### Purdue University Northwest-Hammond and Wisconsin Technical College System

## **Articulation for Associate Degree in Nursing to Online RN - BSN**

Updated 4/29/2016

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Science Requirements: (17 credit hours)	
BIOL 21300 (4 cr.) Human Anatomy and Physiology I	General Anatomy and Physiology (4 cr.)
BIOL 21400 (4 cr.) Human Anatomy and Physiology II	Advanced Anatomy and Physiology (4 cr.)
BIOL 22100 (4 cr.) Introduction to Microbiology	Microbiology (4 cr.)
CHEM 11900 (3 cr.) General Chemistry	Nursing Skills (3 cr.)
NUR 29400 (2 cr.) Essential Pharmacotherapeutics for Nursing	Nursing Pharmacology (2 cr.)
Humanities/Social Sciences (12 Credit Hours)	
ENGL 10400 (3 cr.) English Composition	English Composition 1 (3 cr.)
PSY 12000 (3 cr.) Introduction to Psychology	Introduction to Psychology (3 cr.)
Growth & Dev, Soc., Child Psych, Nutrition, other	Six credit hours from the following:
psych, social science (6 cr.)	Developmental Psychology (3 cr.)
	Introduction to Sociology (3 cr.)
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Open elective (3 cr.)	Any college level course (3 cr.)
Nursing Courses: (30 credit hours)	
30 credits of lower division nursing (ADN)	Lower division NUR from ADN (30 cr.)

#### Transfer Equivalency of Non-nursing requirements for Baccalaureate Program

SOC 38200 – Intro to Statistics in Sociology or any intro stats class such as STATS 30100 (3 credit hours)	(3 cr.)
ENGL 10500 – English Composition 2 (3 credit hours)	English Composition 2 (3 cr.)
COM – Communication Elective (3 credit hours)	Speech (3 cr.)
Humanities Elective (6 credit hours)	
Open Elective (9 credit hours)	Any college level course (9 cr.)

- Courses may come into Purdue as undistributed credit (UND). We may accept these courses and count them toward a students' major ie., BIOL UND.
- Highlighted courses are a part of the student's curriculum based on 2015-2016 CCC catalog

# TRANSFER AGREEMENT Between Purdue University Northwest-Hammond And Wisconsin Technical College System

For Transfer of Wisconsin Technical College System's Associate Degree in Nursing (ADN) to Purdue University Northwest-Hammond, Professional Nursing Pathways Online Bachelor of Science in Nursing Degree Program.

#### **Statement of Purpose**

The purpose of this transfer agreement is to provide a basis for a cooperative relationship between Purdue University Northwest-Hammond (PNW-H) and Wisconsin Technical College System (WTCS) colleges to benefit students who desire to complete a bachelor's degree. The intent is for WTCS students completing the Associate Degree in Nursing (ADN) plan to move seamlessly to the Bachelor of Science degree plan.

#### **Transfer Agreement**

Graduates from 2016 onward of Wisconsin Technical College System colleges with an Associate Degree in Nursing (ADN) from may transfer and apply at least 62 credits from that completed degree to requirements for Purdue University Northwest-Hammond, Professional Nursing Pathways Online Bachelor of Science in Nursing Degree Program.

Addendum One: Wisconsin Technical College System Curriculum Associate Degree in Nursing (ADN) Course Requirements

Addendum Two: Course Requirements for Transfer
Wisconsin Technical College System and Purdue University Northwest-Hammond Online Course Requirements for Transfer

Additionally, under the terms of this agreement:

Wisconsin Technical College System colleges agree to the following:

- 1. Identify an individual to serve as the Professional Pathways Program Coordinator for WTCS colleges.
- 2. Assist students to submit official transcripts to Purdue University Northwest-Hammond admissions team within 10 working days after the applicant has completed his or her second semester. Assist students to submit official transcripts with final grade information, degree conferred and conferral date for *Purdue University Northwest-Hammond Professional Nursing Pathways Program* applicants within 10 working days following the end of the student's final semester of study

- 3. Notify Purdue University Northwest-Hammond if there are any changes in the Wisconsin Technical College System degree plan that impacts the students' qualifications to enter Purdue University Northwest.
- 4. The Professional Nursing Pathways Program Coordinator will work with a Purdue University Northwest-Hammond representative to ensure Wisconsin Technical College System students and alumni access to the program. Activities include but are not limited to the following:
  - a. Announce the Partnership to students and post information on the program on the WTCS college nursing website.
  - b. Post *Purdue University Northwest-Hammond Professional Nursing Pathways Program* posters in the college. Assist PNW-H in supporting students enrolled in the Professional Nursing Pathways Program who have given WTCS college consent to provide information to PNWCON.
- 5. Local directors of WTCS ADN nursing programs will:

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- a. Assist with communicating information on the Pathways Program to ADN alumni.
- b. Post *Purdue University Northwest-Hammond Professional Nursing Pathways Program* posters in the nursing department.

Purdue University Northwest-Hammond agrees to the following:

- 1. Provide the Purdue University Northwest-Hammond RN to BSN degree program with multiple start dates per year.
- 2. Provide Wisconsin Technical College System colleges with a degree plan including all recommended general education courses that should be completed in addition to the ADN nursing curriculum in order to enter into Purdue University Northwest-Hammond's online RN to BSN program.
- 3. Notify Wisconsin Technical College System colleges if there are any changes in the degree plan or admissions criteria that impact students' qualifications to enter Purdue University Northwest-Hammond.
- 4. Provide graphics, templates, posters and other materials in order to assist Wisconsin Technical College System colleges with informing nursing and alumni of this program.
- 5. Provide a detailed, step-by-step student instruction sheet.
- 6. The initial term of the agreement shall be until September 1, 2018, and will automatically renew in one-year increments thereafter. If either party desires to cancel the agreement, they may do so at any time via 180 day written notification to the partner party below signed.

- 7. In the event that a Wisconsin Technical College System college terminates the Partnership, the Wisconsin Technical College System college agrees to assist students to send all transcripts as enumerated in Section 3 above for those who applied to the *Purdue University Northwest-Hammond Professional Nursing Pathways Program* prior to termination.
- 8. Wisconsin Technical College System students are eligible for admission with junior standing to Purdue University Northwest-Hammond provided:
  - a. The student completes an online application for admission to Purdue University Northwest-Hammond.
  - b. A course grade of "C" or better must be earned to be accepted for transfer.
  - c. The student has a 2.5 or higher grade point average on a 4 point scale.
- 9. As WTCS graduates complete the 120 credit hour requirement for the award of the Bachelor of Science degree in Nursing, they must meet the graduation requirements as approved by Purdue University Northwest-Hammond at the time of the student's admission to the Purdue University Northwest-Hammond Bachelor of Science in Nursing program.
- 10. Written notice of intention to terminate, modify, or withdraw from this Articulation Agreement will be submitted by the academic head of either institution at least 180 days prior to the proposed date of termination/withdrawal. Should a decision be made to modify or dissolve this agreement, students who are already attending Purdue University Northwest-Hammond at the time will be permitted to continue as long as their academic performance remains in good standing.
- 11. Recognizing that changes in curricula and course content are inevitable, each institution agrees to discuss with the other institution all curriculum changes affecting this agreement before the changes are implemented.
- 12. A review of this agreement and the resulting programs will take place every three years by the representatives from both institutions.

Agreed to: Purdue University Northwest-Hammond	
Ralph O. Mueller PhD	
Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs/Provost	
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