## MASTER OF SCIENCE IN NURSING (PEDIATRIC NURSE PRACTITIONER - PRIMARY CARE)

**Web Site:** https://twu.edu/nursing/master-of-science-in-nursing-msn/pediatric-nurse-practitioner-pnp/

A Nurse Practitioner (NP) is an Advanced Practice Registered Nurse (APRN) who holds a master's or doctoral degree in a specific population focus. These include family, adult-gerontology (primary or acute care), neonatal, pediatrics (primary or acute care), women's health, or psychiatric-mental health populations. Texas Woman's University offers programs for family, adult-gerontology (primary and acute care), pediatric (primary care), women's health, and psychiatric-mental health nurse practitioner tracks.

The Pediatric Nurse Practitioner-Primary Care (PNP-PC) provides care to newborns through young adults for both common acute and chronic health conditions with an emphasis on growth and development. Practice extends across a variety of settings. While there are both primary and acute care programs, TWU prepares students for the primary care role.