post Master's Certificate in Advanced Practice Nursing specialty role (e.g. ANP, PNP, FNP, CRNA, CNM, CNS, etc.) from an accredited institution with minimum cumulative GPA of 3.25
- Demonstrate English Proficiency (ONLY Graduates of non-English speaking institutions) by the FIU requirements Ex:
 - iBT TOEFL: 80
 - Paper TOEFL 550/IELTS: 6.5
- Proof of current Advanced Practice Licensure in your state of residence
- Proof of Advanced Practice Specialty Certification

If selected for admission and prior to enrollment, candidate must provide documentation of NWCNHS-required criminal background investigation, drug screening, etc.

How to Apply:

- 1** Submit online application via NursingCAS <http://www.nursingcas.org> by deadline (Service fee.)
 - Submit official Transcripts to NursingCAS from ALL SCHOOLS attended for college credit (AA, BSN, MSN Degrees) for upload, verification and GPA calculations
 - Upload all required supplemental items:
 - Three (3) professional reference letters
 - Professional Curriculum Vitae/CV
 - Active Florida APRN Specialty Certification
 - Active APRN License in your state of residence
 - Personal Statement
- 2** Submit FIU Supplemental Application (Service fee.)
 - Send Official Transcripts from all all colleges and universities attended (ASN, AA, BA/BS, MSN etc.) to FIU Office of Graduate Admissions
 - FIU graduate admissions requirements apply <https://admissions.fiu.edu>

- 3** Professional Interview with Graduate Nursing admissions committee: Following a review, a select number of applicants will participate in a panel interview by invitation ONLY.



Scan for more information.

Program Highlights

- Fully Online
- No GRE Requirement
- Schedule and courses are "budget" and "working-professional" friendly
- Opportunity for inter-professional collaboration in FIU Academic Health Center
- DNP project to focus on advanced nursing clinical topics at the scope of individuals, community, populations, and/or systems



Applications Accepted

Fall: Dec 1 - Mar 1

Spring: May 1 - Aug 1

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