

MEMORANDUM:

**TO:** Dr. D. Floyd, Chair,  
University Graduate Programs Committee

**FROM:** Dr. M. Purnell  
Chair, Committee on Programs  
College of Nursing

**DATE:** April 5, 2011

**SUBJECT:**  
Post Masters Certificate in Advanced Holistic Nursing  
Proposal Tabled by UGPC 12/8/2010:


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We are requesting again that the University Graduate Programs Committee approve the Post Masters Certificate in Advanced Holistic Nursing. The proposal was tabled in committee at the December 8, 2010 meeting with comment in the minutes that data needed to be expanded.

We wish to state that no new courses are required for this PMC in Advanced Holistic Nursing. No new faculty are required and students are admitted only on a space available basis. The Post Masters Certificate in Advanced Holistic Nursing will optimize FTEs and draw students back into the College of Nursing and FAU without the use of additional resources.

Accordingly, we are requesting that our proposal be approved by the UGPC.

Thank you,



Marguerite J. Purnell, PhD, RN  
Chair, Committee on Programs  
Christine E. Lynn College of Nursing.

FLORIDA ATLANTIC UNIVERSITY  
CHRISTINE E. LYNN COLLEGE OF NURSING

PROPOSAL: POST MASTERS CERTIFICATE  
IN ADVANCED HOLISTIC NURSING  
FOR NURSE PRACTITIONERS

August 30, 2010

**NURSE PRACTITIONER, POST MASTERS CERTIFICATE IN ADVANCED  
HOLISTIC NURSING**

The courses below are proposed for a Post Masters Certificate in Advanced Holistic Nursing for Nurse Practitioners. Courses are currently available in the Advanced Holistic Nursing track, and also included as an optional holistic concentration in the BS-PhD track.

Total Credits for the Post Masters Certificate will be variable from 12 – 18 credits:

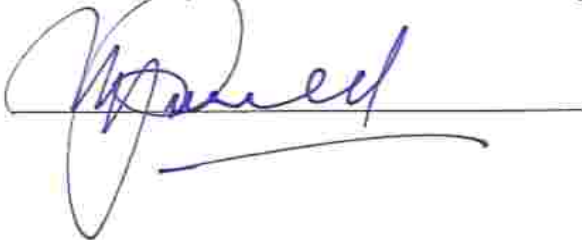
NGR 6110 Advanced Nursing Practice Grounded in Caring	3 credits
NGR 6168 Foundations of Holistic Nursing 1 (Didactic)	3
NGR 6169 Foundations of Holistic Nursing 2 (Didactic)	3
NGR 6295L Experiential Survey of Holistic Modalities*	3
NGR 6296L Developing Expertise in Holistic Healing Modalities**	3
NGR 6297L Integrating Expertise in Holistic Practice**	<u>3</u>

18 credits

\* NGR 6295L may be waived with appropriate documentation of experience/education in complementary and alternative modalities.

\*\* Require 180 hours of clinical practice experience

Respectfully submitted;  
Marguerite J. Purnell, PhD, RN; AHN-BC  
Coordinator, Advanced Holistic Nursing



**Routing for Approval:**

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| 1. | Masters Programs Committee | 9-20-2010 Approved                |
|    |                            | 10-18-2010 Approved as amended    |
| 2. | Committee on Programs      | November 1, 2010 <i>approved</i>  |
| 3. | Faculty Assembly           | November 22, 2010 <i>approved</i> |
| 4. | UGPC                       | December 8, 2010                  |
| 5. | Univ. Steering Committee   | January 11, 2011                  |
| 6. | Univ. Faculty Senate       | January 21, 2011                  |

**SIGNATURES:**

<i>Approved by:</i>	<i>Date:</i>
Department Chair: N/A	
College Committee on Programs Chair: <i>[Signature]</i>	<i>11-22-2010</i>
College Associate Dean: <i>[Signature]</i>	<i>11-22-2010</i>
UGPC Chair: _____	
Provost: _____	