

Delta College (DC)

Articulation Agreement & Transfer Guide

This program is designed for Associate Degree and Diploma RNs who want to further their education. Students will build upon their prior nursing education and be equipped with the theory-based knowledge and skills to work in many of the new expanding fields of Nursing. Students will be prepared to lead health-care teams, coordinate and plan nursing care for a variety of clients, collaborate with other health professionals, and make confident, independent decisions. Job opportunities are fast-growing and diverse. The BSN program also serves as the foundation for graduate nursing studies. The program is fully accredited by Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN).

General Admission Criteria

To be admitted to this degree, students must have an Associate Degree or Diploma in Nursing as well as their RN License. Students must have a C grade (2.0 on a 4.0 scale) or better in ENG 111 (ENGL 150 at Ferris), ENG 112 or ENG 211 (ENGL 250 at Ferris), MTH 099 (MATH 110 at Ferris), and 7-8 credits of science. A minimum 2.5 cumulative grade point average is required. 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 DC

DC Course	Ferris Equivalency	DC Course Title	DC Credit Hours
COM 112 or COM 114	COMM 121 or COMM 221	Fundamentals of Oral Comm. or Interpersonal Communication	3
ENG 111	ENGL 150	College Composition I	3
ENG 112 or ENG 211	ENGL 250	College Composition II or Advanced Composition	3
BIO 152 and BIO 153 or BIO 240 and BIO 241	BIOL 205	Anatomy & Physiology I and Anatomy & Physiology II or Human Anatomy and Physiology	8
BIO 203	BIOL 286	General Microbiology	4
MTH 118 or MTH 119 or MTH 122	MATH 117 or MATH 115	Mathematical Exploration or Intermediate Algebra or College Algebra	4
PSY 211	PSYC 150	General Psychology	4
SOC 211	SOCY 121	Principles of Sociology	3
Delta College	VARIABLES	Upper Level FSU General Education – Self and Society - Choose from one of the following: POL 212 or POL 221 or POL 225 or POL 228 or PSY 223 or PSY 225 or PSY 231 or PSY 241 or PSY 251 or SOC 215	3
PHL 215 or PHL 230	PHIL 220 or PHIL 320	Health Care Ethics (preferred) or Bioethics	3 or 2
Delta College	VARIABLES	Cultural Enrichment	3
Delta College	VARIABLES	Upper Level FSU General Education – Culture Elective - Choose from one of the following: ART 255 or ENG 251W or LIT 252W or ENG 271W or ENG 272W	3
Delta College	VARIABLES	Basic Nursing Courses (ADN or Diploma)	40
Delta College	VARIABLES	Elective	2-3
Total Delta College Credits			86

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 in Health Care	3
COHP 450	Evidence-based Health Care	3
NURS 320	RN to BSN Basic Skills Acquisition	3
NURS 324	Transition Profess Nursing	3
NURS 310	Population Based Health Prom	3
NURS 340	Community Nursing	3
NURS 440	Leadership in Nursing	3
FSU	Choose one from: Pathophysiology Nurse Practice (NURS 300), Gerontological Nursing (NURS 314), End of Life Nursing Care (NURS 315), Transcultural Nursing (NURS 316), Spirituality in Nursing (NURS 317), Disaster Nursing – Emergency Prepare (NURS 319), or Health Information Systems (COHP 300)	3
NURS 450	Nursing Capstone	3
NURS 495	Senior Capstone Leadership Practicum	4
Total Ferris Credits		34
Total Credits Required for Degree		120

This program is only available online.

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

Big Rapids Campus

College of Health Professions

(231) 591-2270 or CHP@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.

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Effective December 1, 2017 – December 1, 2020; CHP updated CAHS 300 to COHP 300 Spring 2018; MTH 097 updated to MTH 099 Spring 2019

Ferris State University is an equal opportunity institution. For information on the University's Policy on Non-Discrimination, visit ferris.edu/non-discrimination.

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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.

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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