Johns Hopkins School of Nursing
DNP in Nurse Anesthesiology
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This Project is an Academic-Practice Partnership

Johns Hopkins School of Nursing in collaboration with the Johns Hopkins Department of Anesthesiology and Critical Care Medicine have re-established a nurse anesthesia program to provide qualified certified registered nurse anesthetists (CRNAs) for the Hopkins healthcare system and the state of Maryland.
Accreditation Decisions – Nurse Anesthesia Educational Programs

Notice of the following accreditation and related decisions is provided to the U.S. Department of Education by the Council on Accreditation of Nurse Anesthesia Educational Programs (COA) following accreditation meetings. Only those programs reviewed at the actual Council meeting are listed. Anyone interested in the accreditation status of all nurse anesthesia programs can find this information in the official List of Accredited Educational Programs. The current issue of this publication also identifies programs with accredited CRNA completion degree programs. Questions can be directed to the Council’s office by contacting us.

Effective January 22, 2020, unless otherwise indicated

Initial Accreditation Granted

Johns Hopkins School of Nursing Nurse Anesthesiology Track of the DNP Program, Baltimore, MD
Public Disclosure Statement

The Johns Hopkins School of Nursing Nurse Anesthesiology Track of the DNP Program was granted initial accreditation effective January 22, 2020. The program was found in compliance with the Standards for Accreditation of Nurse Anesthesia Programs – Practice Doctorate. Given this action, the program will be scheduled for its next consideration of continued accreditation 5 years following the start of the program’s first class of students. The COA may change this to an earlier time as a result of new or additional information, changes in the activities of the program, or changes needed in the accreditation review schedule.

Doctoral Degree for Entry into Practice – Approved

Keiser University Nurse Anesthesia Program, Naples, FL (effective November 21, 2019)
Degree Type Confirmed – Doctor of Nurse Anesthesia Practice

Distance Education Offerings – Approved

Johns Hopkins School of Nursing Nurse Anesthesiology Track of the DNP Program, Baltimore, MD
Program of Study

Total Credits: 88
Distance Education credits: 48

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic the curriculum was re-designed so that the entire 1st year of study will be delivered virtually creating a unique hybrid program.

This change will be evaluated to determine if this will be a permanent change as it has the potential to provide substantial savings to students.
• 97 applications
• 57 virtual interviews
• 20 applicants notified of successful admission and their demographics are
  • 5 males
  • 15 females
  • 8 white
  • 5 Asian
  • 3 African American
  • 1 no response
  • 1 American Indian
  • 2 Hispanic

• Matriculated the first cohort of students May 11, 2020 virtually!
Clinical Settings providing over 2000 clinical hours to each student

• Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, MD
• Johns Hopkins Bayview Medical Center, Baltimore, MD
• Johns Hopkins Howard County General Hospital, Columbia, MD
• Johns Hopkins All Children’s Hospital, St. Petersburg, FL
• Peninsula Regional Medical Center, Salisbury, MD
• Winn Army Community Hospital, Fort Stewart, GA