

Professional Statement and Résumé Requirements

You must submit a Professional Statement and a Résumé as a part of your application to the Graduate School.

1. Professional Statement/Goal Statement

This narrative is a very important part of your portfolio. The quality of the Professional Statement is often crucial in admissions decisions, since it may provide the Admissions Committee the only first-hand example of your writing skills and your ability to express your ideas in a clear, logical and coherent manner.

Please address EACH of the following in your professional statement:

- a. Explain why you have chosen the Family Nurse Practitioner Program and discuss how your work experiences (paid and voluntary) will fit with this program.
- b. Define your professional goals and how this program will contribute to your achieving them.
- c. Discuss your academic and leadership strengths and any areas for improvement.
- d. Identify a problem in healthcare and specifically but briefly discuss a potential solution.

Consider this your opportunity to communicate with the Admissions Committee ~~unl7TET@ w)~~