Nurse Practitioner and Physician Assistant Critical Care Fellowship
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- Medical College of Wisconsin (MCW)
- Froedtert Hospital
- Children’s Hospital of Wisconsin
- Eye Institute
- Curative Care Network

- BloodCenter of Wisconsin
- Milwaukee County Behavioral Health
- Clement J. Zablocki VA Medical Center and Clinics (not shown)
### Facts

#### Medical College of Wisconsin
- The largest physician practice group in Wisconsin
  - 1500 physicians
  - 500 NPs, PAs, and other healthcare practitioners
  - Medical College Physicians = adult practice
  - Children's Specialty Group = pediatric practice
  - Provides 2.3 million patient care visits annually
- 7th largest medical school in the nation
- 2nd largest research institution in Wisconsin

#### Froedtert Hospital
- 528 bed hospital
  - 5 ICUs with 107 beds
  - Level 1 Trauma Center
  - 27,534 inpatient admissions
  - Vizient #3 National Ranking
  - 3 time Magnet Designation
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<th>Protected learning and skill development</th>
<th>Structured education and experiences</th>
<th>Great for new graduates and APPs choosing to transition their practice area</th>
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<td>• Orientation with dedicated time</td>
<td>• Learning with stipend, benefits</td>
<td>• Mentorship</td>
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<td>• Supervision and support</td>
<td>• Try out different areas of practice</td>
<td>• Builds confidence</td>
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<td>• You are expected to be a learner</td>
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<td>• More marketable</td>
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<td>• Not part of the clinical staffing numbers</td>
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<td>Offer an intense, quality onboarding and training experience in complex, quaternary patient care</td>
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<td>Recruit highly talented and motivated APPs interested in professional development and education</td>
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<td>Retain APPs who have completed high level training</td>
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<td>We want to be an employer of choice for APPs</td>
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NP and PA Critical Care Fellowship

Our Mission

To prepare NPs and PAs to practice in the specialty of critical care medicine as members of a multi-professional team.

Our Vision

To develop and implement an educational pathway for NPs and PAs that translates evidence-based didactics with proctored skill acquisition through clinical experiences and simulation. It is our vision that fellows will progress in clinical judgment and critical thinking skills as a full, contributing member of a multidisciplinary critical care medicine team.
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<td>Broad, complex patient experiences in a award winning quaternary health center</td>
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<td>PA/NP learning experience in a team-based, academic medical center</td>
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Who should be interested in a critical care fellowship?

- APP with interest in critical care
- APP wanting to develop their critical and acute care skills

What are the benefits of a critical care fellowship?

- Critical care is intense, diverse, complex, and takes structured time for learning and confidence
- Broad experience in many specialties
- Develop key skills and conceptual knowledge
# Clinical Courses

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<td>• Critical Care Anesthesia - CVICU</td>
<td>• Preceptors and Mentors</td>
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<td>• Medical Critical Care</td>
<td>• Identified Objectives and phased onboarding process</td>
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<td>• Surgical/Trauma Critical Care</td>
<td>• Key Patient Populations</td>
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<td>• Critical Care Neurology</td>
<td>• Procedures</td>
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<td>• Transplant Surgery ICU</td>
<td>• Inter-professional experiences</td>
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<td>• Acute Care Rotations</td>
<td>• Integrated didactic learning opportunities</td>
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<td>• Infectious Diseases</td>
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<td>• Palliative Care</td>
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## Clinical Courses

### Clinical Schedule
- Averaged 50-55 hours per week
  - 45-50 hours clinical
  - 5-8 hours education
- Follow requirements of APPs in the practice area
  - Variable weekday hours and days
  - Night/Weekend time based on rotation

### Education
- Didactic
  - Online education
  - Lecture series
  - MCW Libraries
- Simulation
- Inter-professional Experiences
- Fellowship project
### Fellowship Requirements

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<th>NP and PA Evaluations</th>
<th>Graduation Requirements</th>
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<td>• Site visits</td>
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<td>• Fellowship feedback sessions</td>
<td>• Meet milestones of critical care APP fellowship</td>
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<td>• Evaluations with each course</td>
<td>• Complete didactic requirements</td>
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<td>• Quarterly reviews</td>
<td>• Completion of simulation and FCCS course</td>
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<td>• End of fellowship review</td>
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Financials

**Salary**
- $60,000
- If hired – salary start at 10% above market, sign on bonus of $1,000 and $2,000 on 1 year anniversary.

**Benefits**
- Malpractice Insurance
- Standard APP health/dental/vacation offerings

**Education**
- $2,000 continuing education funding
- Fundamental Critical Support Course
- Basic Cardiac Life Support (BCLS) and Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS)
How to apply

Application Completion
1. Website for full information
2. Review job description and complete MCW HR application
3. Complete MCW graduate school application

March 2018 Start
• October 15, 2017 application due
• Interviews October/November 2017
• Acceptance notification December, 2017

September 2018 Start
• January 15, 2018 application due
• Interviews in January/February 2018
• Acceptance notification March 2018