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Department of Nursing

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## Be a Family Nurse Practitioner!

The Nursing Department at Missouri State University offers MSN-FNP, Post-Master's FNP, and RN-MSN programs.

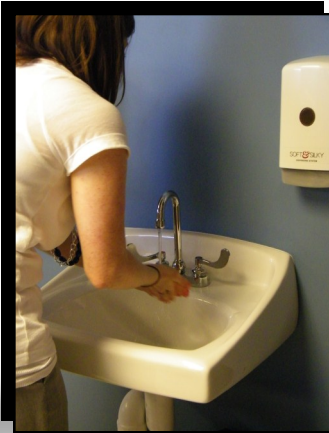
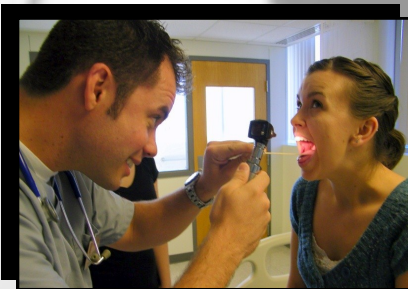


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## MSN Family Nurse Practitioner

The Department of Nursing offers a Master of Science in Nursing program with a Family Nurse Practitioner specialization. As a Family Nurse Practitioner, you will be prepared to assess, diagnose, treat, educate, and follow patients through the life span as a healthcare provider.

- Full- or part-time study
- 52 to 55 credits
- 672 clinical hours
- Can be completed in two years of full-time study



## Post-Master's Certificate

Do you already have a Master's Degree in Nursing, but want credentials as a Family Nurse Practitioner? If so, this program is for you!

- Full- or part-time study
- 37 credit hours
- 672 clinical hours
- Can be completed in 6 semesters



## General Information

- Family nurse practitioners provide primary care across the life span.
- Completion of programs prepares students to take the National Family Nurse Practitioner Certificate Exam(s).
- The FNP program has a strong history of certification and employment success, with a greater than 99% national certification first-time pass rate since the program began in 1996.
- Courses are offered online and/or blocked in one-day sessions per week.
- If possible, clinical experiences are planned in the student's geographic area of choice.
- Grants and scholarships are available to assist full-time students.
- U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Advanced Education Traineeship funds have been available to full-time students since 2002.
- Currently, our graduates are enrolled in doctoral programs and employed by hospitals and clinics throughout Southern Missouri and Northwest Arkansas.
- Applications are accepted once per year – February 1<sup>st</sup> deadline.