

University of South Alabama  
College of Nursing

**Clinical Nurse Specialist Online Program  
Summer Admission: 3 Semester Schedule**

				<b>Summer Semester – 1<sup>st</sup> Year</b>	
				NU 506 Theoretical Foundations of Advanced Nursing	3
				NU 513 Advanced Nursing Research	3
				NU 518 Advanced Nursing Assessment	3
				NU 519 Advanced Nursing Assessment Practicum – <i>60 clinical hours</i>	1
				Total	10
<b>Fall Semester – 2<sup>nd</sup> Year</b>		<b>Spring Semester - 2<sup>nd</sup> Year</b>			
NU 545 Physio-pathological Basis of Advanced Nursing	3	NU 507 Health Care Policy & Economics	3		
NU 508 Advanced Nursing Leadership, Roles & Concepts	3	NU 578 Pharmacology for Advanced Practice Nurses	3		
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	13	Total	13		

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.**