

FAST GROWING ROLE

PATIENT CENTERED CARE

ADULT GERONTOLOGY PRIMARY CARE NURSE PRACTITIONER

ADVANCED CARE FOR AGING ADULTS



Our Adult Gerontology Primary Care Nurse Practitioner (AGPCNP) track within the DNP program prepares you to deliver comprehensive, patient-centered care from adolescence through older adulthood.

The AGPCNP focuses on optimizing health by engaging patients in decisions that support the intersection of physical, behavioral, and social wellness. With expertise in health promotion, disease prevention, episodic illness treatment, and chronic disease management, you'll be ready to guide patients through every stage of health.

Your Scope Expands

As an AGPCNP, you will:

- Conduct comprehensive health assessments and interpret diagnostics
- Diagnose and manage acute and chronic conditions
- Prescribe medications and evaluate treatment outcomes
- Partner with patients and families for health promotion and disease prevention
- Advocate for patient-centered care

Where You'll Practice

- Primary care
- Internal medicine
- Medically underserved and rural practice
- Specialized clinical services (gastroenterology, oncology, cardiology, neurology, dermatology)
- Skilled/long-term care settings
- Veteran health

"This program has given me opportunities to learn about the different sectors of nursing, something I wouldn't be able to do alone because no one in my family has a health care background. I'm a first-generation college grad, so navigating academia has been a little challenging in various ways. The faculty has helped me to spread my wings in a safe space while giving me guidance when I need it."

— Isadora, DNP AGPCNP '20



Did you know?

DEMAND FOR AGPCNPS IS PROJECTED TO GROW 38% BY 2032 —AMONG THE FASTEST IN HEALTHCARE.

U.S. BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS.

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DOCTOR OF NURSING PRACTICE

DURATION
9 quarters

FORMAT
In-person with pre-arranged clinicals

PRIORITY DEADLINE
January 15, 2026

SPACE AVAILABLE
May 1, 2026 (select tracks)



READY TO ADVANCE YOUR CAREER? SCAN TO CONNECT WITH OUR ADMISSIONS TEAM.