

Articulation Agreement between

York County Community College

And

Northeastern University College of Professional Studies

This articulation agreement (this "Agreement") dated December 5, 2016, is between YORK COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE, an educational corporation formed under the laws of the State of Maine with its principal office located at 112 College Drive, Wells, Maine (hereafter referred to as "YCCC"), and NORTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY on behalf of the COLLEGE OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES, a non-profit corporation organized under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts with its principal office at 360 Huntington Avenue, Boston, MA (hereafter referred to as "CPS").

It is agreed by and between YCCC and CPS for the mutual consideration and covenants herein contained as follows:

- This Agreement states and memorializes opportunities YCCC students may have to transfer credits and experiences earned at YCCC into existing CPS degree programs. This Agreement neither creates new programs nor modifies the terms and conditions of existing programs at YCCC and/or CPS.
- 2. YCCC students who successfully complete their degree programs at YCCC are eligible for admission into CPS baccalaureate degree program, subject to and in accordance with the limitations and procedures set forth in the Agreement and Appendix A, attached hereto and incorporated herein. All reference to standards will be those published in the respective current catalog of each institution and other applicable materials published by each institution.
- 3. YCCC graduates who successfully complete an YCCC associate degree program with a minimum overall grade point average of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale are eligible for admission to CPS to pursue a baccalaureate degree. CPS retains the right to make the final decision on each student's application.
- 4. Upon acceptance into a CPS baccalaureate degree program, YCCC graduates are subject to all requirements and other published standards issued by CPS, as may be amended from time to time in the sole discretion of CPS.

- 5. YCCC graduates who complete a CPS baccalaureate degree with a minimum overall grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale as part of this Agreement are eligible for admission into a CPS graduate degree and certificate program. CPS retains the right to make the final decision on each student's application.
- 6. As a Servicemembers Opportunity Colleges (SOC) member, CPS agrees to award up to 75% of transfer credits toward a baccalaureate degree and 70% toward a master's degree for active servicemembers.
- 7. The Admissions Offices, Transfer Staff, or other appropriate offices or designees of both institutions agree that they will communicate at the beginning of each fall term to discuss recruiting, entrance requirements, and any other concerns that either may have about the affiliation. Other communications between them may be scheduled as needs arise. Each party agrees that it will communicate as soon as possible to the other party of any changes to its programs that will impact the Agreement. Each institution shall provide the other with advance copies of any written materials that it publishes to describe the terms of this Agreement.

8. YCCC and CPS shall:

- a. Design a focused marketing and recruitment plan that may include in-person (at YCCC campuses) events, virtual events, collateral, and relevant communication.
- b. Not provide materials or information or make any promotion or other communication about the affiliation relevant to the other party to any person except as otherwise provided herein.
- c. Not use the logo of the other party ("Northeastern University," "College of Professional Studies," or the "Lowell Institute School" or "York County Community College") on any advertising, marketing, promotional or fundraising materials except for the sole purpose of promoting and communicating about the opportunities afforded to students pursuant to this affiliation; provided, however, either party may request the immediate cessation of any communications or promotional activity of the other to which it objects, and the other party shall promptly comply with such request.
- 9. YCCC shall permit CPS to obtain written verification, if necessary, from YCCC of an applicant's eligibility for course credit transfer under this Agreement.
- 10. This Agreement shall continue until terminated by either party. Either institution may terminate this Agreement, with or without cause, provided that the terminating institution has given the other institution written notice at least 90 days prior to the effective date of such termination and further provided that no such termination shall adversely affect any student attending or accepted by CPS by virtue of the terms of this Agreement. In the event that the said Agreement is not terminated, it will automatically be extended year by year.
- 11. The parties agree that this Agreement embodies all of the agreements made by and between then supersedes any prior agreements and the understanding with regards to the acceptance of YCCC students into CPS and that any modifications or amendments thereof must be in writing executed by both parties in order to be effective. The Agreement is being executed within the

Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the parties agree that this Agreement shall be interpreted under the laws of said Commonwealth.

12. All notices or other communications made or given hereunder shall be in writing and shall be deemed made or given upon receipt, or three business days after deposits in the U.S. Mail, in an envelope, postage prepaid, registered or certified mail, and addressed as follows:

If to YCCC:

President York County Community College 112 College Drive Wells, ME 04090

If to CPS: Interim Dean Northeastern University College of Professional Studies 40 BV 360 Huntington Avenue

TITLE: Vice President/Academic Dean

Boston, MA 02115

With copy to:

Transfer Affairs York County Community College 112 College Drive Wells, ME 04090

With copy to:
Office of General Counsel
Northeastern University
378 Columbus Place
Boston, MA 02115

EXECUTED AS OF THE DAY AND YEAR FIRST ABOVE WRITTEN.

YORK COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE BY: Barber Farcer	NORTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES BY:
PRINT: Barbara Finkelstein, Ph.D.	PRINT: Mary Loeffelholz, Ph.D.
TITLE: President	TITLE: Interim Dean
DATE: /2/28/16/	DATE: 12-22-16
BY: Out	
PRINT: Paula Gagnon	

Appendix A

Additional Terms and Conditions of the Articulation Agreement:

- 1. To be considered for the College of Professional Studies, York County Community College students must:
 - a. Successfully complete the associate degree at York County Community College with a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.5. To gain admission to a CPS graduate degree program under this Agreement, students must graduate with a CPS baccalaureate degree with a minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.0.
 - b. Submit a completed online application and required supporting credentials to the College of Professional Studies by the posted term entry deadline.
 - c. At its discretion, CPS will evaluate courses with a grade of C or better for transfer credit toward the baccalaureate degree. Courses designated as remedial or developmental are non-transferable. Science and technology courses completed more than seven years prior to the application date may be considered for transfer at the discretion of the CPS program director.
- 2. The College of Professional Studies reserves the right to rescind an offer of acceptance if student is no longer considered in good academic standing or disciplinary sanctions occur between the times of acceptance to matriculation.



Transfer Articulation Guide

York County Community College A.S. Health Studies to Northeastern University College of Professional Studies BS Health Science

York County Community College AS in Health Studies Courses		Northeastern University College of Professional Studies BS in Health Science Equivalencies			
First Year, Fall Semest	er (16 credits)				
ALH 101	Dynamics of Health Care	3	HMG 1100	Foundations of Healthcare Management	3
ENG 101	College Composition	3	ENG 1105 + ENG 1106	College Writing 1 + Lab	3
Core IV Mathematics Take MAT 127	College Algebra	3	MTH 1100	College Algebra	3
General Education Core IV Lab Science Take BIO 106 & BIO 107	Conoral Biology Lyv/Lob	4	BIO 1100 & BIO 1101	Dringinles of Biology 1 w/l ob	4
CIS 115 or CIS 118 Take CIS 115	General Biology I w/Lab Software Applications	3	ITC 1000	Principles of Biology 1 w/Lab Computer Applications	3
First Year, Spring Sem					
MAS 105	Medical Terminology	3	HMG 1990	HMG Elective	3
PSY 101	Introduction to Psychology	3	PSY 1100	Introduction to Psychology	3
PHI 102 or MAS 120 Take PHI 102	Ethics and Contemporary Society	3	PHL 1990	PHL Elective (Waive PHL 2130)	3
General Education Core IV Lab Science Take BIO 116 & 117	General Biology II w/Lab	4	BIO 1200 & BIO 1201	Principles of Biology 2 w/Lab	4
General Education, Core I					
Take ENG 212	Business Communication	3	CMN 1100	Organizational Communication	3
Second Year, Fall Sem		2	UNAC 2110	Health Law and Degulation	
MAS 120 General Education, Core II	Medical Law and Ethics	3	HMG 2110	Health Law and Regulation	3
Take ART 136	Digital Photography	3	ART 1200	Digital Photography	3

General Education					
Core IV Take CHM			CHM 1100 &		
106 & CHM 107	General Chemistry I w/Lab	4	CHM 1101	General Chemistry 1 w/Lab	4
Program Electives					
Take BIO 126 & BIO	Human Anatomy and		BIO 1600 &	Human Anatomy and	
127	Physiology I w/Lab	4	BIO 1601	Physiology 1 w/Lab	4
Second Year, Spring Se	emester (14 credits)				
PSY 210 or SOC 232	Psychology Across the			Development across the	
Take PSY 210	Lifespan	3	PSY 3230	Lifespan	3
Program Electives					
Take CHM 116 &			CHM 1200 &		
CHM 117	General Chemistry II w/Lab	4	CHM 1201	General Chemistry 2 w/Lab	4
Program Electives					
Take BIO 136 & BIO	Human Anatomy and		BIO 1700 &	Human Anatomy and	
137	Physiology II w/Lab	4	BIO 1701	Physiology 2 w/Lab	4
Open Elective				(SI Core: Understanding	
See Note Below		3		Societies & Institutions)	3

Open Elective Course Options

				Introduction to Cultural	
ANT 102	Cultural Anthropology	3	ANT 1150	Anthropology	3
ECO 110	Macroeconomics	3	ECN 1200	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
				American History 1: Precontact	
HIS 110	United States History to 1877	3	HST 1200	to the Civil War	3
	United States History 1877 to			American History 2:	i i
HIS 120	the Present	3	HST 1250	Reconstruction to the Present	3
SOC 101	Introduction to Sociology	3	SOC 1100	Introduction to Sociology	3

BS in Health Science Courses to be taken at CPS

General Fou	ndation		Prerequisite	
ENG 1107	College Writing 2	3		
ENG 1108	Lab for ENG 1107	1	ENG 1105 + ENG 1106	
ENG 3107	Writing for the Professions–Business & SS	3		
ENG 3108	Writing for the Professions Lab–Business & SS	1	ENG 1107 + ENG 1108	
	General Foundation Total	8		
Health Scien	ce Foundation			
MTH 2310	Statistics for the Behavioral and Social Sciences	3	MTH 1100 or higher	
	Health Science Foundation Total	3		
Major				
HSC 3300	Epidemiology	3	MTH 2300, MTH 2310, or MTH 3300	
HSC 4850	Project in Health Science	3	HSC 3300	
	Major Total	6		
Professional	Elective			
Complete 9 semester credits from MGT, MKT, PSY, HMG, HSC, or HRM				
	Professional Elective Total	9		
	Open Elective Total	34*		
	Credits to be taken at CPS	60		
	Total Credits required for CPS BS Health Science	120		

^{*} Students may choose to complete one or two of the following $\underline{\text{minors}}$ while satisfying their Open Electives:

1)	American Politics	8) History
2)	Biology	9) Information Technology
3)	Business	10) International Relations
4)	Creative Writing	11) Organizational Communication
5)	Environmental Science	12) Psychology
6)	Graphic Communication	13) Sociology
7)	Healthcare Management	14) Technical Communication

For more information about minors, please visit: http://www.cps.neu.edu/degree-programs/undergraduate/bachelors-degrees/bachelors-minors.php.