

## Delta College (Delta)

### Articulation Agreement & Transfer Guide

This program is designed for graduates of associate degrees in numerous allied health disciplines where there is no discipline specific bachelor degree available. This degree allows two-year health degree students the opportunity to advance in their chosen health profession or continue into a graduate program. The curriculum has been designed to allow students to pursue different avenues during their degree completion: a certificate in gerontology; exposure to health care management; specialization in health care finance; or a specialization in personnel practices in health care.

#### General Admission Criteria

To be admitted to this degree, students must have completed 30 semester credit hours with a 2.5 overall GPA ("C" or better on 4.0 scale) in a professional/clinical Associate degree from an accredited college or university. Official transcripts from all accredited colleges/universities must be submitted with the Ferris application. Financial aid is available and may include concurrent enrollment at both institutions.

#### Course requirements that can be completed at Delta

| Delta Course                        | Ferris Equivalency      | Delta Course Title   | Delta Credit Hours |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|--|--------------------|
| COM 112 or<br>COMM 114              | COMM 121 or<br>COMM 105 | Fundamentals of Oral Communication or<br>Interpersonal Communication   | 3                  |
| ENG 111                             | ENGL 150                | College Composition I  | 3                  |
| ENG 112 or<br>ENG 211               | ENGL 250                | College Composition II or<br>Advanced Composition  | 3                  |
| Delta College                       | VARIES                  | Lab Science Course   | 4                  |
| Delta College                       | VARIES                  | Science Course   | 4                  |
| MTH 118 or<br>MTH 119 or<br>MTH 122 | MATH 115                | Mathematical Exploration or<br>Intermediate Algebra or<br>College Algebra  | 4                  |
| Delta College                       | VARIES                  | Cultural Enrichment Electives  | 3                  |
| Delta College                       | VARIES                  | FSU General Education - Upper Level Culture Electives -<br>Choose from two of the following:<br>ART 255 or LIT 251 or LIT 252  | 6                  |
| Delta College                       | VARIES                  | FSU General Education – Self and Society Elective  | 3                  |
| Delta College                       | VARIES                  | FSU General Education - Upper Level Self and Society Electives - Choose from two<br>of the following: POL 212 or POL 221 or POL 225 or POL 228 or PSY 223 or PSY<br>225 or PSY 231 or SOC 215 (must come from 2 departments) | 6                  |
| Delta College                       | VARIES                  | Professional Degree Courses  | 50                 |
| <b>Total Delta Credits</b>          |                         |  | <b>89</b>          |

**FSU General Education Requirements** can be found at: [Ferris General Education Requirements](#). Students are encouraged to work with an advisor to select appropriate general education courses.

#### Course requirements that will need to be completed at Ferris State University

| Ferris Course                            | Ferris Course Title  | Ferris Credit Hours |
|--|--|---------------------|
| ENGL 321                                 | Advanced Composition   | 3                   |
| COHP 350                                 | Statistics for Health Care   | 3                   |
| COHP 300                                 | Health Information Systems   | 3                   |
| COHP 471                                 | Trends in Health Care  | 3                   |
| COHP 499                                 | Capstone Project   | 3                   |
| FSU                                      | Choose 7 courses from the following for a total of 19 credits:<br><b>PHIL 320</b> Biomedical Ethics or <b>SOCY 340</b> Race and Ethnicity US or <b>HCSA 310</b> Health Care Finance<br>2 or <b>HCSA 326</b> Health Care Personnel Practice or <b>HCSA 336</b> Health Care Supervisory Practice or<br><b>HCSA 402</b> Health Care Law 2 or <b>HCSA 410</b> Health Care Finance 3 or <b>HCSA 460</b> Principles of Long<br>Term Care or <b>HCSA 475</b> Practice Mgmt in Health Care or <b>COHP 317</b> Public Health Administration or<br><b>COHP 351</b> Intro to Gerontology or <b>COHP 352</b> Health / Phys Aspects of Aging or <b>COHP 353</b> Health<br>Care for Older Adults or <b>COHP 354</b> Policies, Issues, Trends Aging | 19                  |
| <b>Total Ferris Credits</b>              |  | <b>34</b>           |
| <b>Total Credits Required for Degree</b> |  | <b>123</b>          |

## Program Offered at:

### Ferris Statewide – Great Lakes Bay Region

(989) 686-9256

FerrisGLBR@ferris.edu

www.ferris.edu/statewide

### Ferris Online

Toll Free at (800) 562-9130 or (231) 591-2340

ferrisonline@ferris.edu

### Main Campus, Big Rapids

#### College of Health Professions

(231) 591-2270 or AlliedHealth@ferris.edu

www.ferris.edu/transfer

### Advising Notes

It is recommended that potential applicants meet with an advisor to review the degree, course schedule, and have any questions answered prior to completing an application. Students who are completing the MTA may have different general education course requirements for the particular degree selected. Meeting with a Ferris advisor prior to the selection of general education or elective course work may reduce the chance of completing a course that will not apply toward the selected degree. Once admitted, students must continue to meet with an advisor as they work toward graduation. Students are encouraged to work with their Ferris Advisor for selection of any electives, to ensure transferability and to minimize credits taken.

### Transfer Student Orientation

All new students to Ferris State University are required to complete an orientation.

### Online Learning

Select courses are delivered online and/or in a mixed delivery format (i.e. a mix of online and face-to-face instruction at the Ferris Main Campus or at an off-campus location). The “Online Readiness Tutorial” is required for students who register for an online *course* or are completing an online *degree*. Students must demonstrate competency in Blackboard skills. This may be done by taking a tutorial and quiz, or, for students who have already taken and passed online courses, submitting a waiver request. Students should check with the department that offers the class to determine its particular needs and/or the Ferris advisor regarding registration for online course work.

### Reverse Transfer Agreement

The Community College and Ferris have entered into a partnership in order to work collaboratively and creatively to increase student completion of associate and bachelor degrees. The partners work together to provide a seamless transfer experience and increase student retention and completion at both the community college and Ferris.

### Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA)

Ferris participates in the Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA). This agreement will facilitate the transfer of general education requirements from one Michigan institution to another. Students may complete the MTA as part of a degree program or as a stand-alone package. The MTA consists of a minimum of 30 general education credit hours as identified by the college or university.

Students transferring to Ferris with the Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA) and entering a degree program will have met a 30-hour block of lower-level general education courses. However, this does not exempt students from completing program specific prerequisites or higher-level general education course requirements. Students should contact their advisor regarding classes that meet the MTA.

Students are encouraged to work with their Ferris advisor for selection of any electives, to ensure transferability and to minimize credits taken.

Note: It is preferred that students following MTA should take MTH 118 or MTH 122.

### Original Signed Articulation Agreement

The original, signed document is kept on file in the Office of Transfer and Secondary School Partnerships. To obtain a copy of the original, signed document, contact the Office of Transfer and Secondary School Partnerships at 231/591-5983 or email your request to [transfercenter@ferris.edu](mailto:transfercenter@ferris.edu).

This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which together shall be deemed to be one and the same agreement. A signed copy of this Agreement delivered by facsimile, e-mail, or other means of electronic transmission shall be deemed to have the same legal effect as delivery of an original signed copy of this Agreement.

### Indemnification

To the extent permitted by law, Ferris State University and the Community College 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.

### Articulation Agreement

#### Effective Dates: December 1, 2017 – December 1, 2020

This Agreement shall commence as of December 1, 2017 and shall be for an initial term of three years. Minor updates to the agreement may be made during this time. This agreement may be renewed at the end of three years. Either party may terminate this agreement by providing the other party with written notice of the intent to terminate the agreement. The agreement shall terminate not less than one hundred eighty (180) days from the date of the termination notice, unless otherwise agreed in writing by both parties.

### Signatures

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