



DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA BOARD OF NURSING RECOGNIZED ADVANCED PRACTICE REGISTERED NURSE CERTIFICATION PROGRAMS

AACN	American Association of Critical Care Certification Corporation
AACNS-N	Neonatal CNS wellness through acute care
ACCNS-P	Pediatric CNS wellness through acute care
CCNS-AG	Adult/Gero CNS wellness through acute care
AG-ACNPC	Adult/Gero Acute Care CNP
AANPCB	American Association of Nurse Practitioners Certification Board
NP-C	Family Nurse Practitioner
NP-C	Adult Nurse Practitioner – retiring 12/2016
NP-C	Adult/Gero Primary Care Nurse Practitioner
AMCB	American Midwifery Certification Board
CNM	Certified nurse midwife
ANCC	American Nurses Credentialing Center
ACNP-BC	Acute Care Nurse Practitioner – retiring 12/2016
AGACNP-BC	Adult/Gero Acute Care Nurse Practitioner
AGPCNP-BC	Adult/Gero Primary Care Nurse Practitioner
FNP-BC	Family Nurse Practitioner
PPCNP-BC	Pediatric Primary Care Nurse Practitioner
ANP-BC	Adult Nurse Practitioner - retiring 12/2016
GNP-BC	Gerontological Nurse Practitioner – retiring 12/2016
PMHNP-BC	Adult Psychiatric Nurse Practitioner – retiring 12/2016
PMHNP-BC	Family Psychiatric and Mental Health Nurse Practitioner
PMHCNS-BC	Child/Adolescent Psychiatric Mental Health CNS – retiring 12/2017
ACNS-BC	Adult Health CNS – retiring 11/2017
PCNS-BC	Pediatric CNS – retiring 2017
NBCRNA	National Board on Certification and Recertification of Nurse Anesthetists
CRNA	Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist
NCC	National Certification Corporation
WHNP-BC	Women’s Healthcare Nurse Practitioner
NNP-BC	Neonatal Nurse Practitioner
PNCB	Pediatric Nursing Certification Board
CPNP-PC	Pediatric Nurse Practitioner Primary Care
CPNP-AC	Pediatric Nurse Practitioner Acute Care

VERIFICATION OF APRN CERTIFICATION

Ask certifying body to email verification of your current APRN certification to Nicole.Scott@dc.gov,
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