

# **TRANSFER ARTICULATION AGREEMENT**

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**Quinsigamond Community College**

**and**

**Anna Maria College**

**Human Services Associate in Arts Degree**

**to**

**Bachelor of Arts in Human Services Degree**

*(Fall 2020)*

## General Statement of Purpose

Anna Maria College agrees to collaborate with Quinsigamond Community College (QCC) by providing opportunities for appropriately qualified students in the QCC **Human Services** Associate in Arts Degree program to complete a Bachelor of Arts in **Human Services** degree at Anna Maria College. This articulation agreement is designed to facilitate the educational mobility and transfer of students from Quinsigamond Community College to Anna Maria College, encouraging and rewarding the successful completion of their Associate degree program prior to transition to Anna Maria College.

## Requirements and Terms

Anna Maria College and Quinsigamond Community College agree that any student in the **Human Services** program who has earned an Associate of Arts degree may transfer their credits toward a Bachelor of Arts in **Human Services** degree at Anna Maria College. Eligibility requirements are as follows:

- A. Students who have completed the QCC **Human Services** Associate of Arts degree with cumulative Grade Point Averages of 2.0 (or higher) will be accepted into the Anna Maria College Bachelor of Arts in **Human Services** degree with “core general education completed” status through the sophomore year. Transfer student applicants who do not meet these criteria will be evaluated individually.
- B. Any student meeting the above-stated requirements is eligible to transfer all college-level QCC **Human Services** program coursework (62-63 credits) to Anna Maria College, as defined by the Anna Maria College Registrar’s office. Additional QCC courses may be accepted in transfer; See Section E.
- C. Appendix A lists the approved course equivalencies from the Quinsigamond Community College **Human Services** Associate degree to the Bachelor of Arts in **Human Services** degree at Anna Maria College.
- D. All courses applied as transfer equivalencies for Anna Maria College courses ENG 103 Freshman Composition, or ENG 104 Writing Through Literature, must have been completed with minimum grades of C or better in order to be meet the general education requirements of Anna Maria College as stipulated in the college catalog. In cases where equivalent courses have been completed to satisfy requirements of an earned associate’s degree with grades below a C or better, students will receive transfer credits applied to their student transcripts for the completed coursework. However, students will still be required to meet the course standards set forth by Anna Maria College (successful completion of ENG103 and ENG104 with Minimum grades of C or better).
- E. Under this agreement, Quinsigamond Community College students would complete a minimum of 60 credits at Anna Maria College. If students have eligible transfer courses beyond 62-63 credits or their earned associate’s degree, those credits may be evaluated for acceptance, up to a maximum of 75 transferrable credits.
- F. Students must meet all requirements needed for a Bachelor degree at Anna Maria College including:
  - i. Earning a minimum of 120 credits
  - ii. Maintaining a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0
  - iii. Maintaining the minimum required GPA within their program of study as stated in the Academic Catalog
  - iv. Satisfying all General Education and Program requirements as stated in the Academic Catalog

- v. Completing an intent to graduate form and submitting it to the Anna Maria College Registrar's Office one semester prior to the planned date of graduation.
- G. Students covered under this agreement will receive consideration consistent with others seeking financial aid.
- H. Anna Maria College and Quinsigamond Community College agree to communicate any curriculum changes and policies which affect the agreed upon relationship. Both parties reserve the right to amend or revise by mutual consent and in writing this agreement or to change curriculum, whenever feasible.
- I. Anna Maria College will designate an official(s) who will be responsible for all aspects of the articulation program at Anna Maria College. Quinsigamond Community College will designate an individual(s) responsible for all aspects of this agreement at Quinsigamond Community College
- J. Anna Maria College and Quinsigamond Community College will review this agreement every three years and make adjustments or amendments as deemed appropriate to maintain the integrity of each institution as well as for the improvement of the transfer process and student articulation. Pending review and mutual assent, this agreement may be renewed.
- K. The two institutions further agree to communicate to respective publics of the established relationships. This may include informational sessions on the campus of Quinsigamond Community College as well as prominent display of the agreement online via transfer counseling and/or advising services websites.
- L. Either Anna Maria College or Quinsigamond Community College may terminate the agreement by notifying the other party in writing 90 days in advance. Should the agreement be terminated, any Quinsigamond Community College student who has designated and selected this articulation program prior to termination will be allowed to complete the program within a three-year period of time.
- M. This articulation agreement does not preclude Anna Maria College or Quinsigamond Community College from entering into similar agreements with other institutions of higher education.
- N. This agreement is effective on the final date of signature by both institutions.

**APPENDIX A Quinsigamond Community College Human Services Program To  
Anna Maria College Human Services Program 2020-2021 Catalog**

<b>ANNA MARIA COLLEGE HUMAN SERVICES DEGREE REQUIREMENTS</b>		
<b>AMC Course</b>	<b>AMC Course Name</b>	<b>QCC Course Equivalent</b>
AMC 100	First-Year Experience	PSY 101*
ENG 102 (by placement)	Development Writing	---*
ENG 103	Freshman Composition	ENG 101*
ENG 104	Writing Through Literature	ENG 102*
PHL 110	Introduction to Philosophy	HUS 231/Exempt***
THE 210	Introduction to Theology	QCC Elective/Exempt
HDS 490	Senior Seminar	---
Language I	Global Language I	---
Language II	Global Language II	---
QR	Quantitative Reasoning	QCC Math or Science Elective
<b>Explorations Courses</b>		
	<b>AMC Explorations Course In:</b>	
EC	Natural Sciences ( <i>consult advisor</i> )	QCC Math or Science Elective
EC	Western Cultures and History ( <i>consult advisor</i> )	QCC Liberal Arts Elective
EC	Societies of the World ( <i>consult advisor</i> )	SOC 101
EC	Creativity and Imagination ( <i>consult advisor</i> )	SPH 101
EC	United States in the World ( <i>consult advisor</i> )	QCC Elective
EC	Global Dynamics ( <i>consult advisor</i> )	---
EC	Writing for Career & Creativity ( <i>consult advisor</i> )	---
EC	Catholic Worldview ( <i>consult advisor</i> )	---

<b>Human Services Major Requirements</b>		
<b>AMC Course</b>	<b>AMC Course Name</b>	<b>QCC Course #</b>
HDS 101/AMC 207	Foundations of Social Justice and the Social Sciences	HUS 101
BUS 110	Leadership I	HUS 121
Developmental Psychology course	Choose one: PSY 205, PSY 207, PSY 217, HDS 209, SWK 348, SWK 349	GRT 101
HDS 210	Interviewing Techniques	---
HDS 214	Professional Issues in Human Services	HUS 231
HDS 320	Diversity Issues in Human Services	HUS 221
HDS 310	Observation, Documentation & Assessment	---
HDS 315	Family and Community Relationships	HUS 141****
PSY 490	Group Dynamics	HUS 125
PSY 498	Internship	HUS 243
PSY 499	Internship ( <i>QCC HUS 244 waives 2<sup>nd</sup> internship and replaced with elective</i> )	Waived
HDS 490	Senior Seminar	---
HDS ---	Upper-Level Elective #1 **	---
HDS ---	Upper-Level Elective #2 **	---
HDS ---	Upper-Level Elective #3 **	---

**Notes:** \*Courses must be completed with grades of C or higher to meet Anna Maria College general education requirements.

\*\*Upper-level elective courses are HDS 300+ that are not being applied elsewhere in a student's major or degree audit. May be taken from other programs in the helping professions such as Psychology, Social Work, and Education.


\*\*\*Some major requirements may be applied to other degree requirements. This QCC course meets General Education and/or major requirements and may be counted under more than one category.

**The following QCC Human Services requirements will be applied as General Electives toward graduation requirements:**

\*\*\*\*HUS 141 will transfer as noted. HUS 143, PSY 231, and PSY 273 transfer as general elective credits.

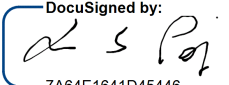
### Signatures of Appropriate Institutional Leaders and Representatives

#### Anna Maria College



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*President*  
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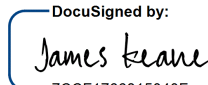
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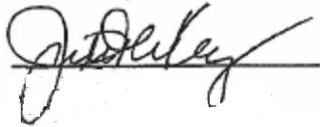
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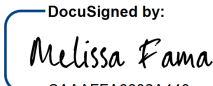
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