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**Program Modification Form**

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1. **Contact Person** (Name, Email Address, Phone Number)

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1. **Proposed Change** (for undergraduate curricular changes please provide an 8-semester plan (appendix A), if applicable)

Several clinical courses in the Master of Science in Nursing – Family Nurse Practitioner option need to be divided into 2 separate courses. For example, NURS 6513 is being split into NURS 611V and NURS 612V – each of which will be set at 1.5 credit hours. The actual curriculum of the program is not changing, nor is the overall hours of the program.

1. **Effective Date**

Fall 2022 (2022-23 Bulletin Year)

1. **Justification –** *Please provide details as to why this change is necessary.*

These changes are needed to accommodate scheduling needs within an AOS program (i.e., 7-week terms).

**Bulletin Changes**

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| **Instructions** |
| **Please visit** [**http://www.astate.edu/a/registrar/students/bulletins/index.dot**](http://www.astate.edu/a/registrar/students/bulletins/index.dot) **and select the most recent version of the bulletin. Copy and paste all bulletin pages this proposal affects below. Please include a before (with changed areas highlighted) and after of all affected sections.**  **\*Please note: Courses are often listed in multiple sections of the bulletin. To ensure that all affected sections have been located, please search the bulletin (ctrl+F) for the appropriate courses before submission of this form.** |

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Master of Science in Nursing Family Nurse Practitioner Option

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| **University Requirements:** | |
| See Graduate Degree Policies for additional information (p. 47) | |
| **Core Courses:** | Sem. Hrs. |
| NURS 6103, Research Design and Methodology | 3 |
| NURS 6203, Theory Development in Nursing | 3 |
| NURS 6303, Health Care Issues and Policy | 3 |
| NURS 6402, Professional Role Development in Advanced Nursing | 2 |
| Sub-total | 11 |
| **Support Courses:** | Sem. Hrs. |
| NURS 6003, Advanced Clinical Physiology | 3 |
| NURS 6013, Advanced Clinical Pharmacology | 3 |
| NURS 6023, Advanced Assessment and Diagnostic Evaluation | 3 |
| Sub-total | 9 |
| **Advanced Practice Courses:** | Sem. Hrs. |
| ~~NURS 6513, FNP Clinical Management I~~ | ~~3~~ |
| ~~NURS 6514, Clinical Management I Practicum~~ | ~~4~~ |
| ~~NURS 6613, FNP Clinical Management II~~ | ~~3~~ |
| ~~NURS 6614, FNP Clinical Management II Practicum~~ | ~~4~~ |
| ~~NURS 6753, FNP Clinical Synthesis Seminar~~ | ~~3~~ |
| ~~NURS 6814, FNP Clinical Synthesis~~ | ~~4~~ |
| NURS 611V FNP Women Health | 1.5 |
| NURS 612V Pediatrics | 1.5 |
| NURS 613V FNP Systems I | 1.5 |
| NURS 614V FNP Systems II | 1.5 |
| NURS 615V FNP System III | 1.5 |
| NURS 616V FNP Seminar | 1.5 |
| ~~NURS 6212 FNP Clinical Practicum 1~~ | 2 |
| ~~NURS 6222 FNP Clinical Practicum 2~~ | 2 |
| ~~NURS 6232 FNP Clinical Practicum 3~~ | 2 |
| ~~NURS 6242 FNP Clinical Practicum 4~~ | 2 |
| ~~NURS 6252 FNP Clinical Practicum 5~~ | 2 |
| ~~NURS 6262 FNP Clinical Practicum 6~~ | 2 |
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| NURS 612V Pediatrics | 1.5 |
| NURS 613V FNP Systems I | 1.5 |
| NURS 614V FNP Systems II | 1.5 |
| NURS 615V FNP System III | 1.5 |
| NURS 616V FNP Seminar | 1.5 |
| NURS 6212 FNP Clinical Practicum 1 | 2 |
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**Appendix A, 8-Semester Plan**

(**Referenced in #2** - **Undergraduate Proposals Only)**

*Instructions: Please identify new courses in italics*.

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| **Arkansas State University-Jonesboro**  **Degree:**  **Major:**  **Year:** | | | | | | | | |
| Students requiring developmental course work based on low entrance exam scores (ACT, SAT, ASSET, COMPASS) may not be able to complete this program of study in eight (8) semesters. Developmental courses do not count toward total degree hours. **Students having completed college level courses prior to enrollment will be assisted by their advisor in making appropriate substitutions. In most cases, general education courses may be interchanged between semesters.** A minimum of 45 hours of upper division credit (3000-4000 level) is required for this degree. | | | | | | | | |
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