

Articulation Agreement Leading to the Bachelor's Degree in Social Work
Quinsigamond Community College
and
Anna Maria College
(2014-2016)

General Statement of Purpose

Anna Maria College, agrees to articulate with Quinsigamond Community College, by providing opportunities for appropriately qualified students in the Associate of Science Degree program of **Human Services** to complete a Bachelor's degree at Anna Maria College in **Social Work**. This 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 of the **Human Service** program who has earned an Associate of Science degree may transfer their credits toward a Bachelor degree at Anna Maria College in **Social Work**. The bachelor degree graduation requirements for students who follow this articulation agreement are as follows:

- A. Students who have completed an Associate of Science Degree in **Human Services** and who have a cumulative average of 2.0 or have completed 60 or more transferrable college credits will be accepted into Anna Maria College with core general education complete status through the sophomore year. Transfer student applicants who do not meet these criteria will be evaluated individually.
- B. Any student meeting the requirements stipulated in section A, is eligible to transfer to Anna Maria College all college-level (as defined by the Anna Maria College Registrar's office) coursework successfully completing curricular requirements of their associate degree.
- C. 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).
- D. 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 60 credits or beyond their earned associate's degree, that credit can be evaluated for transfer, up to a maximum of 75 credits.
- E. 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.
- F. Students under this agreement will receive consideration consistent with others seeking financial aid.

- G. 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.
- H. 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.
- I. Anna Maria College and Quinsigamond Community College will review this agreement every two 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. If agreed upon, pending review, a renewal of the agreement may be signed.
- J. 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.
- K. 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.
- L. This articulation agreement does not preclude Anna Maria College from entering into similar agreements with other institutions of higher education.
- M. This agreement is effective on the date of signatures by both institutions.

The course equivalencies between classes in the **Human Services** Associate degree at Quinsigamond Community College and courses in the **Social Work** degree at Anna Maria College are attached.

Anna Maria College Social Work Degree Requirements Fall 2014-2016 Catalog

Course #	Course Name	QCC Equivalent
AMC100	First-Year Experience (<i>minimum grade of "C" required</i>)	PSY 101
ENG103	Freshman Composition (<i>minimum grade of "C" required</i>)	ENG101*
ENG104	Writing Through Literature (<i>minimum grade of "C" required</i>)	ENG102*
PHL110	Introduction to Philosophy	HUS 231***
THE210	Introduction to Theology (<i>prerequisite: PHL110</i>) <i>Suggest PHI 121 or PHI 201</i>	QCC elective
Language I	Global Language I (<i>consult advisor</i>)	--
Language II	Global Language II (<i>consult advisor</i>)	--
QR	Quantitative Reasoning (<i>consult advisor</i>)	QCC math or science elective
SWK 490	Senior Seminar	
Explorations Courses		
EC	Explorations in Natural Sciences (<i>consult advisor</i>)	QCC math or science elective
EC	Explorations in Western Cultures and History (<i>consult advisor</i>)	QCC liberal arts elective
EC	Explorations in Societies of the World (<i>consult advisor</i>)	**
EC	Explorations in Creativity and Imagination (<i>consult advisor</i>)	SPH 101
EC	Explorations in United States in the World (<i>consult advisor</i>)	QCC elective
EC	Explorations in Global Dynamics (<i>consult advisor</i>)	**
EC	Explorations in Writing for Career and Creativity (<i>consult advisor</i>)	
EC	EC in Catholic Worldview (<i>prerequisite: PHL110, THE210, consult advisor</i>)	
Major Requirements		
SOC201	Introduction to Sociology (<i>EC Societies of the World</i>)	SOC 101**
SWK242	Social Welfare as a Social Institution (<i>EC in US in the World</i>)	
SWK307	Diversity and Issues of Oppression (<i>EC in Global Dynamics</i>)	HUS 221***
SWK342	Social Welfare Policies	
SWK344	Intro to Generalist Practice (<i>SWK Majors Only</i>)	
SWK345	Social Work Practice and Ethics (plus HUS 231 above)	HUS 243 (4 cr)***
SWK348	Growth & Behavior in the Social Environment I	
SWK349	Growth & Behavior in the Social Environment II	
SWK410	Research Methods in Social Work	
SWK408	Marriage and the Family	
SWK443	Generalist Practice with Individuals (<i>prerequisite: SWK344</i>)	
SWK445	Social Work Internship I	
SWK446	Social Work Internship II	(6 cr)
SWK448	Generalist Practice w/Families and group (<i>prerequisite: SWK344, 443</i>)	(6 cr)
SWK449	Generalist Practice w/Community & Org (<i>prerequisite: SWK344, 443, 448</i>)	
	Elective	
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The Following QCC Required Courses will be applied as General Electives toward graduation requirements as discussed in Section E of this agreement:


Intro. to Human Services	HUS 101
The Helping Relationship: Human Services Delivery	HUS 121
Intro. to Aging	GRT 101
Group Practice for Human Services	HUS 125
Community Service: Delivering Human Services	HUS 141
Intro. to Counseling	PSY 231
Chemical Dependency	PSY 273
Human Services Practicum II (4 credits)	HUS 244


Notes: yellow – QCC courses green – AMC courses


- *These Quinsigamond Community College courses must be completed with minimum grades of C in order to meet Anna Maria College general education requirements.
- **Some major requirements can be applied to explorations course requirements. These QCC courses meet General Education and/or major requirements and may be counted under more than one category.
- ***Students within the Social Work major must receive minimum grades of C+ or higher in all SWK courses. QCC students under this agreement must earn a C+ or higher in HUS 221, HUS 231, and HUS 243.

Anna Maria College



Date: 2/26/15
Signature of Mary Lou Retelle
Interim President



Date: 2/27/2015
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Date: 2-18-15
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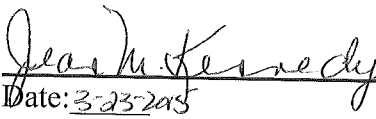

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Quinsigamond Community College


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