

# Master of Science in Nursing

## Preceptor– Clinical Course Requirements

Nurse-Midwifery			
Clinical Course	Clinical Focus	Ideal Clinical Sites	Acceptable Preceptors* & **
<b>Primary Care of Episodic Illness in Women</b> (ANW8006) 168 Clinical Hours Semester 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Comprehensive gynecologic, reproductive, and sexual health care</li> <li>Primary care, including health promotion and disease prevention</li> <li>Assessment and management of common health problems</li> <li>Preconception care</li> <li>May also include antepartum care</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>CNM or OB/GYN Practices</li> <li>Hospital Clinics, Health Departments or Federally Qualified Health Clinics (FQHCs)</li> <li>Adult Primary Care or Family Practice Offices, if gynecologic care is included</li> <li>Family Planning Clinics including Planned Parenthood</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>CNM/CM</b></li> <li><b>NP</b> (e.g. WHNP, FNP)</li> <li><b>OB/GYN or Family Practice Physician</b> who specializes in women's health, GYN, AP care</li> </ul>
<b>Nurse Midwifery I</b> (ANW8060) 168 Clinical Hours Semester 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All of the above foci <b>PLUS</b>:</li> <li>Antepartum and gynecologic care in the outpatient setting</li> <li>Nurse-midwifery management of pregnancy, including routine antepartum visits, screening, and diagnostic testing</li> <li>Collaborative management of pregnancy complications, unplanned pregnancy, and pregnancy loss</li> <li>Contraceptive counseling and management</li> <li>Diagnosis and management of sexually transmitted infections</li> <li><b>**Fetal monitoring course and Neonatal Resuscitation Program (NRP) Certification must be complete prior to NMII Practicum**</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>CNM or OB/GYN Practices</li> <li>Hospital Clinics, Health Departments or Federally Qualified Health Clinics (FQHCs) that provide both antepartum and gynecologic care</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>CNM/CM</b></li> <li><b>OB/GYN or Family Practice Physician</b> who specializes in women's health, GYN and antepartum care</li> <li><b>NP</b> who specializes in women's health, GYN, and AP care</li> </ul>
<b>Nurse Midwifery II</b> (ANW8062) 224 Clinical Hours Semester 5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All of the above foci <b>PLUS</b>:</li> <li>Intrapartum care: Labor assessment, support, management, and birth</li> <li>Collaborative management of obstetric emergencies</li> <li>Postpartum care (immediate postpartum and 4<sup>th</sup> trimester)</li> <li>Immediate newborn assessment and normal newborn care (up to 28 days of life)</li> <li>Assessment and management of postpartum and neonatal complications</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>CNM or OB/GYN Practices</li> <li>Location for births: hospital, birth center attached to a hospital</li> <li><b>*Students may attend up to 2 weeks or a maximum of five (5) home births.</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>CNM/CM</b></li> <li><b>OB/GYN</b></li> <li><b>Family Practice Physician</b> who attends birth</li> </ul>
<b>Nurse Midwifery III</b> (ANW8064) 224 Clinical Hours Semester 6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Integration of all of the above</li> <li>Full-scope nurse-midwifery care</li> <li>Refinement of previously developed skills</li> <li>Expanded and increased development of professional role identification</li> <li>Develop understanding of practice management, state and national regulations, certification and other professional responsibilities.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>CNM or OB/GYN Practices</li> <li>Location for births: hospital, birth center attached to a hospital</li> <li><b>*Students may attend up to 2 weeks or a maximum of five (5) home births.</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>CNM/CM</b></li> <li><b>OB/GYN</b></li> <li><b>Family Practice Physician</b> who attends birth</li> </ul>

- Acceptable preceptors and acceptable practicum sites cannot be perceived to have a conflict of interest as relates to evaluation of the student. For example, acceptable preceptors cannot be related to the student. A preceptor who works in the same department as the student must be approved by the program director.
- PA may be permitted on a case-by-case basis and for a limited number of hours.** Must be cleared through Program Director
- \* Please note: Providers with a Licensed Midwife (LM) credential or a Certified Professional Midwife (CPM) credential cannot serve as a preceptor.**
- \*\*Fifty percent or greater of clinical experiences of each student must be supervised by CNMs/CMs.**

Required Clinical Experiences	Minimum No.
This table includes minimum hours. Most students will have many more times these numbers to meet the requirements for hours and competency.	
• Primary care (includes common acute and stable chronic health conditions)	40
• Gynecologic care (includes preconception, contraception, adolescent, premenopausal and postmenopausal visits)	80
• Antepartum Visits (includes new and return prenatal care across gestational ages)	100
• Intrapartum care (includes labor assessment, labor management, and births. *includes at least 35 births)	60
• Births	35
• Postpartum Visits (0-7 days), up to 8 weeks postpartum and breastfeeding support	50
• Newborn Care (includes newborn assessment and anticipatory guidance)	30