

2016–2017 Nurse Practitioner Residency Training Program Didactic Schedule

1. **History of the Community Health Center and Nurse Practitioner Movements**
2. **Focused History, Interviewing, and Documenting**
3. **Immunizations of Children and Adults:** Typical and atypical
4. **EKG Interpretation** (1st in series of 3 presentations)
5. **Laboratory Tests:** Selecting, ordering, and interpreting
6. **Initiating Insulin in the Diabetic Patient**
7. **Interprofessional Care and Collaborative Practice**
8. **Prescribing Opioids for Complex Patients in Community Health and Primary Care**
9. **Professional Boundaries Training**
10. **Initiating and Managing Anticoagulation Therapy**
11. **Pain Management:** Pharmacologic and non-pharmacologic approaches (1st in series of 2 presentations)
12. **Chronic Heart Failure:** Assessment, diagnosis, management, and patient education
13. **Pediatric Asthma:** Assessment, diagnosis, management and patient/family education
14. **Contraception:** Intrauterine devices—selection, insertion, counseling (1st in series of 2 presentations)
15. **Orthopedics:** Upper and lower extremities and back (1st in series of 3 presentations)
16. **Contraception:** Contraceptive methods and options
17. **Tobacco Cessation:** Evidence based interventions including motivational Interviewing
18. **Pediatric Growth and Development:** Screening, assessment, identification and referral (Part 1)
19. **Mindfulness Based Medication and Stress Reduction** (lecture plus experiential)
20. **Chronic Kidney Failure:** Assessment, diagnosis, management and patient education
21. **Chronic Liver Failure:** Assessment, diagnosis, management and patient education
22. **Conducting an Eye Exam in Primary Care**
23. **Anxiety and Depression:** Screening, assessment, diagnosis, management and patient education
24. **Interpreting Pap Smears and Managing Abnormal Results**
25. **IUD Insertion Training** (Mirena and Paragard)
26. **Nexplanon Training**
27. **Performing the Pre-Op Physical**
28. **Pediatric Growth and Development** (Part 2)
29. **HIV/AIDS:** Overview, prevention, screening, testing (1st in series of 2 presentations)
30. **HIV/AIDS:** Pharmacologic management in primary care
31. **Hepatitis C:** Screening, assessment, management, patient education
32. **Caring for Patients with History of Trauma** (physical, sexual, emotional)
33. **Dermatology in Primary Care**
34. **Lactation Medicine:** “Medications and Mothers’ Milk”
35. **Resident Case Presentations** (occurs twice/year)
36. **ADHD:** Screening, detection, assessment, treatment, patient/family education
37. **Oral Health:** Prevention, assessment, management, treatment of oral health problems
38. **Geriatrics:** Assessment and management of common geriatric concerns
39. **Podiatry:** Examination and assessment of the foot and common podiatric problems
40. **Stages of Change:** Training NPs on self-management in primary care setting (Series of 2)
41. **Suturing:** Simple closure
42. **Being On-call:** Managing patient concerns by telephone
43. **Managing Menopause:** Assessment, management, counseling, education
44. **Managing Neonatal Jaundice and Elevated Bilirubin**
45. **Adult Asthma:** Assessment, diagnosis, management, patient education
46. **Nutrition Management for Chronic Diseases**
47. **Sexually Transmitted Disease:** Intensive, 3-day, off-site training sponsored by the The Sylvie Ratelle STD/HIV Prevention Training Center of New England
48. **Job Searching, Contracts and Negotiating**
49. **Motivational Interviewing**
50. **Self-Management Goal Setting**
51. **Treating Substance Abuse in Primary Care**
52. **Diagnostic Imaging**
53. **COPD**
54. **Spirometry**
55. **Quality Improvement Training and Meeting Facilitation**
56. **Use of the Microscope**
57. **Myofascial Pain Disorder**
58. **Caring for Pediatric Patients with Trauma**
59. **Adult Psychiatry in Primary Care and DCF Reporting**
60. **Professional Development and Leadership Training**
61. **Rheumatology**
62. **Health Care for the Homeless**
63. **Osteoporosis**
64. **Endocrinology**
65. **The Business of Healthcare**
66. **Managing Difficult Patient Encounters/Resources**
67. **Social Media in Healthcare**
68. **Presenting a Case to Your Preceptor—Best Practices**