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ATTENTION: PEDIATRIC NURSES!

*Do you have at least ONE year of Hospital-based
Pediatric Nursing Experience?
Are you considering Graduate School?*

**Here's your opportunity to become an
Acute Care Pediatric Nurse Practitioner!**

**APPLY NOW TO THE ACPNP PROGRAM for Fall 2011 for Masters
or Post-Master's Study!**

The Schools of Nursing at the University of California, San Francisco (**UCSF**) and the University of California, Irvine (**UCI**) are pleased to announce new funding from the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) for a collaborative **Master's Program** to prepare **Acute Care Pediatric Nurse Practitioners (ACPNDPs)**. The purpose of this collaborative effort is to prepare a diverse workforce of **ACPNDPs** to provide culturally competent and comprehensive health care for acutely ill infants, children and adolescents. In addition, this program is focused on preparing **ACPNDPs** to reduce health disparities for children with complex health conditions, who are at-risk for experiencing gaps in health care due to transitions in development, acuity, or the health care environment.

Acute Care Pediatric Nurse Practitioner Curriculum

ACPNDP students at the UCSF or UCI campus will participate in a wide variety of stimulating courses at UCSF and clinical application aimed at learning the management of acutely, chronically and critically ill children. Students on the **UCI** campus will participate in courses offered at **UCI**, as well as the **ACPNDP** coursework offered onsite at **UCSF** for brief intervals of focused study, in addition to course content supported through web-based and video-conference technology. Graduates will be eligible to seek **national certification** through the Pediatric Nursing Certification Board as an **ACPNDP**.

Applications available at: <http://nurseweb.ucsf.edu/gateway/download.html>

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