

ADVANCE THE ART, SCIENCE AND PRACTICE OF NURSING

The Doctor of Philosophy in Nursing is a research degree designed to prepare nurse scholars to advance the science and practice of the discipline. The College of Nursing's online PhD program equips nurses to conduct research and to engage in knowledge development and scholarly inquiry across a variety of roles and settings including scientist, researcher, scholar, administrator, and health care policy analyst.

STUDENT SUCCESS

Sharon Pappas, PhD, RN, NEA-BC, FAAN graduated from the College of Nursing PhD program in 2007. She is the Chief Nursing Officer at Porter Adventist Hospital in Denver, where she manages all nursing staff operations.



WHY CHOOSE CU ANSCHUTZ?

The University of Colorado Anschutz Medical Campus is the only comprehensive academic health sciences center in Colorado, the largest academic health center in the Rocky Mountain region and one of the newest education, research and patient care facilities in the world. Home to 21,000 employees, more than 4,000 degreeseeking students and two nationally recognized hospitals that handle 1.7 million patient visits each year, CU Anschutz trains the health sciences workforce of the future and fuels the economy.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

FOCUS YOUR TRAINING Heath Care Systems Research

Caring Science Biobehavioral Sciences

CURRICULAR OVERVIEW

Competency-based curriculum is taught with a combination of online and intensive formats that are fully distance accessible. All students take core courses in addition to selecting courses related to their focus. The degree consists of 42 credits of coursework and 30 credits of dissertation.

REQUIREMENTS & APPLICATIONS

- Must have a BS or MS in nursing for the Health Care Systems Research and Biobehavioral Science foci; nurses (with BS or MS) and Master'sprepared non-nurses are welcome to apply to the Caring Science focus.
- Apply by Dec. 15 for August start.
- Final decisions made by May 1.

WESTERN REGIONAL GRADUATE PROG.

The Nursing PhD program is a member of the WICHE/WRGP, which allows residents of certain states to pay in-state tuition rates. Visit WRGP site for more.

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