

# Certified Nurse-Midwife **Programs**

FNU's Master of Science Degree and **Post-Graduate Certificate are designed** for Registered Nurses.

A Certified Nurse-Midwife (CNM) is a primary health care provider to women of all ages throughout their lives. CNMs focus on gynecologic and family planning services, as well as preconception, pregnancy, childbirth, postpartum, and newborn bare. They also provide primary care such as conducting annual exams, writing prescriptions, and offering basic nutrition counseling. All students seeking to become a certified nurse-midwife can be admitted to our post-graduate certificate (PGC) program or our master of science in nursing (MSN) program.

#### **Admissions and Tuition**

- You may apply to FNU throughout the year.
- Students will complete coursework online with a few brief visits to campus.
- With assistance from FNU, students identify clinical sites in their own communities.
- Must have a 3.0 GPA in their last degree earned.
- One year of RN experience required before applying to the MSN program.
- We offer affordable tuition rates, financial aid, and a number of scholarships.
- Tuition for MSN and PGC program is \$618 per credit hour. (Tuition is effective until June 30, 2020.)

### Master of Science in Nursing (MSN) Program

- In the MSN program, students who successfully complete the program of study for the CNM will receive a master of science in nursing degree with eligibility for the national certification exam as a Certified Nurse-Midwife.
- Complete your clinical practicum in your home
- 64 credit hours; full-time and part-time options
- After completion of the MSN, students have the option to continue to the Doctor of Nursing Practice degree program via a direct admissions process.



## Creating a Culture of Caring

### Post-Graduate Certificate (PGC) Program

- Candidates for the PGC Program must have a master's or higher degree in nursing and currently hold national certification in advanced practice. (Check Frontier.edu for the specialties)
- In the (PGC) program, students who successfully complete the program of study for the CNM will receive a post-graduate certificate with eligibility for the national certification exam as a Certified Nurse-Midwife.
- 39 credit hours; 21 months
- After completion of the PGC, students have the option to continue to the Doctor of Nursing Practice degree via a direct admissions process.

### **APPLY NOW – Four Classes Accepted Each Year!**

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