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Professional Overview

BIO

Samantha Balakrishnan, DNP, CNP, RN, ACNP, FNP is an advanced practice provider who specializes in Neuro-Oncology and treating disorders of the brain. She completed her Doctorate of Nursing Practice at the University of Washington in Seattle. She is board certified as both an acute care and family nurse practitioner, allowing her to see patients spanning the age continuum in all settings. She currently practices in the outpatient setting treating adults with primary brain tumors, brain metastases, and neurologic conditions caused by cancer treatment.

Samantha Balakrishnan has a special interest in primary brain tumors and their treatment, palliative care and end of life, and teaching patients, families and nurses.

CLINICAL FOCUS

- Nurse Practitioner
- Lead Advanced Practice Provider

PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

- Professional Education: University of Washington (2011) WA
- Internship: Washington State University Vancouver (2012) WA
- Board Certification: Nurse Practitioner, American Nurses Credentialing Center (2012)