COURSE PREFIX AND NUMBER: NURS 7440

COURSE TITLE: Practicum for Advanced Practice Child Health

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COURSE DESCRIPTION: This course focuses on the role of the Advanced Practice Nurse in child health. It includes the professional, sociopolitical, bioethical, and legal issues related to advanced practice nursing. The student practicum provides opportunities for students to engage in supervised practice in the role of the PNP in selected health care settings.

COURSE OUTCOMES: Upon successful completion of the course the student will:

1. Collaborate with preceptors, children, families, community and others to provide care for selected clients.
2. Practice in the role of Advanced Practice Nurse in Child Health in collaboration with a preceptor as they work with children using diagnostic reasoning, case management, education and referral
3. Synthesize relevant concepts, theories, and research in the delivery of care to children, adolescents, and their families.
4. Analyze the role of the Advanced Practice Nurse in various health care settings.
5. Students are expected to attend clinicals at least 16-20 hours per week, in order to achieve the necessary total of 240 clinical hours required for this course. These hours are to be mutually arranged between student and preceptor.