

Clinical Practice Excellence

Mary Johnson, DNP'15, MSN'12, BSN'09, APRN, FNP-BC, CWP

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Mary Johnson, DNP'15, MSN'12, BSN'09, APRN, FNP-BC, CWP, is committed to community health and wellness. She is director of health services at Meredith College, where she provides health services for almost 2,000 students. Prior to joining Meredith, she worked for several years as a provider in primary and urgent care settings and led a large program to promote vaccines while working in the convenience care clinics at Target.

At Meredith, Johnson is a member of the college incident management team, wellness advisory committee, safety and health committee, and various campus task forces related to student wellness. She is also an advisor for the Peer Educators Advocating Responsible Lifestyles, a student-led initiative that addresses health topics related to college students, and as a preceptor for nursing students from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and Duke University School of Nursing (DUSON).

Recently, Johnson received the National Wellness Institute's certified wellness practitioner certification, that symbolizes an individual's strong academic preparation, professional competency in wellness programming, and commitment to continuing education, scholarship and professional development. She continues to use her knowledge to influence her practice and campus education.

In 2017, she was elected to the board of Duke Women's Impact Network (WIN), and she hopes that her work with WIN will help engage more women in volunteer and philanthropic leadership positions, making Duke a stronger university than ever before.

This year, Johnson will join the American College Health Association's Leadership Institute and the first cohort for the College Health and Wellness Professional Certification. The certification program provides



a unique platform for college health and wellness professionals to learn, grow and exchange ideas with others who are also facing the challenges of providing high-quality care to the college student population.

Johnson serves on the National Consortium for Building Healthy Academic Communities, the North Carolina Immunization Coalition and the Beta Epsilon Chapter of Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society.

Johnson earned a doctor of nursing practice degree, a master of science in nursing degree as a family nurse practitioner, and an accelerated bachelor of science in nursing degree from DUSON. She received a bachelor of science degree in molecular biology from Meredith College.