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Are you adding a concentration?			
No			
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No			
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No			
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## College of Education and Health Professions(EDUC)

## Department Code

Eleanor Mann School of Nursing(NURS)

## Program Code

NURSDP-ACNP

## Degree

Doctor of Nursing Practice

## CIP Code

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Program Title

**Nursing: Adult-Gerontology Acute Care** ~~Nursing Adult-Geriatric Acute Care~~ Nurse Practitioner  
Concentration

Program Delivery

Method

~~On-Campus~~

**Online/Web-based**

Is this program interdisciplinary?

No

Does this proposal impact any courses from another College/School?

No

What are the total **78** ~~79~~  
hours needed to  
complete the  
program?

## **On-line/Web-based Information**

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Reason for offering

Web-based Program

**Preferred delivery format for students seeking degree**

Maximum Class Size **20**

for Web-based

Courses

Course delivery  
mode

<b>Method(s)</b>
<b>Online</b>

Class interaction  
mode

<b>Method(s):</b>
<b>Other</b>

Specify Other

Interaction Methods

**Blackboard Learning Management System with email, videoconferencing, discussion board, and other online tools. Students meet on campus for orientation, advanced skills labs, and project presentation. Clinical hours are arranged in approved sites with qualified preceptors.**

Percent Online

**100% with Required Campus Component**

Provide a List of  
Services Supplied by  
Consortia Partners or  
Outsourced  
Organization

**NA**

Estimate Costs of the **NA**  
Program over the  
First 3 Years

List Courses Taught  
by Adjunct Faculty

Upload  
Memorandum of  
Understanding Forms  
(if required)

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## **Program Requirements and Description**

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Requirements

**In addition to the general requirements for the D.N.P., the following courses are required to complete the Adult-Gerontology Acute-Care Nurse Practitioner concentration. At least three campus visits are required for**

**program orientation, skills acquisition, and dissemination of scholarly work.**

Requirements for Adult-Geriatric Acute-Care Nurse Practitioner Concentration

<u>NURS 5463</u>	Acute and Critical Illness in Adult and Gerontology Populations	3
<u>NURS 5475</u>	Adult-Geriatric (Acute/Critical) Clinical II	5
<u>NURS 5434</u>	<b>Common Problems in Acute Care in Adult and Gerontology Populations</b>	<b>4</b>
<u>NURS 5332</u>	<b>Common Problems in Acute Care in Adult and Gerontology Populations Clinical Practicum</b>	<b>2</b>
<u>NURS 5443</u>	<b>Chronic Health Problems in Adult and Gerontology Populations</b>	<b>3</b>
<u>NURS 5454</u>	<b>Chronic Health Problems in Adult and Gerontology Populations Clinical Practicum</b>	<b>4</b>

**General Requirements for B.S.N. to D.N.P. Students****A total of 79 hours is required for the Doctor of Nursing Practice**

<del>NURS-5003</del>	<del>Theoretical and Scientific Foundations for Nursing Practice</del>	<del>3</del>
<del>NURS-5033</del>	<del>Scientific Foundations and Role Development in Advanced Practice Nursing</del>	<del>3</del>
<del>NURS-5043</del>	<del>Concepts of Health Promotion Within Diverse Populations</del>	<del>3</del>
<del>NURS-5053</del>	<del>Evidence-Based Practice and Innovation in Nursing</del>	<del>3</del>
<del>NURS-5102</del>	<del>Course NURS 5102 Not Found</del>	<del>2</del>
<del>NURS-5111</del>	<del>Course NURS 5111 Not Found</del>	<del>1</del>
<del>NURS-5123</del>	<del>Pharmacotherapeutics</del>	<del>3</del>
<del>NURS-5143</del>	<del>Advanced Pathophysiology</del>	<del>3</del>
<del>NURS-5272</del>	<del>Clinical Practicum: Interpretive Diagnostic Reasoning</del>	<del>2</del>
<del>NURS-5454</del>	<del>Chronic Health Problems in Adult and Gerontology Populations Clinical Practicum</del>	<del>4</del>
<del>NURS-599V</del>	<del>Seminar</del>	<del>1</del>

Are Similar Programs available in the area?

**Yes** ~~No~~List institutions in  
Arkansas offering  
similar programs**Currently, in Arkansas, ASU, UCA, and UAMS offer CCNE-accredited DNP programs; one program in Oklahoma, and two in Tennessee offer the DNP. Arkansas has no ACEN-accredited DNP programs.**List institutions in the  
surrounding region  
offering similar  
programs**Currently, programs in the following states offer CCNE-accredited DNP programs:****Tennessee (8), Missouri (7), Oklahoma (1), Kansas (4). There are two ACEN-accredited programs offered in Tennessee, and one in Oklahoma.**List institutions in the  
nation offering  
similar programs

**Currently, there are approximately 280 CCNE-accredited DNP programs offered in the United States. There are currently 11 ACEN-accredited DNP programs nationally.**

Why is the Program needed if offered at other institutions?

**DNP programs differ in scope. While other programs in the state offer preparation for advanced practice nurses at the master's level, we are only one of two institutions in the state to offer a post-BSN program of study that will lead to the DNP degree with preparation as an advanced practice nurse. The program also affords MSN-prepared nurse practitioners opportunity to pursue the DNP regardless of area of specialty. Many DNP programs offer only the MSN-DNP option. Furthermore, numerous programs are offered online; however, many are not.**

Estimated Student **10 NA**

Demand for Program

Scheduled Program **2020 NA**

Review Date

Program Goals and Objectives

**Program Goals and Objectives**

**See NURSDP overview tab NA**

Learning Outcomes

**Learning Outcomes**

**See NURSDP overview tab NA**

Description and justification of the request

<b>Description of specific change</b>	<b>Justification for this change</b>
Revised name of concentration	To meet current national and professional standards
Added NURS 5434 Common Problems in Acute Care in Adult and Gerontology Populations	Course has been submitted for approval. Re-alignment of coursework to more accurately reflect progression in program and to align with DNP Essentials, ANCC, and NONPF guidelines for the AGACNP. This course replaces diagnostic reasoning with more relevant material that is needed for board certification for the AGACNP. Course has been submitted for approval.



<b>Description of specific change</b>	<b>Justification for this change</b>
Eliminated NURS 5003 Theoretical and Scientific Foundations for Nursing Practice	Some course content not current; relevant content will be incorporated into existing courses as appropriate. This will optimize applicability of theory to specific content areas.
NURS 5102 Advanced Health Assessment and Diagnostic Reasoning decreased to one credit hour (will be NURS 5101)	To more equitably distribute clinical hours in relation to didactic hours. Content in course does not change, but students will have additional clinical time to apply concepts.
NURS 5111 Advanced Health Assessment and Diagnostic Reasoning Clinical Practicum increased to two credit hours (will be NURS 5112)	To more equitably distribute clinical hours in relation to didactic hours. Content in course does not change, but clinical hours are increased from 45 to 90 hours.
Added NURS 5332 Common Problems in Acute Care in Adult and Gerontology Populations Clinical Practicum	Course has been submitted for approval. Re-alignment of course work to more accurately reflect progression in program and to align with DNP Essentials, ANCC, and NONPF guidelines for the AGACNP. This course replaces diagnostic reasoning with more relevant material that is needed for board certification for the AGACNP. Co-requisite to NURS 5434, and allows clinical application of didactic content.
Eliminated NURS 5272 Clinical Practicum: Interpretive Diagnostic Reasoning	The addition of NURS 5332 and 5434 more appropriately incorporates and aligns essential content.
Moved the section titled "general Requirements for BSN to DNP students" to the generic NURSDP CIM block.	To better organize the materials on Courseleaf and distinguish between requirements for all DNP students and for specific concentration.

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Reviewer Comments

**Ketevan Mamiseishvili (kmamisei) (12/18/17 9:18 am):** Rollback: NURS 5434 appears twice. It is listed both in the General Requirements for B.S.N. to D.N.P. Students and Requirements for Adult-Geriatric Acute-Care Nurse Practitioner Concentration sections.

**Alice Griffin (agriffin) (01/11/18 2:31 pm):** Rollback: Please review program requirements and match them with the LON curriculum.

**Alice Griffin (agriffin) (01/17/18 3:02 pm):** A reconfiguration of the NURSDP program includes major requirements, as well as changes to the concentrations for Family Nurse Practitioner and Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner. All three program roles will be submitted for approval and include the same documentation. In addition, a request to delete the concentration in Adult-Geriatric Clinical Nurse Specialist is included. Inserted approval dates into LON 5 and renamed document to match BOT naming convention.

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