

**Montana Board of Nursing Recognized
National Professional Organizations (NPO) for APRN Scope and Standards of Practice
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APRN Type	NPO Name & Web Site	Title & Date of Document
<u>Nurse Anesthetist (CRNA)</u>	American Association of Nurse Anesthetists www.aana.com	Standards for Nurse Anesthesia Practice (2019) Scope for Nurse Anesthesia Practice (2020)
<u>Nurse Midwife (CNM)</u>	American College of Nurse Midwives www.midwife.org	Standards for the Practice of Midwifery (2011) Definition of Midwifery and Scope of Practice of Certified Nurse Midwives and Certified Midwives (2012)
<u>Nurse Practitioner (CNP)</u> (General Scope of Practice & Standards- applies to ALL nurse practitioners regardless of role and population focus)	American Association of Nurse Practitioners www.aanp.org National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculties www.nonpf.com American Nurses Association www.nursingworld.org	Scope of Practice for Nurse Practitioners (2015) Nurse Practitioners Core Competencies (2012) See web site to view access to purchase published Scope and Standards of Practice for each
Acute Care CNP (Adult, Pediatric & Neonatal Specialties)	American Association of Critical Care Nurses www.aacn.org National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculties www.nonpf.com	AACN Scope and Standards for the Acute Care Nurse Practitioner Practice (2017) Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner Competencies (2012)
Adult-Gerontology Primary Care CNP	National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculties www.nonpf.com	Adult-Gerontology Primary Care Nurse Practitioner Competencies (2010)
Family CNP (Primary Care)	National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculties www.nonpf.com	Population-Focused Nurse Practitioner Competencies (2013)

Pediatric CNP (Acute & Primary Care Specialties)	National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners www.napnap.org National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculties www.nonpf.com	Pediatric Nursing Scope and Standards available on the NAPNAP website for purchase. Population–Focused Nurse Practitioner Competencies (2013)
Psychiatric & Mental Health CNP	American Psychiatric Nurses Association www.apna.org National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculties www.nonpf.com	Psychiatric-Mental Health Nursing: Scope & Standards of Practice (2014) (available online for members, or for purchase) Population–Focused Nurse Practitioner Competencies (2013)
Women’s Health/Gender Related CNP	National Association of Nurse Practitioners in Women’s Health www.npwh.org National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculties www.nonpf.com	Women’s Health Nurse Practitioner: Guidelines for Practice and Education 7 th Edition (2010) (available online for members, or for purchase) Population–Focused Nurse Practitioner Competencies (2013)
Clinical Nurse Specialist (CNS) (General Scope & Standards applied to all specialties)	National Association of Clinical Nurse Specialists www.nacns.org	Clinical Nurse Specialist Core Competencies (2006-2008) Core Practice Doctorate Clinical Nurse Specialist Competencies (2009)
Adult-Gerontology CNS	National Association of Clinical Nurse Specialists www.nacns.org	Adult-Gerontology Clinical Nurse Specialist Competencies (2010)
Acute and Critical Care CNS (Adult, Pediatric & Neonatal Specialties)	American Association of Critical Care Nurses www.aacn.org	AACN Scope and Standards for Acute and Critical Care Clinical Nurse Specialist Practice (2014)
Psychiatric & Mental Health CNS (Adult, Child/Adolescent Specialties)	American Psychiatric Nurses Association www.apna.org	Psychiatric-Mental Health Nursing: Scope & Standards of Practice (2014) (available online for members, or for purchase) Clinical Nurse Specialist Core Competencies (2006-2008)

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