

Articulation Agreement
between
Oakland Community College
and
Spring Arbor University

RN to MSN Programs

Effective the Date of the Last Signature to Three (3) Years from the Effective Date

ARTICLE I

AGREEMENT ON PRINCIPLE

Oakland Community College (OCC) and Spring Arbor University (SAU) agree that students who choose to begin their studies at OCC and transfer to SAU to earn a Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) and a subsequent Master of Science in Nursing (MSN) should be provided with a smooth curriculum transition that minimizes loss of credit and duplication of coursework. Therefore, OCC and SAU agree to enter into this Articulation Agreement (Agreement) as cooperating educational institutions and will maintain the integrity of their separate programs.

ARTICLE II

TRANSFER AGREEMENT

OCC and SAU agree that any student who has successfully completed an Associate Degree in Nursing (ADN) at OCC may transfer up to 84 semester credit hours to apply toward the BSN portion of the RN-MSN accelerated programs at SAU. The SAU Office of Registration and Records will determine which credit hours will be transferred and how they will apply to the desired program of study.

The following stipulations apply:

1. Applicants to the SAU RN-MSN programs (applicants) must have an unrestricted, unencumbered, current nursing license from the state of employment, and they must retain active licensure throughout the program at SAU.
2. Applicants must have a minimum 2.5 overall GPA from all previous college work.
3. Applicants must meet all admissions requirements and be accepted and admitted to SAU.
4. Only courses graded a "C" (2.0) or better will transfer to SAU.
5. In order for students to receive the benefits of the Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA), these requirements must be met before enrolling in a bachelor's program at SAU. Applicants who enrolled in college prior to fall 2014 may use the MACRAO agreement and have until August of 2019 to have MACRAO requirements evaluated by the community college. If already on the transcript, the MACRAO designation will be accepted at SAU. Applicants who have not satisfied

the MTA or MACRAO agreement must complete SAU's General Education Requirements as applied to transfer students.

6. All other SAU graduation and program requirements listed in the effective catalog of matriculation to the RN-MSN program must be satisfied whether by transferred courses, SAU courses, or approved substitutions or waiver. See effective catalog for details.
7. Under this Agreement, graduates of OCC will receive equal consideration with other students seeking admission to the agreed upon program. When program growth results in space limitations, reasonable provisions will be made to reserve space for OCC students planning entry into this program.

ARTICLE III-A

RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE SENDING INSTITUTION TO POTENTIAL APPLICANTS

1. OCC will be responsible to appropriately and accurately advise students enrolled in the ADN program at OCC into courses that will transfer to the RN-MSN program according to the articulation guides (see Appendices).
2. OCC will monitor the academic performance of students who intend to enroll at SAU under this Agreement and identify problems that may interfere with the successful transfer of students to SAU and assist student to correct them.

ARTICLE III-B

RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE RECEIVING INSTITUTION TO STUDENTS

1. SAU will be responsible for advising students admitted to an RN-MSN program toward completion and successful graduation.

ARTICLE IV

AGREEMENT ON COMMUNICATION

OCC and SAU agree to cooperate in communicating with each other and with their common and respective audiences concerning the established relationship between the two institutions. OCC and SAU further agree to communicate concerning curriculum changes which affect the agreed upon relationship between articulated programs at the respective college, and to communicate concerning the development of plans which might lead to future opportunities between the two institutions.

1. Any marketing of the Agreement in print will be subject to the prior approval of both parties. Each institution will assume responsibility for appropriate marketing to reach their respective student and faculty populations.
2. Faculty and staff at both institutions will communicate information about this Agreement to students and prospective students.

3. Each party may provide on its website a link to the partner institution's website at each institution's discretion.

ARTICLE V

AGREEMENT ON MAINTENANCE AND REVIEW

OCC and SAU agree that responsibility for implementation, maintenance, and communication related to this Agreement rests with the following contacts:

At SAU: Sherri Hendrix, M.B.A
 University Registrar
 106 E. Main St.
 Spring Arbor, MI 49283
 Sherri.hendrix@arbor.edu

At OCC: Martin A. Orlowski, M.A.
 Executive Director of Institutional Effectiveness
 2900 Featherstone Road, M-TEC Building
 Auburn Hills, MI 48326-2845

ARTICLE VI

TERMS OF AGREEMENT

- A. Length of Agreement and Renewal** – This Agreement will become effective upon the execution of the date of the last signature by a responsible authority for the last signing institution and will remain in effect until three (3) years from the effective date.
- B. Non-renewal** – If the Agreement is not renewed, students who have selected and designated this program prior to termination of the Agreement will be given one (1) additional year to enroll in courses. However, the student must be admitted to SAU before the termination of the Agreement. Either OCC or SAU may terminate this Agreement at any time for any reason. Both OCC and SAU agree to provide written notice of at least 90 days in advance of termination.
- C. Review and Modification of the Agreement** – Each institution will notify the other of any contemplated curricular changes that would affect the future of this Agreement.
- D. Indemnification** - To the extent permitted by law, OCC and SAU agree to indemnify and hold one another harmless from any and all claims initiated by student participants, their parents, survivors, or agents, arising from any negligent acts or omission on the part of either institution or any of their employees.

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Oakland Community College and Spring Arbor University agree to the terms of this Agreement, which is effective the Date of the Last Signature to Three (3) Years from the Effective Date.

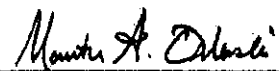
Signatures:

Oakland Community College




M. Cathey Maze, Ph.D.
Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

06/20/17
Date



Martin A. Orlowski, M.A.
Executive Director of Institutional Effectiveness

6/16/17
Date



Rosalind Woodson, DNP, MSN, MBA
Dean of Nursing and Health Professions

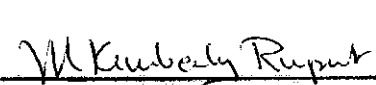
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Stephen M. Linden, M.B.A.
Registrar

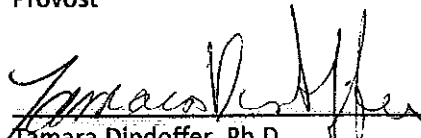
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Spring Arbor University



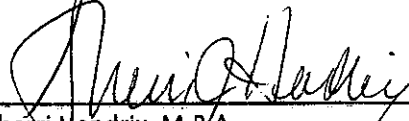
Kimberly Rupert, Ph.D.
Provost

12 July 2017
Date



Tamara Dindoffer, Ph.D.
Dean, School of Human Services

7-12-17
Date



Sherri Hendrix, M.B.A.
University Registrar

7/10/17
Date

Articulation Guide
Spring Arbor University - Master of Science in Nursing (MSN) Nurse Practitioner Track
Oakland Community College - Associate in Applied Science (Nursing)

Courses Taken at OCC for ADN Program

Major Requirements

NUR 1290	Pharmacology for Nurses	2
NUR 1410	Foundations of Nursing	7
NUR 1450	Clinical Skills	0.5
NUR 1460	Integrated Phys. Assessment I	0.5
NUR 1470	Integrated Phys. Assessment II	0.5
NUR 1510	Nursing of the Childbearing Fam.	4
NUR 1520	Nursing of Adults	4
NUR 1530	Nursing of Adults I	4
NUR 2510	Nursing of Children and Families	4
NUR 2520	Nursing of Adults II	4
NUR 2530	Nursing of Adults III	4
NUR 2540	Transition to Graduate Nurse Role	4.5
SUBTOTAL		39

SAU Program Admission Requirements:

- 1) Associate's Degree In Nursing
- 2) Students must possess an active RN license to enroll in the RN-MSN program.
- 3) 2.5 overall GPA from OCC
- 4) Writing sample

Required Supportive Courses

BIO 2630	Human Anatomy and Physiology I	4
BIO 2640	Human Anatomy and Physiology II	4
ENG 1510	Composition I	3
PSY 2510	Introduction to Psychology	3
SUBTOTAL		14

General Education

BIO 1570	Microbio. of Health and Disease <u>OR</u>	3 <u>OR</u>
BIO 2710	Microbiology	4
ENG 1520	Composition II	3
Any two Fine Arts/Humanities from the General Education Dist. list		6
~MAT 1525 or higher		4
HIGHEST POSSIBLE SUBTOTAL		17

~Required for SAU transfer. A lower math does not meet requirements.

Recommended electives for degree at SAU

**COM 1600	Fundamentals of Speech	3
*PER 1590	Phys. Well Being in Mod. Society	2
*POL 1510	American Government	3
HEA 1510	Nutrition	3
SOC 2510	Sociology	3
SUBTOTAL		14

TOTAL POSSIBLE TRANSFER CREDITS FROM OCC up to **84**

*Not required at OCC after Fall 2017.

**Waived if MTA is met.

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Spring Arbor University - Master of Science in Nursing (MSN) Nurse Practitioner Track
Oakland Community College - Associate in Applied Science (Nursing)

Credits at Spring Arbor University

Possible Transfer from OCC up to 84

Courses Taken at SAU

IDS 300	Biblical Perspectives	3
IDS 400	Values: Personal and Social	3
	Adult Development, Life Planning and Research	
IDS 318	Writing	3
NUR 321	Professionalism/Profess. Values	3
NUR 341	Patient Centered Care I	3
NUR 344	Clinical Prevention/Pop. Health	3
NUR 434	Quality Leadership	3
NUR 442	Patient Centered Care II	3
NUR 452	Evidence-Based Practice I	3
NUR 453	Evidence-Based Practice II	3
NUR 360	Information Mgmt/Pt Care Technologies	3
NUR 494	Senior Nursing Project	2
^NUR 510	Moral & Ethical Decision Making	3
^NUR 522	Theory for Advanced Practice	3
TOTAL BSN CREDIT HOURS		41

Note: A BSN degree is awarded following NUR 522

M.S. in Nursing - Nurse Practitioner Track

NUR 532	Role Development & Leadership	3
NUR 551	Applied Research Methods	3
NUR 612	Advanced Pathophysiology	3
NUR 618	Advanced Pharmacology	3
NUR 602	Advanced History & Physical Exam	
	Residency	3
NUR 680	Clinical Practicum I	2
NUR 632	Health Promotion & Disease Prev	3
NUR 685	Adv Practice in Primary Care I	3
NUR 680	Clinical Practicum II	2
NUR 686	Adv Practice in Primary Care II	3
NUR 693	Population Health	3
NUR 680	Clinical Practicum III	2
NUR 683	Health Policy	3
NUR 642	Chron Dis & Complex Problems in Adults	3
NUR 680	Clinical Practicum IV	2
NUR 681	Capstone Project	3
TOTAL MSN CREDIT HOURS		44
	Plus 6 overlap credit hours from BSN	50

^Overlapping requirement with MSN degree program

Total Possible Transfer Credits from OCC up to 84

Total Credits taken at SAU 85

Total Possible Credit Hours for RN-MSN 169

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Oakland Community College - Associate in Applied Science (Nursing)

Courses Taken at OCC for ADN Program

Major Requirements

NUR 1290	Pharmacology for Nurses	2
NUR 1410	Foundations of Nursing	7
NUR 1450	Clinical Skills	0.5
NUR 1460	Integrated Phys. Assessment I	0.5
NUR 1470	Integrated Phys. Assessment II	0.5
NUR 1510	Nursing of the Childbearing Fam.	4
NUR 1520	Nursing of Adults	4
NUR 1530	Nursing of Adults I	4
NUR 2510	Nursing of Children and Families	4
NUR 2520	Nursing of Adults II	4
NUR 2530	Nursing of Adults III	4
NUR 2540	Transition to Graduate Nurse Role	4.5
SUBTOTAL		39

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Credits at Spring Arbor University
 Possible Transfer from OCC up to 84

Courses Taken at SAU

IDS 300	Biblical Perspectives	3
IDS 400	Values: Personal and Social	3
IDS 318	Adult Development, Life Planning and Research Writing	3
NUR 321	Professionalism/Profess. Values	3
NUR 341	Patient Centered Care I	3
NUR 344	Clinical Prevention/Pop. Health	3
NUR 434	Quality Leadership	3
NUR 442	Patient Centered Care II	3
NUR 452	Evidence-Based Practice I	3
NUR 453	Evidence-Based Practice II	3
NUR 360	Information Mgmt/Pt Care Technologies	3
NUR 494	Senior Nursing Project	2
^NUR 510	Moral & Ethical Decision Making	3
^NUR 522	Theory for Advanced Practice	3
TOTAL BSN CREDIT HOURS		41

Note: A BSN degree is awarded following NUR 522

^Overlapping requirement with MSN degree program

M.S. in Nursing - Family Nurse Practitioner Track

NUR 532	Role Development & Leadership	3
NUR 551	Applied Research Methods	3
NUR 612	Advanced Pathophysiology	3
NUR 618	Advanced Pharmacology	3
NUR 602	Advanced History & Physical Exam Residency	3
NUR 680	Clinical Practicum I	2
NUR 633	Health Promotion (Lifespan)	3
NUR 685	Adv Practice in Primary Care I	3
NUR 680	Clinical Practicum II	2
NUR 686	Adv Practice in Primary Care II	3
NUR 693	Population Health	3
NUR 680	Clinical Practicum III	2
NUR 683	Health Policy	3
NUR 645	Fam Systems & Childbearing Fam	3
NUR 680	Clinical Practicum IV	2
NUR 687	Adv Practice in Primary Care III	3
NUR 680	Clinical Practicum V	2
NUR 681	Capstone Project	3
TOTAL MSN CREDIT HOURS		49
Plus 6 overlap credit hours from BSN		55

Total Possible Transfer Credits from OCC up to 84
Total Credits taken at SAU 90
Total Possible Credit Hours for RN-MSN 174

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NUR 344	Clinical Prevention/Pop. Health	3
NUR 434	Quality Leadership	3
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NUR 453	Evidence-Based Practice II	3
NUR 360	Information Mgmt/Pt Care Technologies	3
NUR 494	Senior Nursing Project	2
^NUR 510	Moral & Ethical Decision Making	3
^NUR 522	Theory for Advanced Practice	3
TOTAL BSN CREDIT HOURS		41

Note: A BSN degree is awarded following NUR 522

M.S. in Nursing - Education Track

NUR 532	Role Development & Leadership	3
NUR 551	Applied Research Methods	3
NUR 612	Advanced Pathophysiology	3
NUR 690	Capstone Project I	1
NUR 618	Advanced Pharmacology	3
NUR 602	Advanced History & Physical Exam Residency	3
NUR 690	Capstone Project II	1
NUR 693	Population Health	3
NUR 683	Health Policy	3
NUR 625	Ed Theory & Curriculum Design	3
NUR 635	Instructional Strategies	3
NUR 690	Capstone Project III	1
NUR 650	Ed Practicum for Adult Learners	3
TOTAL MSN CREDIT HOURS		33
Plus 6 overlap credit hours from BSN		39

Total Possible Transfer Credits from OCC up to 84

Total Credits taken at SAU 74

Total Possible Credit Hours for RN-MSN 158

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Recommended electives for degree at SAU

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*PER 1590	Phys. Well Being in Mod. Society	2
*POL 1510	American Government	3
SUBTOTAL		8

TOTAL POSSIBLE TRANSFER CREDITS FROM OCC **78**

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^ Needed to meet MTA requirements

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Courses Taken at SAU

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NUR 360	Information Mgmt/Pt Care Technologies	3
NUR 494	Senior Nursing Project	2
^NUR 510	Moral & Ethical Decision Making	3
^NUR 522	Theory for Advanced Practice	3
TOTAL BSN CREDIT HOURS		41

Note: A BSN degree is awarded following NUR 522

^Overlapping requirement with MSN degree program

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NUR 532	Role Development & Leadership	3
NUR 551	Applied Research Methods	3
NUR 612	Advanced Pathophysiology	3
NUR 618	Advanced Pharmacology	3
NUR 602	Advanced History & Physical Exam Residency	3
NUR 693	Population Health	3
NUR 683	Health Policy	3
MBA 617	Leadership in Business	4
MBA 622	Statistics for Business Managers	4
MBA 607	Internatl Business with NYC trip	4
MBA 661	Marketing for Managers	4
MBA 631	Accounting for Managers	4
	Concentration Course 1	4
	Concentration Course 2	4
	Concentration Course 3	4
MBA 688	MBA Capstone Study	4
TOTAL MSN CREDIT HOURS		57
Plus 6 overlap credit hours from BSN		63

Total Possible Transfer Credits from OCC	up to	84
Total Credits taken at SAU		98
Total Possible Credit Hours for RN-MSN		182

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