

Graduate Entry Pathway Program
(GEP to DNP & GEP to PhD)



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| Admissions Criteria Start Term: Fall 2024 | GPA | Prerequisites must be within 5 years <i>Except Statistics has no time limit (B- or higher)</i> | Letters of Recommendations <i>Preferred within the last five years</i> | Personal Statement <i>600 words total: 300 for Part 1 & 300 for Part 2</i> |
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| GEP to DNP | | Anatomy & Physiology 1 with lab | Submit 2 letters of recommendation from an academic or professional source | Part 1 - A: Please discuss a person, incident or experience in your life that has led you to want to pursue nursing as a career and describe what it is that makes you a good fit for our accelerated program. |
| Nurse Practitioner (NP) Tracks: Family Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Adult-Gerontology Primary Care Psychiatric Mental Health | An undergraduate GPA of 3.0 or higher is preferred | Anatomy & Physiology 2 with lab Microbiology with Lab Nutrition Human Growth & Development Statistics | <i>A professional reference should be from a supervisor or professional colleague who can speak to your experience, competence, readiness, leadership, work ethic and dedication to your work</i> | B: What is your understanding of the role of a nurse practitioner for the population focus of your intended nurse practitioner role. (Family NP, Adult-Gerontology Acute Care NP, Adult-Gerontology Primary Care NP or Psychiatric Mental Health NP) |
| | | NOTE: Science related courses should be completed prior to application submission. | <i>An academic reference should be from a former faculty member or advisor</i> | Part 2: How will the DNP enhance your practice as an Advanced Practice Registered Nurse (APRN)? |
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| | | NOTE: Science related courses should be completed prior to application submission. | <i>An academic reference should be from a former faculty member or advisor</i> | b) What do you see as nursing's professional responsibility to society? c) How might you address this responsibility with your PhD preparation? d) Why is this the right time for you to begin a doctoral program? |