This specialization offers registered nurses with a bachelor's degree the opportunity to prepare for a career providing high-quality adult primary care services as an adult-gerontologic nurse practitioner (NP). Adult-gerontology NPs provide services to individuals across most of the life span in clinics, private practices, home care, long-term care, and day programs. Upon completion of the primary care program, graduates are eligible to sit for the adult-gerontology certification exam.

Program Requirements
Complete all courses and requirements listed below unless otherwise indicated.

Requirements
A grade of B or higher is required in each course.

Professional Core
NRSG 5118 Healthcare System and Professional Role Development 3
NRSG 5121 Epidemiology and Population Health 3

Primary Adult-Gerontology Nurse Core
NRSG 6249 Health Promotion of Adult/Older Adult 3
NRSG 6253 Primary Care of Adult/Older Adult Health Problems 4
NRSG 6254 Primary Care of Adult/Older Adult Complex Patients 4

Clinical Core
NRSG 5117 Advanced Pharmacology 2
NRSG 5126 Pathophysiology for Advanced Practice 3
NRSG 6115 Health Assessment 3
NRSG 6222 Pharmacology of Adults and Older Adults 2

Adult-Gerontology Nurse Practicum
NRSG 6449 Health Promotion of Adult/Older Adult Practicum 1
NRSG 6450 Adult/Older Adult Practicum 1 4
NRSG 6451 Adult/Older Adult Practicum 2 4

Research Core
NRSG 7105 Translating Research Evidence into Practice 3
NRSG 7110 Evidence-Based Practice Research Application 2

Elective
Complete 2 semester hours from the following subject area: 2
NRSG

Program Credit/GPA Requirements
43 total semester hours required
Minimum 3.000 GPA required