

POST-GRADUATE PSYCHIATRIC NURSING, CAPSTONE CERTIFICATE

REQUIREMENTS

The program begins each summer term. All coursework is completed by the end of the fall term in the second year of the program.

NURSING 590 Contemporary Practices in Nursing Pediatric Assessment for Mental Health APNs is a 1 credit course designed to supplement the previously taken assessment content for advanced practice nurses who are not already certified across the lifespan. Those students already certified across the lifespan do not need to complete this course.

Semester 1	Credits
NURSING 657	3
	3
Semester 2	Credits
NURSING 726	3
NURSING 728	2
	5
Semester 3	Credits
NURSING 727	3
NURSING 729	2
	5
Semester 4	Credits
NURSING 590 (Pediatric Assessment for Mental Health APNs (optional))	1
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Semester 5	Credits
NURSING 826	3
NURSING 828	2
	5
Total Credits 19	

- All of the Capstone Certificate credits must be earned while enrolled in the Capstone Certificate program.

Individual Capstone Certificate programs may have additional requirements for completion, which will be listed above as/if applicable.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR CAPSTONE CERTIFICATE COMPLETION

- Students must earn a minimum grade of C in each course used to meet Capstone Certificate requirements.
- Courses in which a student elects the pass/fail or audit option will not count toward completion of Capstone Certificate requirements.
- All of the Capstone Certificate credits must be earned "in residence" (which includes on campus and distance-delivered courses) at UW-Madison.