

Psychiatric Mental Health Practitioner Certificate

Focus

The Psychiatric Mental Health Practitioner Certificate (<https://www.montana.edu/nursing/graduate/psychiatric-mental-health-nurse-practitioner-certificate.html>) is designed for graduate prepared (MN or DNP) and licensed advanced practice registered nurses (APRN) with current national certification in another nursing specialty area (e.g., family nurse practitioner) seeking to add an additional (stackable) population practice focus credential and become nationally certified as a Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner.

Program Learning Outcomes

1. Conduct comprehensive systematic psychiatric assessments in complex situations.
2. Apply selected therapeutic modalities for individuals, groups psychotherapy, and the integration of multicultural skills for health promotion and management of mental health problems and psychiatric disorders.
3. Demonstrate appropriate evidence-based use of psychopharmacology concepts in the psychiatric care and management of individuals and families.
4. Demonstrate expertise, specialized knowledge, and expanded responsibility and accountability in the advanced psychiatric care and management of individuals and families.

Program of Study

NRSG 616	Psychiatric Case Formulation	3
NRSG 629	Introduction to Advanced Practice Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing	2
NRSG 630	Adv Psychopharmacology II	3
NRSG 661	PMHNP Diagnosis & Management I	3
NRSG 662	PMHNP Diagnosis & Management II	3
NRSG 663	PMHNP Diagnosis & Management III	3
NRSG 664	PMHNP Diagnosis & Management IV	2
NRSG 665	PMHNP Advanced Clinical I	4
NRSG 666	PMHNP Advanced Clinical II	4
NRSG 667	PMHNP Advanced Clinical III	4
NRSG 668	PMHNP Advanced Clinical IV	5

Credits: 36