Nursing – Articulation Agreement

Maria College and Adirondack Community College

The purposes of this agreement are as follows:
1. To facilitate the effective transition of transfer of qualified students holding the Associates in Science degree in Nursing from Adirondack Community College to Maria College.
2. To foster continuous communication between the respective departments to provide accurate and timely advisement for interested students.

Terms of the agreement:
Maria College agrees to accept qualified students who have earned an Associates in Science degree in Nursing from Adirondack Community College who have their RN license to Maria College with full junior standing when transferring to the RN-BS program at Maria College.

Maria College agrees to accept 60 academic credits toward the Baccalaureate degree from Adirondack Community College. An individual transfer credit evaluation will be provided by the Maria College Admissions Office to determine whether the Adirondack Community College graduate has met the 30-credit hour Liberal Arts requirement associate degree and holds a current registered nurse license.

Maria College agrees to accept and transfer 60 credit hours to fulfill the first two years (freshman and sophomore) of college. However, in accordance with general college policy, additional transfer credit will be allowed up to 12 credit hours if these credits can be identified as equivalent to the required courses in the RN-BS Program.

Maria College will accept graduates from Adirondack Community College who meet the following admissions requirements:

> 3 Credits of English Composition
> 3 Credits of Developmental/Life Span Psychology
> 8 Credits Anatomy and Physiology
> 4 Credits Microbiology
> 12 Credits Liberal Arts Electives

- Current RN license with the United States or U.S. territory and professional liability coverage or have met the RN licensure requirement within 6 months of the completion of the two-year associates degree in nursing.
- Ability to meet both college and clinical agency health requirements.
- Two favorable references which address professional and/or academic ability (e.g., nursing faculty member, nursing supervisor)
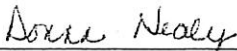
- A cumulative grade point average (GPA) of at least 2.5.
- Typewritten autobiographical statement which includes educational and career goals.
- Completion of an interview with nursing faculty representative.
- Have appropriate health clearance requirements on file in the Nursing Program office prior to clinical facilities visits.
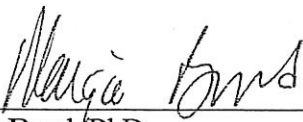
SIGNATURES

Linda Millenbach
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Maria College Articulation with Adirondack Community College

Years 1 and 2

Maria College Equivalents		Cr.	ACC courses	Cr.
Eng 111	English Composition 1	3	College Composition	3
AnP 105/7	Anatomy & Physiology 1 & lab	4	Anatomy & Physiology 1	4
AnP 106/8	Anatomy & Physiology 2 & lab	4	Anatomy & Physiology 2	4
Mic 203	Microbiology	4	Microbiology	4
Psy 200	Developmental Psychology	3	Developmental Psychology	3
			Psychology	3
	Liberal Arts	12	English Elective	3
			Freshman Experience	3
			Sociology	3
			Nursing 100	
			Nursing 101	
	Nursing courses	30	Nursing 102	30
			Nursing 103	
			Nursing 104	
			Nursing 200	
			Nursing 201	
			Nursing 202	
	TOTAL	60	TOTAL	60

Years 3 & 4

Maria College courses		Cr.	ACC courses	Cr.
Mat200	Statistics	3		
NUR300	Evidence-based Practice	3		
Nur301	Nursing Theory	3		
Eng 300	Advanced Composition	3		
CSC100	Introduction to Computers	3		
Soc300	Medical Sociology	3		
Nur360	Health Assess &Diagnostic	3		
Nur380	Community Health Nursing	3		
Nur308	Healthcare Informatics	3		
Sci300	Human phys and Pharm	3		
Nur400	Care of Older Adults	3		
Sci400	Epidemiology	3		
Sci440	Leadership in Nursing	3		
Soc400	Seminar of aging	3		
Phi300	Health Care Ethics	3		
Soc320	Alt/Compliment therapies	3		
Nur480	Specialty and Synthesis	6		
Nur460	Research Methods	3		
Psy300	Organizational Psychology	3		
	TOTAL	60		