



 **Wake Forest[®]**
School of Medicine
Doctor of Nursing Practice

ABOUT US

The Wake Forest Post-Master's DNP program will prepare you for advanced roles at the highest level of nursing. In the tradition of established excellence and innovative education, our DNP program prepares nurses to assume leadership roles in practice, management, business, and education. Our unique two-year program is part-time, online, and requires no clinical component. Students complete 30 credits: 27 credits in the Wake Forest School of Medicine, and three elective credits in the Wake Forest University School of Law.

ONLINE LEARNING

The online program is both independent and collaborative. It includes question-and-answer discussions, team collaboration, web conferencing, and recorded and live video instruction.

The Doctor of Nursing Practice program is designed with the working professional in mind. The majority of interaction is performed through our easy-to-use online learning management system which gives you access to classmates and faculty, the Coy Carpenter Library and other resources any time of day and wherever you have internet access.

The program is open to nurses who hold a master's degree from an accredited university, a master's of science in nursing is not required. In this competitive program, candidates must demonstrate academic excellence, a positive impact in their area of nursing practice, and leadership skills.

APPLY NOW

The DNP is designed for nurses seeking a terminal degree in nursing practice, offering an alternative to research focused doctoral programs. The changing demands of the nation's healthcare environment require the highest level of nursing knowledge and leadership expertise to assure quality clinical outcomes.

The program's objective is to advance the education and preparation of registered nurses so they can assume greater leadership roles within organizational healthcare systems that will translate evidence into practice, evaluate clinical outcomes and improve models of health care delivery.

Application Requirements:

- Proof of a current and unrestricted licensure as a registered nurse
- Official transcripts from all post-secondary institutions attended
- A minimum GPA of 3.0 in a master's program
- Resume or curriculum vitae
- Two letters of reference
- Completed online admissions application, including essays
- \$100 registration fee

DNP graduates will:

- Apply scientific principles in the provision of advanced practice nursing to promote the health of individuals, communities and populations.
- Translate scientific evidence into practice and policy to promote ethically sound, high-quality, cost-effective patient-centered care.
- Employ strategic leadership in inter-professional teams within organizations and health care systems.
- Evaluate and use data analytic methods, information systems and technology to improve clinical outcomes.
- Apply legal, financial and regulatory principles to advocate for change in health care policy.
- Disseminate scholarly work.

The application for an August 2021 start date is open. Use the link below to start your application now!

<https://school.wakehealth.edu/Education-and-Training/Nursing-Programs/Doctor-of-Nursing-Practice-Program>

For more information, or to speak to a program representative, email us at DNPIInfo@wakehealth.edu or call 336-716-1411.