Program Cost Sheet 2025 Post-Master's to Doctor of Nursing Practice FNP for Non-APRN Prepared



The post-master's to DNP Family Nurse Practitioner (for non-ARNP-prepared nurses) requires 80 semester credits for completion **with a total tuition cost of \$98,400**. Actual coursework and length of study depend on gap analysis for transfer-in credits.

Tuition is based on a cohort model. Students must complete the program with their cohort to remain eligible for cohort pricing.

Total Tuition: \$98,400 (\$1,230 per semester credit)

Nursing Program Fee: \$6,390 (Subject to change)

Additional fees include: technology fee (\$270/year), wellness fee (\$110/year), a one-time matriculation fee (\$205), background check (\$70), books and materials for coursework, uniform cost (\$200), equipment (\$100), laptop (not Chromebook).

Federal financial aid is available, and students may apply for PLU Graduate scholarships and fellowships.

*Changes in progression path listed below may be determined based upon analysis of previous coursework (must meet the AACN DNP Essentials competencies)

2025 – 26 Academic Year				
Term	Credit hour	Cost		
Summer 2025	3 courses (4 credits) GNUR 701 Foundations of Scholarly Writing & Communication (2) GNUR 702 Advanced Practice Roles & Collaboration (1) GNUR 797 DNP Project Seminar (1)	\$4,920		
Fall 2025	4 courses (10 credits) GNUR 703 Theoretical Foundations & Evidence-based Practice (3) GNUR 710 Advanced Patho (3) GNUR 711 Advanced Pharm (3) GNUR 712 Advanced Pharm Discussion (1)	\$12,300		
January 2026	1 course (2 credits) GNUR 704 Pop Health, Policy, & Politics (2) Study Away option (Mexico/DC/Oly/Tacoma)	\$2,460		
Spring 2026	4 courses (10 credits) GNUR 705 Information Systems & Patient Care Technology (2) GNUR 713 Physical Assessment (3) GNUR 714 Advanced Practice Clinical Decision Making (2) GNUR 720 Primary Care Procedures (3)	\$12,300		

2026 – 27 Academic Year				
Term	Credit hour	Cost		
Summer 2026	3 courses (8 credits) GNUR 706 Biostats, Analytical Methods, & Epidemiology (3) GNUR 721 FNP1 Didactic (2) GNUR 731 FNP1 Seminar/Clinical (3) (120 hours)	\$9,840		

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Fall 2026	3 courses (8 credits) GNUR 707 Quality Improvement & Research Methods (3) GNUR 722 FNP2 Didactic (2) GNUR 732 FNP2 Seminar/Clinical Hours (3) (120 hours)	\$9,840			
January 2027	1 course (3 credits) GNUR 708 Leadership & Resource Management (3)	\$3,690			
Spring 2027	5 courses (9 credits) GNUR 795 Project Proposal (1) GNUR 796 Project Seminar (2) GNUR 798 Project hours (1) (60 hours) GNUR 723 FNP3 Didactic (2) GNUR 733 FNP3 Seminar/Clinical Hours (3) (120 hours)	\$11,070			

2027 – 28 Academic Year				
Term	Credit hour	Cost		
Summer 2027	5 courses (9 credits) GNUR 797 DNP Project Seminar (1) GNUR 798 DNP Project hours (2) (120 hours) GNUR 724 FNP4 Didactic (1) GNUR 734 FNP4 Seminar/Clinical Hours (3) (120 hours) GNUR 715 Psych for Primary Care (2)	\$11,070		
Fall 2027	4 courses (7(9) credits) GNUR 797 DNP Project Seminar (1) GNUR 798 DNP Project hours (2) (120 hours) GNUR 735 FNP5 Seminar/Clinical Hours (4) (120 hours) GNUR 717 Management of Substance Abuse and Addiction (elective) (2)	\$8,610 (\$11,070)		
January 2028	1 course (1 credit) GNUR 798 DNP Project hours (1) (60 hours) Study Away option	\$1,230		
Spring 2028	3 courses (9 credits) GNUR 799 Final DNP Project Seminar (2) GNUR 798 DNP Hours (1) (60 hours) GNUR 736 FNP Capstone Seminar/Clinical Hours (6) (240 hours)	\$11,070		