

Schoolcraft College
 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

Schoolcraft College				Ferris State University		
Course	Ferris Equiv.	Schoolcraft College Course Title	Cr. Hrs.	Course	Ferris Course Title	Cr. Hrs.
COMA 103	COMM 121	Fundamentals/Speech	3	ENGL 321	Advanced Composition	3
or	or	or		CCHS 315	Epidemiology – Statistics	3
COMA 200	COMM 105	Interpersonal Communication		CAHS 300	Health Information Systems	3
or	or	or		CAHS 471	Trends in Health Care	3
COMA 205	COMM 251	Argumentation/Persuasion		CAHS 490	Capstone Project	3
ENG 101	ENGL 150	English Composition	3	FSU	Choose 7 courses from the following:	19
ENG 102	ENGL 250	English Composition	3	PHIL 320	Biomedical Ethics	
Schoolcraft	VARIABLES	FSU General Education - Lab Natural Sciences Course	4	SOCY 340	Race and Ethnicity US	
Schoolcraft	VARIABLES	FSU General Education - Natural Sciences Course	4	HCSA 310	Health Care Finance 2	
MATH 113	MATH 115	Intermediate Algebra	4	HCSA 326	Health Care Personnel Practice	
Schoolcraft	VARIABLES	FSU General Education – Culture	6	HCSA 336	Health Care Supervisory Practice	
ART 216	ARTH 325	Upper Level Culture Women In Art	4	HCSA 402	Health Care Law 2	
or	or	or		HCSA 410	Health Care Finance 3	
ENG 203	LITR 326	Children's Literature	3	HCSA 460	Principles of Long Term Care	
Schoolcraft	VARIABLES	FSU General Education – Self and Society Electives (must come from 2 different departments)	6	HCSA 475	Practice Mgmt in Health Care	
Schoolcraft	VARIABLES	Upper Level Social Awareness Choose one of the following: ANTH 214 or POLS 207 or POLS 209 or SOC 210 or SOC 220	3	CAHS 317	Public Health Administration	
Schoolcraft	VARIABLES	Professional Degree Courses	50	CAHS 351	Intro to Gerontology	
			Total Schoolcraft College Credits			89-90
				Total Ferris Credits		34
				Credits Required for Degree		123-124

Please refer to FSU's General Education Requirements at:

<http://www.ferris.edu/htmls/academics/gened/index.htm>

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.

Program Offered at:
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 AlliedHealth@ferris.edu

www.ferris.edu/transferservices

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.

Transfer Student Orientation

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

Online Learning

Select courses 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, they can submit 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.

Disclaimer

This is a guide for students who plan to transfer to Ferris State University. This guide is not intended to be a contract with Ferris. The information on this guide is subject to change. Students should contact their community college or Ferris to keep informed of changes. Final responsibility for verifying all transfer information lies with the student. Please refer to the effective and/or revised date on the bottom of the guide.