

FNP Clinical Placement Settings and Experiences

Course	Clinical Hours Required	Clinical Placement Setting	Type of Preceptor Needed
1 st Clinical Course: NURS 6325 Health Assessment for APRN	90 hours	Family Practice or Urgent Care office setting (NO Fast Track)	NP, MD, DO, PA *PA not approved in AL
2 nd Clinical Course: NURS 6329 Health Promotion of Adults	135 hours	Family Practice office setting only	NP, MD, DO, PA *PA not approved in AL
3 rd Clinical Course: NURS 6328 Health Promotion of the Elderly	135 hours	Hospice, nursing home, or other clinical facility serving the Elderly population preferred. *Family practice can be used if ONLY seeing patients 55 and older.	NP, MD, DO, PA *PA not approved in AL
4 th Clinical Course: NURS 6327 Health Promotion of Women & Children	135 hours <u>divided</u> : 90 hours for Peds & 45 for Women's Health	You will need <u>TWO</u> placements for this course: 1. Pediatrician office setting preferably (Half [45] hours can be completed in a peds urgent care setting) 2. OBGYN, OB or GYN office setting	NP, MD, DO, PA, Certified Nurse Midwife *PA not approved in AL
Final Clinical Course: NURS 6425 Nurse Practitioner Practicum	270 hours	Minimum of 170 hours in Family Practice. Can complete all 270 hours in Family Practice <u>or</u> choose an approved specialty clinical site for 100 hours.	NP, MD, DO, PA *PA not approved in AL Certified Nurse Midwife may be used for women's health specialty hours only

****For NURS 6227 (didactic course) Pediatrics is taught first. OB/women's health is taught towards the end of the semester. This information is provided for students seeking to align their didactic studies with their clinical experiences.