

Course Syllabus

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My name is Jeffrey Bevan and I am an Associate Professor here at Chamberlain. I have over 20 years of experience in nursing and am board-certified as both a Family Nurse Practitioner and Emergency Nurse Practitioner. My current clinical practice is in primary care, but I also work in the emergency department. My undergraduate degree is from Ohio University and both my MSN and DNP were obtained at Otterbein University in Westerville, Ohio. I look forward to working with each of you this semester!

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Associate Professor
Course Leader for NR661 (APN Capstone Practicum)

Course Information

Course NR661

Number:

Course Title: APN Capstone Practicum

Course

Credits:

3 Credits (Theory .4, Clinical 2.6) 6/0/125/3

Course

Prerequisites:

Prerequisite: NR-500, NR-501, NR-503, NR-505, NR-506, NR-507, NR508,
NR-509, NR-510, NR-511, NR-512, NR-601, NR-602, NR-603

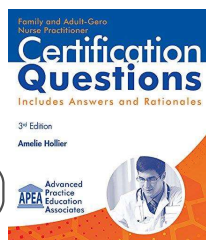
Course Description

The student will synthesize all elements of clinical management skills and knowledge and continue to analyze, apply, and evaluate diverse aspects of patient assessment and healthcare intervention. This precepted clinical practicum will be with an approved provider in an advanced practice setting. Focus topics include clinical management skills, case studies, chart reviews, and practice critique, with a capstone product evidencing increasing complex clinical management skills. At the end of this course the student will be prepared for entry into clinical practice providing primary healthcare across the life-span after first passing the national certification for the family nurse practitioner.

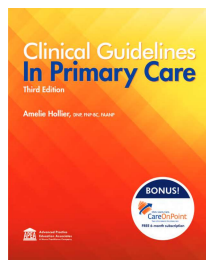
Textbooks and Resources

Required Textbooks

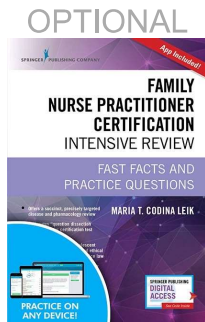
The following books are required for this course:



Hollier, A. (2017). *Family and adult-gero nurse practitioner certification questions* (3rd ed.). Scott, LA: Advanced Practice Education Associates, Inc.

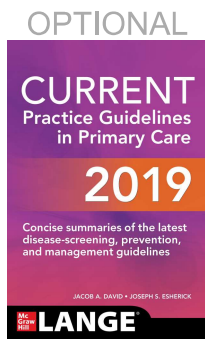


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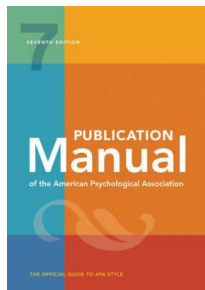
Leik, M. (2018). *Family nurse practitioner certification intensive review: Fast facts and practice questions* (3rd ed.). New York, NY: Springer Publishing Company, LLC.

* This title is recommended, and may not be sold in the online bookstore.



David, J. A., Esherick, J. S., & Slater, E. D. (2019). *Current practice guidelines in primary care 2019*. New York: McGraw-Hill Education.

* This title is recommended, and may not be sold in the online bookstore.



American Psychological Association. (2020). *Publication manual of the American Psychological Association* (7th ed.).

If your course has an E-Book, make sure to review [this information](https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/23/pages/ebook) (<https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/23/pages/ebook>).

Chamberlain Policies

Please review the [FNP Chamberlain Policies](https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/23/pages/ccn-msn-policies) (<https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/23/pages/ccn-msn-policies>), along with the [Chamberlain College of Nursing College Catalog](https://www.chamberlain.edu/academics/academic-resources/college-catalog) (<https://www.chamberlain.edu/academics/academic-resources/college-catalog>) or the [Chamberlain College of Nursing Student Handbook](https://www.chamberlain.edu/docs/default-source/handbook/studenthandbook.pdf?sfvrsn=60.pdf?sfvrsn=26) (<https://www.chamberlain.edu/docs/default-source/handbook/studenthandbook.pdf?sfvrsn=60.pdf?sfvrsn=26>) for detailed information about Chamberlain policies.

Program Outcomes


Program Outcomes of Chamberlain nursing programs can be found in the Program Descriptions section of your College Catalog. You can access your College Catalog at <http://www.chamberlain.edu/catalog>

The MSN program outcomes are aligned with the American Association of Colleges of Nursing publication, The Essentials of Master's Education in Nursing (2011). Upon completion of the MSN degree program, the graduate will be able to:

- 1 Provide high quality, safe, patient-centered care grounded in holistic health principles. (Holistic Health & Patient-Centered Care)
- 2 Create a caring environment for achieving quality health outcomes. (Care-Focused)
- 3 Engage in lifelong personal and professional growth through reflective practice and appreciation of cultural diversity. (Cultural Humility)
- 4 Integrate professional values through scholarship and service in health care. (Professional Identity)
- 5 Advocates for positive health outcomes through compassionate, evidence-based, collaborative advanced nursing practice. (Extraordinary Nursing)

Course Outcomes

Chamberlain College of Nursing courses are built to align course content with specific **Course Outcomes (COs)**. The COs define the learning objectives that the student will be required to comprehend and demonstrate by course completion. The COs that will be covered in detail each week can be found in the Overview page in that particular week. Whenever possible, a reference will be made from a particular assignment or discussion back to the CO that it emphasizes.

 Upon completion of this course, the student will be able to do the following.

- 1 Independently formulate a management plan addressing health promotion, disease prevention and health protection for patients and families across the lifespan using evidence-based guidelines. (PO 5) **Week(s): 2, 3, 5, 7**

Collaborate with interdisciplinary team members to improve the quality of

2 healthcare. (PO 5) **Week(s): 1**

3 Appraise personal and professional growth toward achieving mastery of the NONPF competencies and the Essentials for Master's Education in Nursing. (PO 5) **Week(s): 8**

4 Demonstrate a command of essential knowledge needed for safe, quality primary care practice as a family nurse practitioner. (PO 5) **Week(s): 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7**

5 Demonstrate competencies essential of the family nurse practitioner role as leaders and advocates of holistic, safe, and quality care. (PO 5) **Week(s): 1, 4, 5, 6, 8**

Student Attestation

Students are required to complete the Student Attestation for each course you are enrolled. The Attestation will appear in the course, at the top of the Modules page. We ask that you complete the following steps:

- Review the Student Handbook
- Review the five statements in the item of the Attestation
- Next, mark "I accept"
- Then submit the Attestation.












You are required to complete the Student Attestation.

Assignment Summary

















Due Date

Details















Due Date	Details
Sun Mar 8, 2020	 Academic Writer (https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873693)
	 Week 1: Certification Review Plan Assignment (https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873795)
	 Week 1: Homework- MyEvaluations Log (https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873801)
	 Week 1: Reading (https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873807)
	 Week 1: Recorded Introductions (https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873739)
	 Week 1: Web Exploration (https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873816)
	Sun Mar 15, 2020
 Week 2: Homework- MyEvaluations Log (https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873825)	
 Week 2: Reading (https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873829)	
Sun Mar 22, 2020	 Week 3: APEA Practice Exam (https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873833)
	 Week 3: Homework- MyEvaluations Log (https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873834)
	 Week 3: Reading (https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873835)



Due Date	Details
Sun Mar 29, 2020	 Week 4: APEA Practice Exam https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873839
	 Week 4: Homework- MyEvaluations Log https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873840
	 Week 4: Midterm Telephone Conference with Faculty https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873842
	 Week 4: Reading https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873843
	 Week 4: VISE Assignment https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873845
Sun Apr 5, 2020	 Week 4: Clinical Hours/Patient Encounter Validation https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873718
	 Week 5: APEA Practice Exam https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873847
	 Week 5: APN Capstone Portfolio Part 1 https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873850
	 Week 5: Homework- MyEvaluations Log https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873852
	 Week 5: Reading https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873854
Sun Apr 12, 2020	 Week 5: Website Exploration https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873857
	 Week 6: APEA Practice Exam https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873861
	 Week 6: APN Capstone Portfolio Part 2 https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873864
	 Week 6: Homework- MyEvaluations Log https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873869
Wed Apr 15, 2020	 Week 6: Reading https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873873
	 Week 7: Homework- MyEvaluations Log https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873883



Due Date	Details
Sun Apr 19, 2020	 Week 7: APEA Practice Exam https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873880
	 Week 7: Reading https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873905
Wed Apr 22, 2020	 Week 7: Ongoing Intensive Review or Alternative Assignment https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873890
	 Week 8: APEA Review Modules Completion Certificate https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873925
	 Week 8: Reading https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873935
	 Week 8: State Specific Prescribing Laws Quiz https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873709
	 Week 8: Upload MyEvaluations Clinical Log Summary https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873944
	 Week 8: Homework- MyEvaluations Log https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873931
Fri Apr 24, 2020	 Week 8: APEA Post-Predictor Exam https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873917
	 Clinical Performance Evaluation https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1873791
	 Shadow Health Access https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1948314
	 Shadow Health Lab Pass Submission https://chamberlain.instructure.com/courses/59041/assignments/1948319

Late Assignment Policy

Students are expected to submit assignments by the time they are due. Assignments submitted after the due date and time will receive a deduction of 10% of the total points possible for that assignment for each day the assignment is late. Assignments will be accepted, with penalty as described, up to a maximum of three days late, after which point a zero will be recorded for the assignment.

In the event of an emergency that prevents timely submission of an assignment, students may petition their instructor for a waiver of the late submission grade reduction. The instructor will review the student's rationale for the request and make a determination based on the merits of the student's appeal. Consideration of the student's total course performance to date will be a contributing factor in the determination. Students should continue to attend class, actively participate, and complete other assignments while the appeal is pending.

This Policy applies to assignments that contribute to the numerical calculation of the course letter grade.

Quizzes and discussions are not considered assignments and are not part of the late assignment policy.

Late Discussion Policy

Please review the individual discussion board grading rubric for participation requirements within the course.

Evaluation Methods

The maximum score in this class is **1,000 points**. The categories, which contribute to your final grade, are weighted as follows.

Graded Item	Points	Weighting
Recorded Introduction	10	1%
Certification Review Study Plan (Week 1)	100	10%
APEA Practice Exams (Weeks 2-7- 30 points each)	180	18%
WISE Assignment (Week 4)	0	0%



Graded Item	Points	Weighting
Professional Portfolio Part 1 (Week 5)	100	10%
Professional Portfolio Part 2 (Week 6)	100	10%
APEA Online Review Completion Certificate (Week 8) *Review must be completed in its entirety and completion certificate uploaded to pass course. Failure to complete the APEA Online Review will result in course failure.	10	1%
Upload MyEvaluations Clinical Log Summary (Week 8)	10	1%
On-ground Intensive Review or Alternative Assignment (due Week 8)	200	20%
APEA Post-Predictor	300	30%
State Prescribing Laws Quiz	0	0%



Graded Item	Points	Weighting
<p>Midterm Evaluation Completion by Faculty and Preceptor (Week 4)</p> <p>Midterm Telephone Conference</p> <p>MyEvaluations Log (due Weeks 1-8)</p> <p>Satisfactory Final Clinical Performance Evaluation by Faculty and Preceptor (Week 8)</p> <p>All Clinical Objectives on Evaluation are Met</p> <p>*A maximum of fifteen (15) alternative hours is allowed in each FNP clinical course. The alternative hours can only be documented in the three (3) approved categories (1. Lab review 2. Telephone management 3. Prescription refills).</p>	Pass/Fail	**
Total	1,000	100%

**The successful passage of clinical practicum for this course includes satisfactory completion of the specific list of requirements for this course and includes, but is not limited to the following:

- 125 accurately documented clinical hours that includes appropriate patient encounters by an approved preceptor at an approved site.
- Appropriate level of student independence for the clinical course.
- Abiding by all clinical policies found in compliance documents and the practicum handbook.
- Completion of a mid-term evaluation in the time-frame presented by both preceptor and faculty.
- A satisfactory final clinical evaluation by both preceptor and faculty.
- Mid-term contact with faculty by both student and preceptor reviewing student progress, goals, and any areas of need.
- Successful completion of any performance improvement plans (PIP) directly related to clinical if developed during the course of clinical for this course.

- Demonstration of meeting course objectives through clinical activities.

MyEvaluations Log & Passing Clinical

Clinical encounters must be posted within 7 days of the office visit. Failure to stay current may result in a **"Not Met"** on the mid-term and final evaluations.

Students must satisfactorily meet all the clinical requirements noted in the clinical grading rubric to pass clinical.

All of your course requirements are graded using points. At the end of the course, the points are converted to a letter grade using the scale in the table below. Rounding may occur for final grade computation. A final grade of 80% (letter grade C) is required to pass the course.

Letter Grade	Points	Percentage
A	940–1,000	94% to 100%
A-	920–939	92% to 93%
B+	890–919	89% to 91%
B	860–889	86% to 88%
B-	840–859	84% to 85%
C+	820–839	82% to 83%
C	800–819	80% to 81%
F	799 and below	79% and below

Disability Accommodations in Academic Programs



OFFICE OF DISABILITY SERVICES

Chamberlain University is committed to providing reasonable accommodations for eligible students with documented disabilities as defined by state and federal laws relating to the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). Our intent is to ensure that every student who makes a request for accommodations under ADA is advised of the accommodation process as promptly as possible. If you are a student with a verifiable documented disability, and you can

provide medical documentation regarding this disability, please contact the Office of Student Disability Services at adaofficer@chamberlain.edu (<mailto:adaofficer@chamberlain.edu>) or **888.556.8226** for more information on how to receive ADA. You may also fax your request to **630.596.1651**.

Web Resources Disclaimer

The purpose of the Webliography is to provide students with annotated bibliographies of world wide websites relevant to their courses. These websites are not meant to be all inclusive of what is available for each course's subjects and have not been sanctioned as academically rigorous or scholarly by Chamberlain College of Nursing. Please exercise caution when using these websites for course assignments and references.

