

HUNTER COLLEGE OF THE CITY UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK

HUNTER---BELLEVUE SCHOOL OF NURSING



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**MASTER'S PROGRAM—GERONTOLOGICAL/ADULT NURSE PRACTITIONER**

The Hunter---Bellevue School of Nursing of the City University of New York offers a 42---credit program to prepare Gerontological/Adult Nurse Practitioners, leading to a Master of Science degree. This program prepares graduates to provide primary care for adults and older adults in the community and in a variety of health care settings. Students learn to apply expert knowledge and research findings through 42 credits of coursework and 630 hours of supervised clinical experience. Graduates of the program are eligible for New York State NP certification and meet the educational requirements for national board certification by the American Nurses Credentialing Center and the American Academy of Nurse Practitioners Certification Program. They are also eligible for New York State certification as an Adult NP.

The program consists of core courses taken with other graduate students in nursing; advanced practice core courses; and an elective course.

<u>Requirements for Admission:</u>	<u>Course Requirements:</u>																														
<p>For more information on admission requirements, please go to: <a href="http://www.hunter.cuny.edu/nursing/admissions/graduate/admission-requirements">http://www.hunter.cuny.edu/nursing/admissions/graduate/admission-requirements</a></p>  <p>Minimum requirements <i>include</i>:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Graduation from an accredited baccalaureate program in nursing</li><li>• Licensure and current registration as an RN in New York State</li><li>• Cumulative undergraduate GPA of 3.0 overall and in nursing coursework</li><li>• Completion of a basic statistics course and an undergraduate research course</li><li>• Completion of an on---line application form including a personal statement and at least two relevant letters of recommendation</li></ul> <p>Please note that these are the minimum requirements; meeting them does not guarantee admission.</p>	<p><b>Core Courses:</b></p> <table border="0"><tr><td>N700</td><td>Theoretical Foundations of Nursing Science</td><td>3 cr.</td></tr><tr><td>N702</td><td>Advanced Nursing Research</td><td>3 cr.</td></tr><tr><td>N704</td><td>Healthcare Systems &amp; Policy</td><td>3 cr.</td></tr><tr><td>N749</td><td>Health Promotion &amp; Disease Prevention in Diverse Populations</td><td>3 cr.</td></tr></table> <p><b>Advanced Practice Core Courses:</b></p> <p>Advanced Pathophysiology for</p> <table border="0"><tr><td>N717</td><td>Nursing Practice</td><td>3 cr.</td></tr><tr><td>N750</td><td>Advanced Pharmacotherapeutics</td><td>3 cr.</td></tr><tr><td>N751</td><td>Advanced Health Assessment</td><td>3 cr.</td></tr></table> <p>(N717 &amp; N750 are prerequisites to N751)</p> <p><b>Specialization Courses:</b></p> <table border="0"><tr><td>N755</td><td>Primary Care Nursing I (Summer only)</td><td>6 cr.</td></tr><tr><td>N757</td><td>Primary Care Nursing II (Fall only)</td><td>6 cr.</td></tr><tr><td>N768</td><td>Primary Care Nursing III (Spring only)</td><td>6 cr.</td></tr></table> <p><b>Elective (Any semester)</b> 3 cr.</p> <p><b>**Summer courses are <u>required</u> in order to progress in a timely manner, please refer to the Program Plan included in your acceptance letter.</b></p>	N700	Theoretical Foundations of Nursing Science	3 cr.	N702	Advanced Nursing Research	3 cr.	N704	Healthcare Systems & Policy	3 cr.	N749	Health Promotion & Disease Prevention in Diverse Populations	3 cr.	N717	Nursing Practice	3 cr.	N750	Advanced Pharmacotherapeutics	3 cr.	N751	Advanced Health Assessment	3 cr.	N755	Primary Care Nursing I (Summer only)	6 cr.	N757	Primary Care Nursing II (Fall only)	6 cr.	N768	Primary Care Nursing III (Spring only)	6 cr.
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 <p><b>Tuition and Fees:</b></p> <p>As a tax---supported institution, Hunter College keeps tuition and fees relatively low. For current information on tuition and fees: <a href="http://www.hunter.cuny.edu/nursing/admissions/graduate/tuition-fees">http://www.hunter.cuny.edu/nursing/admissions/graduate/tuition-fees</a></p>																															

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