

Nurse Practitioners

are registered nurses with experience and advanced nursing education at the master's level. Nurse practitioners autonomously diagnose, treat and manage acute and chronic physical and mental illnesses.

As advanced practice nurses, nurse practitioners:

- analyze, synthesize and apply evidence to make decisions about their clients' health care
- provide a comprehensive range of essential health services grounded in professional, ethical and legal standards within a holistic model of care
- work collaboratively with their clients to establish measurable goals, and identify and advocate to close gaps in health outcomes*

Reference: * https://www.bccnp.ca/Standards/RN_NP/StandardResources/NP_ScopeofPractice.pdf

More information is available through British Columbia College of Nursing Professionals:

FAQs: <https://bcnpa.org/wp-content/uploads/2012/07/UpdatedFAQs.pdf>

Scope of Practice: https://www.bccnp.ca/Standards/RN_NP/NPScopePractice/Pages/Default.aspx



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