

University of South Alabama
College of Nursing

**Clinical Nurse Specialist Online Program
Spring Admission: 7 Semester Schedule**

		Spring Semester – 1st Year		Summer Semester – 1st Year	
		NU 506 Theoretical Foundations of Advanced Nursing	3	NU 518 Advanced Nursing Assessment	3
		NU 508 Advanced Nursing Leadership, Roles & Concepts	3	NU 519 Advanced Nursing Assessment Practicum – <i>60 clinical hours</i>	1
		Total	6	Total	4
Fall Semester – 2nd Year		Spring Semester - 2nd Year		Summer Semester – 2nd Year	
NU 545 Physio-pathological Basis of Advanced Nursing	3	NU 578 Pharmacology for Advanced Practice Nurses	3	NU 513 Advanced Nursing Research	3
NU 507 Health Care Policy & Economics	3				
Total	6	Total	3	Total	3
Fall Semester – 3rd Year		Spring Semester – 3rd Year			
NU 524 Clinical Concepts & CNS Role I	3	NU 520 Clinical Concepts & CNS Role II	3		
AHN 525 Adult Geron CNS Practicum I <i>240 clinical hours</i>	4	AHN 526 Adult Geron CNS Practicum II <i>240 clinical hours</i>	4		
OR		OR			
MCN 525 Women’s Health CNS Practicum I <i>240 clinical hours</i>		MCN 526 Women’s Health CNS Practicum II <i>240 clinical hours</i>			
OR		OR			
MCN527 Pediatric Health CNS Practicum I <i>240 clinical hours</i>		MCN528 Pediatric Health CNS Practicum II <i>240 clinical hours</i>			
Total	7	Total	7		

Total credits = 36

NOTE: Your ability to progress in the curriculum is dependent upon your following this schedule. For example, some courses are only taught once each year and many have pre-requisites. If you are unable to enroll as projected, contact the graduate office for revised schedule.