MARQUETTE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF NURSING

POST-MASTER’S PROGRAM:
PEDIATRIC NURSE PRACTITIONER – PRIMARY CARE

The post-master’s course of study is designed to provide education to nurses who have already earned a master’s degree in pediatric or parent child nursing and are interested in being academically eligible for certification as a Pediatric Nurse Practitioner. The course of study for nurses with a master’s degree in nursing but not in pediatric or parent-child nursing will be designed individually to meet their specific learning needs and may require preparatory or additional course/clinical work beyond the requirements listed below.

Required Courses:

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Total credits required: Maximum of 27 credits. Some credits may be waived if the students have comparable recent coursework in their master’s program.
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Child Option
Post-Master’s Program: Pediatric Nurse Practitioner – Primary Care

Sample Part-time Plan A

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| NURS 6535       | Advanced Assessment in Parent-Child Nursing                    | 3 |
| Spring 2        | Seminar in Child and Family Health                              | 3 |
| NURS 6551       | Advanced Nursing Care of Children and Families 1: Practicum     | 3 |
| Fall 2          | Nursing Therapeutics for Acute/Episodic Illness in Children and | 3 |
|                 | Adolescents                                                    |   |
| NURS 6552       | Advanced Nursing Care of Children and Families 2: Practicum     | 3 |
| Spring 3        | Advanced Practice Nursing of Children: Role and Specialization  | 3 |
| NURS 6553       | Advanced Nursing Care of Children and Families 3: Practicum     | 3 |