Post-Master’s Certificate for MSNs

Goldfarb School of Nursing at Barnes-Jewish College offers post-master’s certificates for MSN-prepared registered nurses who are looking to expand or change their role in the advance practice nursing field.

By offering post-master’s certificates, nurses who already hold a master’s degree in nursing can gain education in specialized areas other than the master’s degree they currently hold.

Post-Master’s Certificate programs include:
- Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner Concentration (AGACNP)
- Adult-Gerontology Primary Care Nurse Practitioner Concentration (AGPCNP)
- Health Systems and Population Health Leadership

Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner Concentration (AGACNP)

Affiliated with the Washington University School of Medicine Department of Anesthesiology, Goldfarb’s AGACNP post-master’s certificate uniquely prepares students to assume the complex and evolving professional roles of independent practitioners in intensive care units and other acute care environments, including the business aspect of nurse practitioner practice.

Graduates of AGACNP post-master’s certificate program will be prepared to take the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC) and the American Association of Critical Care Nurses (AACN) certification exam to become certified in the field.

The application deadline is January 1, with a fall term start date. Curriculum plan for each program based on applicant’s prior course work. Typical program length: 12 months.

Sample Course Sequence

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**TOTAL**                        | 19

*Clinical Contact Hours          | 56
**Clinical Contact Hours         | 168
***Clinical Contact Hours        | 280
Total Clinical Hours             | 672

Note: Courses and sequencing are subject to change.

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Adult-Gerontology Primary Care Nurse Practitioner Concentration (AGPCNP)

Goldfarb’s AGPCNP post-master’s certificate program prepares students to educationally and clinically provide care for well adults, as well as diagnose, treat and manage adults with acute and chronic conditions in appropriate primary care settings.

Graduates of the AGPCNP post-master’s certificate program will be prepared to take the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC) and the American Association of Nurse Practitioners (AANP) certification exams to become certified in the field.

The application deadline is rolling, with a term start date based on prior course work. Curriculum plan for each program based on applicant’s prior course work. Typical program length: 12 months.

Health Systems and Population Health Leadership

Goldfarb offers a post-master’s certificate in Health Systems and Population Health Leadership for nursing leaders who want to pursue management or administrative positions. With all courses online, students will gain knowledge of population health in acute care settings as well as community and ambulatory environments.

The application deadline is rolling, with a spring, summer or fall term start date. Curriculum plan for each program based on applicant’s prior course work. Typical program length: 12 months.

Goldfarb School of Nursing at Barnes-Jewish College is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission (HLC), the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE) and is approved by the Missouri State Board of Nursing.

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