DNP Program Enrollment Selection Form

Please type or print entries. Failure to answer all items will delay processing. Submit this form as a PDF file as part of your supplemental materials to The Graduate School through the item upload area of your application. Your file will not be considered by the program without this form. Do not submit this form to the School of Nursing.

This form is not necessary for those DNP candidates applying for admission to the CRNA track. It is mandatory for those who are seeking the FNP, PMHNP, and generic post-MSN tracks. This form is due each time you change your application at the university level.

If you have questions about this form, please contact nursingadmissions@unf.edu before completing the form. Note that the form is due by the application deadline like any other supplemental materials for the track that you desire.

A) Basic Information

Last Name: ______________________________  First Name: _________________________ MI: _______

UNF ID: N_______________________________  Email: ______________________________________________

B) DNP Track Desired (Select one; must match what you listed on your UNF application form. See 2nd page for descriptions):

_____ FNP DNP (requires BSN at a minimum; will allow those with MSNs)

_____ PMHNP Post-MSN DNP (online)

_____ Generic Post-MSN DNP Traditional Semester Format (online)

_____ Generic Post-MSN DNP 8-Week Format (online)

C) Semester Desired (Select one; must match what you listed on your UNF application form: Fall, Spring, or Summer. Please see page 2 for the start terms available for each track)

_____ Fall           ____ Spring   ____ Summer

D) Enrollment Status Desired (Select one):

_____ Full-time            ____ Part-time

I understand that this form does not guarantee admission to the program and that it must be submitted to the Graduate School by the designated application deadline each time I apply. Additionally, I understand that if I select part-time that I am not able to transition up to full-time after the program has started; I can only transition down from full-time into part-time after the program has started. My program-of-study will be based on what I select on this form.

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Signature of Applicant       Date

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DNP Program Track Descriptions

**Doctor of Nursing Practice, Family Nurse Practitioner (FNP)**

The purpose of this DNP track is to prepare family nurse practitioners (FNPs) to become skilled in meeting healthcare needs of individuals and families across the life span. FNPs concern their practice with the treatment of common, uncomplicated problems and the prevention of disease and disability. Program graduates will be eligible to take the Family Nurse Practitioner certification examinations. Graduates will also be eligible for licensure as Advanced Registered Nurse Practitioners by the Florida Board of Nursing. This track only admits for the fall semester annually. Non-degree seeking enrollment to begin courses may occur in spring or summer, but does not guarantee future program admission. Questions about full-time versus part-time enrollment and the curriculum can be directed to the program director for this track, listed on the School of Nursing website. While this degree track is designed as a BSN-DNP track, those who already hold MSN degrees are welcome to apply for this track if FNP certification is desired.

**Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner Doctor of Nursing Practice (PMHNP)**

The Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner (PMHNP) track is a post-MSN Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP) program at the University of North Florida. This program is designed for those who already possess, at a minimum, a Master of Science in Nursing (MSN), are licensed as an Advanced Practice Registered Nurse (APRN), and hold national certification as a Nurse Practitioner (NP) and wish to obtain their DNP and become certified as a PMHNP. This program requires 53 credits and 630 clinical hours. The PMHNP program is designed to include education and preparation that will assist the student to acquire the advanced knowledge and clinical skills to provide best practices and comprehensive care to clients across the lifespan. The clinical component of this program will focus on the mental health care needs of individuals and families whether in outpatient, inpatient, or private practice settings. This track only admits for the fall semester annually. Non-degree seeking enrollment to begin courses may occur in spring or summer, but does not guarantee future program admission. Questions about full-time versus part-time enrollment and the curriculum can be directed to the program director for this track, listed on the School of Nursing website.

**Post-MSN Doctor of Nursing Practice Traditional Semester Format (General DNP)**

The post-MSN Doctor of Nursing Practice program at the University of North Florida is designed as a program for those who already possess, at a minimum, a Master of Science in Nursing and specialty certification. This program is online, with traditional 16-week long terms. This track only admits for the fall semester annually. Non-degree seeking enrollment to begin courses may occur in spring or summer, but does not guarantee future program admission. Questions about full-time versus part-time enrollment and the curriculum can be directed to the program director for this track, listed on the School of Nursing website.

**Post-MSN Doctor of Nursing Practice 8-Week Format (General DNP)**

The post-MSN Doctor of Nursing Practice program at the University of North Florida is designed as a program for those who already possess, at a minimum, a Master of Science in Nursing and specialty certification. This program is online, with accelerated 8-week long terms. This track currently admits for spring 1H, summer 1H, and fall 1H terms. This track has separate application and supplemental document deadlines, which are listed on the UNF Distance Learning Calendar. Questions about full-time versus part-time enrollment and the curriculum can be directed to the program director for this track, listed on the School of Nursing website.