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APPROVED ADVANCED PRACTICE NURSING PROGRAMS

The following is a list of all advanced practice nursing programs currently approved by the Arizona State Board of Nursing.

APPROVED ADVANCED PRACTICE NURSING PROGRAMS		
Arizona State University College of Nursing and Healthcare Innovation 500 N. 3 rd Street, Phoenix, AZ 85004-0698 www.asu.edu		
ADMINISTRATOR	PROGRAM	LEAD FACULTY
Evelyn Cesarotti, PhD, FNP-BC, GNP-BC Director Graduate Education and Advanced Practice Programs 602-496-2644	Adult Nurse Practitioner	Marianne McCarthy, Ph.D, RN, ANP
	Family Nurse Practitioner	Dana Rosdahl, Ph.D., RN, FNP
	Neonatal Nurse Practitioner	Kimberly Horns Ph.D., RN, NNP
	Pediatric Nurse Practitioner	Leigh Small, Ph.D., RN, CPNP
	Adult Psychiatric Nurse Practitioner	Maureen Campesino, PhD, RN, Psych RNP
	Child/Family Psychiatric Nurse Practitioner	Ann Guthery, MSN, Psych RNP
	Women’s Health Nurse Practitioner	Cristi Coursen, PHD, WHNP-BC
	Acute Care Nurse Practitioner	Program on hold pending faculty
	Geriatric Nurse Practitioner	Evelyn Cesarotti, PhD, FNP-BC, GNP-BC

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Grand Canyon University
3300 W. Camelback Road, Phoenix, AZ 85017
www.gcu.edu

ADMINISTRATOR	PROGRAM	LEAD FACULTY
Carol De Biase, RN, BSN, MSN, EdD Interim Associate Dean Graduate Programs 602-639-6215	Family Nurse Practitioner (Master's and Post-Masters options)	Rachel Baird Carlton, MSN, RN, FNPC
	Adult Clinical Nurse Specialist (Master's and Post-Masters options)	Sarah Badalamenti, MSN, RN, CNS

Northern Arizona University
202 E. Pine Knoll, Building 72, Flagstaff, AZ 86001
www.nau.edu

ADMINISTRATOR	PROGRAM	LEAD FACULTY
	Family Nurse Practitioner (Masters degree only)	Karen Plager, DNSc, RN, FNP
	Adult Clinical Nurse Specialist (Master's option only)	Pending hiring of faculty

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University of Arizona College of Nursing
1305 N. Martin Avenue, Tucson, AZ 85721-0203
www.nursing.arizona.edu

ADMINISTRATOR	PROGRAM	LEAD FACULTY
Sally J. Reel, PhD, RN, FNP-C, FAAN, FAANP Associate Dean for Academic Practice, Director Doctor of Nursing Practice and Nurse Practitioner Programs 520-626-6767	Family Nurse Practitioner	Donna Velasquez, PhD, RN, FNP-BC
	Adult Nurse Practitioner	Karen Greco PhD, RN, ANP
	Adult Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner Program	Mary Vincenz, MS, RN, PMHNP
	Acute Care NP	Virginia T. LeBaron, MS RN ACNP-BC AOCN
	Pediatric Nurse Practitioner	Catherine Johnson, PhD, APRN-BC, FNP, PNP Gloanna Peek, MSN, RN, PNP

University of Phoenix College of Health and Human Services
4615 E. Elwood Street, Phoenix, AZ 85040
www.phoenix.edu

ADMINISTRATOR	PROGRAM	LEAD FACULTY
	Family Nurse Practitioner (Master's and Post-Masters options)	Sally Kennedy, MSN, RN, FNP

NATIONALLY ACCREDITED NURSE ANESTHESIA PROGRAM

PROGRAM DIRECTOR/ ADMINISTRATOR	UNIVERSITY	
Mary Wojnakowski, CRNA, PhD Program Director 623-572-3215	Midwestern University Nurse Anesthesia Program 19555 N. 59 th Street Glendale, AZ 85308 623-572-3603 www.midwestern.edu/crna/	