

Graduates of the Clinical Nurse Specialist - Chronic Illness Care option are prepared to:

- (1) Practice in advanced nursing roles within the Health Care Delivery System.
- (2) Incorporate a variety of theories from nursing and related fields into nursing practice and management roles.
- (3) Analyze social issues related to the Health Care Delivery System and Advanced Nursing Practice.

Graduates of the Clinical Nurse Specialist - School Nurse option are prepared to:

- (1) Work in the clinical practice specialty of school health utilizing advanced practice nursing roles.
- (2) Incorporate a variety of theories from nursing and related fields into nursing practice and management roles.
- (3) Analyze social issues related to the Health Care Delivery System and Advanced Nursing Practice.

Graduates of the Nurse Anesthetist option are prepared to:

- (1) Administer anesthesia in a variety of practice settings to patients needing anesthesia care.
- (2) Utilize advanced practice nursing roles within the Health Care Delivery System.

The Master of Science in Nursing in Nurse Anesthesia is a cooperative program between Youngstown State University and St. Elizabeth Health Center School for Nurse Anesthetists, Inc. All courses are taught by YSU Graduate Faculty. Humility of Mary Health Partners supports the program by providing clinical and other resources at St. Elizabeth Health Center. Students gain experience in the use of many anesthetic agents and techniques and are supervised by Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists (CRNAs) and Staff Anesthesiologists from Bel-Park Anesthesia Associates, Inc. Upon successful completion of the degree program, graduates are eligible to sit for the National Certification Exam by the Council on Certification of Nurse Anesthetists. Once certified, CRNAs must apply for a Certificate of Authority to practice as an Advanced Practice Nurse in the State of Ohio or abide by the laws of the state in which they intend to practice.

Acceptance into the YSU Master of Science in Nursing Program is contingent upon acceptance into the St. Elizabeth Health Center School for Nurse Anesthetists, Inc. For further additional admission information specific to the Nurse Anesthetist option please contact:

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