



Dear FNP Student,

Congratulations on your acceptance to the Family Nurse Practitioner (FNP) program at Clayton State University! We are excited that you have chosen Clayton State University as the place to continue your nursing education. Please reply to this email stating your intentions to attend the CSU FNP program.

Students have the opportunity for an early academic start in the Summer Optional Progression. We highly recommend beginning the FNP program this summer with the optional progression to help lighten the course load in fall. During the summer session, students can take one or two courses from the 3 Ps series—NURS 6620-Advanced Health Assessment, NURS 5410—Advanced Pathophysiology and NURS 6640—Advanced Pathophysiology.

***In order to register for the summer courses, students should have applied for a summer start date. Students will need to complete an Application Update form to change the status for a summer start.** This form can be found on the CSU Admission or Registrar page. This has to be updated in order to register for summer courses.

Although this program is considered an online program there are a few times over the course of the program that students are required to be present on campus. Students registering for NURS 6620 are required to attend 4 on-campus assessment labs. In NURS 6690 during your final semester, students will also be required to attend the final FNP project presentations on campus.

Students must complete the Registration Agreement in DUCK before they can register for any classes. An “immunization hold” is a common registration challenge encountered by some students. An immunization hold may need to be resolved before a student can register. If this happens, contact University Health Services at 678-466-4940. After that, students should contact the program director to have the ‘must see advisor’ hold released to be cleared for self-registration.

Now that you have been admitted into the program, you should register for the courses included in your chosen progression (full vs. part time progression). If you choose to change the status of full-time/part-time, you must obtain the approval of your FNP academic advisor.

All FNP program policies and procedures will be outlined at the FNP program orientation. More information will be provided regarding the program orientation.

We look forward to seeing everyone during the FNP student orientation. Please contact Dr. Scott at Williamscott@clayton.edu if you have any questions prior to the orientation.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Wm. Michael Scott', is written over a light blue horizontal line.

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