## The University of Texas at Austin, School of Nursing

## DNP – Acute Care Pediatric Nurse Practitioner

## Schedule for Full-Time Study:

| Fall I: (10 Credit Hours)  NRP 396C – Advanced Pathophysiology*~  NRP 489F – Foundations in Theory & Advanced Practice Roles*  NRP 398P – EBP I: Research Designs and Evaluation Methods for Evidence-Based Practice*^  Fall II: (11 Credit Hours)  NRP 393E – Pediatric Primary Health Care I**  NRP 393F – Pediatric Primary Health Care I Clinical**  NRP 395L – Quality Improvement and Safety Principles & Methods  NRP 298G – BSN-DNP Advanced Leadership Pract I | Spring I: (12 Credit Hours)  NRP 393C – Advanced Pediatric Health Assessment*+  NRP 393D – Pediatric Clinical Pharmacology &  Therapeutics*~+  NRP 393P – Ped Dx Reasoning & Adv Invasive Skills*  NRP 398L – Epidemiology, Population Health, & Health  Promotion  Spring II: (9 Credit Hours)  NRP 394Q – Pediatric Acute Care Management I***  NRP 494R – Pediatric Acute Care Management Clinical  I***  NRP 298H – BSN-DNP Advanced Leadership Pract II | Summer I: (6 Credit Hours)  NRP 395K – Leadership in Organizations & Systems  NRP 398Q – Reviewing Evidence & Synthesizing Literature  Summer II: (6 Credit Hours)  NRP 395E – Health Policy for Diverse Systems & Populations  NRP 395S – Healthcare Information Systems |
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| Fall III: (9 Credit Hours)  NRP 394S – Pediatric Acute Care Management II  NRP 494T – Pediatric Acute Care Management Clinical II  NRP 298J – BSN-DNP Advanced Leadership Pract III   | Spring III: (10 Credit Hours)  NRP 398N – Advanced Practicum  NRP 498M – Health Economics and Finance@  NRP 398K – BSN-DNP Advanced Leadership Pract IV  |   |

<sup>\*</sup> Fall I & Spring I courses (NRP 393C, NRP 498F, NRP 398P, NRP 396C, NRP 393D, NRP 393P) prerequisites to all remaining courses.

^NRP 398P prerequisite to NRP 398Q

Effective for all students beginning APN doctoral coursework in Fall 2026 & later.

Courses are subject to revision.

Catalog information may be viewed online at http://www.utexas.edu/student/registrar/catalogs.

The curriculum prepares graduates to take the national certification exam offered by Pediatric Nursing Certification Board (PNCB) as an ACNP-AC and the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC) for recognition as a Pediatric Nurse – Board Certified (PED-BC).

<sup>~</sup>NRP 396C is a prerequisite or co-requisite for NRP 393C.

<sup>+</sup>NRP 393C is a prerequisite for NRP 393E. NRP 393D is a prerequisite or co-requisite for NRP 393E.

<sup>\*\*</sup>NRP 393E & NRP393F are co-requisites and prerequisites to NRP 394Q & NRP 494Q.

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Advanced Leadership Practicums must be taken sequentially

<sup>@</sup>NRP 498M must be taken in the final semester of the program.