

University of Massachusetts Lowell
School of Health and Environment
Department of Nursing

Nursing Articulation Agreement
with

Bunker Hill Community College
Department of Nursing Education

2006

The Department of Nursing and the School of Health and Environment are committed to encouraging Registered Nurses to return for further study leading to a baccalaureate degree with a major in nursing. Registered Nurses who earned an Associate Degree with a major in nursing from Bunker Hill Community College beginning with the Class of 2001 and subsequent classes and who meet the admission requirements of 2.7 overall GPA, 2.7 nursing GPA and 2.7 science GPA can apply for day school admission into the baccalaureate program in nursing at the University of Massachusetts Lowell as transfer students under this articulation agreement. Transfer credits designated in this agreement include 30 nursing credits and 36 credits of required and elective courses for a total of 66 credits.

The Faculty of the Department of Nursing, School of Health and Environment, University of Massachusetts Lowell have carefully reviewed the curriculum of the Nursing Program of Bunker Hill Community College. A thorough review of the nursing course content reveals that there is a match of subject matter and clinical experiences for 30 nursing credits.

Nursing Courses 30 credits

The faculty of the University have previously determined that the following courses (for a total of 36 credits) are equivalent to those offered at University of Massachusetts Lowell. Therefore, these courses are also accepted as part of the transfer agreement providing the student earns a C or better in each of these courses.

ENG111	College Writing I	3 credits
ENG112	College Writing II	3 credits
PSY101	Principles of Psychology	3 credits
PSY113	Human Growth and Development	3 credits
SOC101	Principles of Sociology	3 credits
BIO203	Anatomy and Physiology I with lab	4 credits
BIO204	Anatomy and Physiology II with lab	4 credits
BIO205	Microbiology with lab	4 credits
	Humanities or Free Electives	9 credits


The University of Massachusetts Lowell accepts a maximum of 66 credits for transfer from a Massachusetts Community College Associate Degree graduate. Students are also allowed to challenge additional (non nursing) credits through Departmental exams or through the CLEP process once admitted to the University of Massachusetts Lowell.

RN student practicum placements will be individualized. A photocopy of current nursing license, current CPR certification, and insurance must be submitted to the department and a record of continuous coverage for all documents must be provided according to expiration dates.

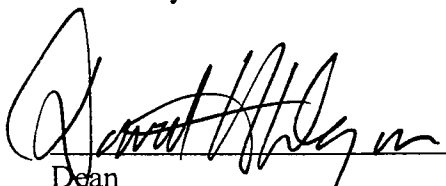
All students graduating with a Bachelor of Science degree with a major in nursing must present 120 earned credits and meet all the requirements of the Nursing Curriculum. The Registered Nurse student will need to fulfill all other curriculum requirements as stated on the attached Course of Study form.

This agreement will be considered void in the event that the participating program is no longer accredited by the National League for Nursing Accrediting Commission.

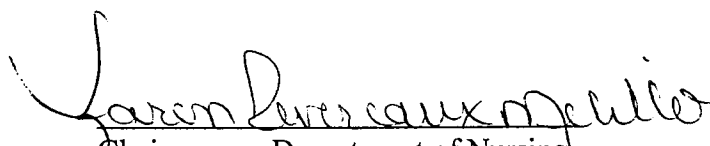
Date articulation agreement becomes effective: September 1, 2006


Chancellor
University of Massachusetts Lowell

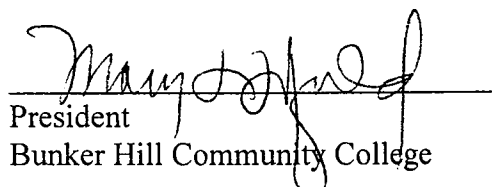
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School of Health and Environment
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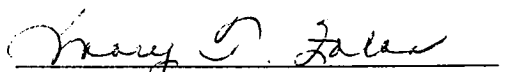
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Chairperson, Department of Nursing
University of Massachusetts Lowell

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President
Bunker Hill Community College

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Chair, Nursing Education Department
Bunker Hill Community College

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Date

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BHCC	UML	Chair's Initials
ENG111 College Writing I	42.101 3 credits	_____
ENG112 College Writing II	42.102 3 credits	_____
PSY101 Principles of Psychology	47.101 3 credits	_____
PSY113 Human Growth and Development	47.260 3 credits	_____
SOC101 Principles of Sociology	48.101 3 credits	_____
BIO203 Anatomy and Physiology I with lab	35.101/103 4 credits	_____
BIO204 Anatomy and Physiology II with lab	35.102/104 4 credits	_____
BIO205 Microbiology with lab	35.211/213 4 credits	_____
_____ Humanities Elective	_____ 3 credits	_____
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_____ Humanities or Free Elective	_____ 3 credits	_____
	Subtotal	36 credits

		33.310	
		33.311	
NU101 Health Assessment and Basic Skills/Lab	}	33.312	
NU111 Nursing I		33.314	
NU112 Nursing II		33.315	
NU211 Nursing III		33.316	
NU212 Nursing IV		33.318	
NU231 Nursing Seminar		33.319	
			33.410
		33.411	
		Nursing	30 credits
		Total	66 credits