Eligibility Information
We are currently enrolling only for Fall and Spring terms. To begin the FNP program, you must be:

- A graduate of an accredited master’s program in nursing
- Licensed as a registered nurse in New York State
- Have an undergraduate cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher
- Provide evidence of successful completion (a grade of C+ or higher) of an undergraduate statistics course
- No prior RN experience is required to begin program
- No standardized admissions test (GRE or Miller Analogy) is required
- Evidence of professional nursing experience in direct patient care is required prior to enrollment in Practicum
- Students may transfer the following courses: 1) Advanced Physical Examination & Fundamentals of Diagnostics; 2) Advanced Pharmacology; 3) Advanced Pathophysiology if taken within the past 5 years.

Application Requirements:
- Submitted online application
- Official transcripts from all educational institutions attended
- Professional resume
- Personal statement
- Three letters of recommendation from persons other than friends or family members (who can speak to one’s performance in an academic or professional setting)

The purpose of the program is to prepare students to:

1. Prepare Registered Professional Nurses to assume the role of Family Nurse Practitioner to deliver primary health care to families in a variety of settings.
2. Receive an Advanced Certificate – Family Nurse Practitioner
3. Be eligible for New York State Licensure as a Family Nurse Practitioner.
4. Be eligible to pursue board certification and credentialing offered by the American Academy of Nurse Practitioners (AANPCP) or American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC)