

TRANSFER ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

Quinsigamond Community College

and

Bay Path University

Associate of Science in Human Services (QCC)

to

**Bachelor of Arts in Psychology: Human Services & Rehabilitation
(BPU)**

Spring 2015

Statement of Purpose

Bay Path University (BPU) and Quinsigamond Community College (QCC) recognize that, for many students, the path to a bachelor degree may begin at a community college. Moreover, for QCC's female students, diverse educational opportunities, including the advantages of enrolling in a women's college to earn a bachelor's degree, adds great value to educational experiences. This agreement acknowledges that significance and is formed to enable the smooth transfer of Quinsigamond Community College graduates to Bay Path University's American Women's College Online and the One-Day-A-Week (Saturday) College offered at its three ground campuses.

Further, the purpose of this agreement is to provide smooth transition between the two academic programs by

- identifying all required and equivalent courses for the relevant programs at each institution, and
- facilitating credit transfer and guarantee of admission for students who meet the agreed upon criteria.

Participants

This agreement has been entered into by Quinsigamond Community College, Worcester, MA, and Bay Path University for programs offered in its American Women's Online College and One-Day-A-Week College campuses located in Longmeadow, Sturbridge, and Burlington.

Programs/courses included in this agreement

- A. The Quinsigamond Community College **Associate of Science in Human Service** will be accepted toward the **Bachelor of Arts in Psychology: Human Services & Rehabilitation** at Bay Path University.
- B. This acceptance will be offered to QCC students who enroll at Bay Path University in the One-Day program on Saturdays and the fully online program for undergraduate students.
- C. All coursework included in the Associate in Science in Human Services degree will be accepted and applied towards required coursework and electives as stipulated in the Psychology: Human Services & Rehabilitation Major BA degree. See appendix A.

Terms and Conditions of Transfer:

- A. Students who graduate from the QCC Human Service Associate in Science degree with a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.0 or higher will be guaranteed admission into the BPU Psychology: Human Services & Rehabilitation Major under the terms of this agreement.
- B. Their BPU Admissions Deposit will be waived.
- C. All 63 credits of the completed QCC Associate in Science in Human Service degree will be accepted toward the 120 credit Bay Path University Bachelor of Arts in Psychology: Human Services and Rehabilitation Major.
- D. All coursework from the sending program must be completed with grades of "C-" or better in order to transfer.

- E. QCC students who have transfer courses beyond their earned 63 credits in the associate's degree, may request an evaluation of additional earned credits for eligibility and acceptance into the Bachelor of Arts in Psychology: Human Services and Rehabilitation degree program. However, all students must complete 30 credits at Bay Path University to satisfy residency requirements.

Communications and Advising

Communication and advising is central to effective transfer/articulation.

Recognizing this:

- A. The college and university agree to include information about this articulation agreement in relevant publications for the purposes of promotion and advising
- B. The college and university agree to jointly develop appropriate transfer guides and make these available to students and advisors as appropriate.
- C. The college and university agree to notify each other promptly, in writing, of substantive changes in curricula that might effect the Agreement.

Implementation and Length of agreement

- A. Bay Path University and Quinsigamond Community College agree that this Agreement becomes effective on Apr-02-2015 | 1 and is applicable to eligible students in the next semester of enrollment.
- B. This agreement will remain in effect for 3 years from the date above unless terminated or amended by either party with prior written notice.
- C. This agreement does not preclude either college from entering into similar agreements with other institutions of higher education.
- D. This agreement will remain in place until the academic leadership of one of the parties asks that it be rescinded.
- E. This agreement may be amended by addendum as necessary.
This means that as requirements and courses change over time this agreement may stay in force as long as the program managers, their academic supervisors, and the transfer counselors agree in writing to the change.

Proposed Articulation between QCC and Bay Path University

Human Services and Rehabilitation

QCC Course Title	QCC Course #	Credit	BRU Course #	BRU Course Name	BRU Credit
CORE REQUIREMENTS (39 CREDITS)					
<i>Science Elective*</i>		4	BIO109	Biology I	4
			COM111	Computer Applications I	3
English Comp & Lit I	ENG101	3	ENG114	Critical Reading and Response	3
			ENG124	Research and Writing in the Disciplines	3
English Comp & Lit II	ENG102	3	ENG134	Literary Genres	3
			HIS	History Elective	3
Speech Communication	SPH101	3	HUM	Humanities/Art Elective	3
			WEL220	Women as Empowered Learners and Leaders	3
			WEL330	Strategies for Personal and Career Growth	3
			WEL440	Leadership In Practice	3
<i>Statistics**</i>	MAT122	3	MAT120	Statistics	3
Intro to Psych	PSY101	3	PSY101	Introduction to Psychology	3
			HEALTH	Health	2
HUMAN SERVICES & REHAB MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (42 CREDITS)					
			PSY205	Child Development	3
			PSY206	Adolescent & Adult Development	3
			PSY312	Psychological Statistics	3
			PSY323	Behavioral Research Methods	3
<i>Chemical Dependency</i>	PSY273	3	PSY346	Health Psychology	3
			PSY370	Social Psychology	3
Intro to Counseling	PSY231	3	PSY407	Interviewing & Counseling Skills	3
			CIT300	Communicating for Leadership	3
Intro to HSR	HUS101	3	HSR200	Introduction to Human Svc & Rehab	3
			HSR400	Psychosocial Aspects of Disability & Aging	3
			HSR401	Developmental and Psychiatric Disabilities	3
<i>HSR Practicum</i>	HUS243	4	HSR ELEC	(Any PSY or HSR course at/above 300-level)	3
			HSR450	Human Services & Rehab Seminar	3
<i>HSR Practicum</i>	HUS244	4	PSY489/499	Psychology Internship	3
ELECTIVES (39 CREDITS)					
The Helping Relationship	HUS121	3	Elective		3
Intro to Soc	SOC101	3	Elective		3
Intro to Aging	GRT101	3	Elective		3
Group Process for HSR	HUS125	3	Elective		3
Community Service	HUS141	3	Elective		3
Cultural Competence	HUS221	3	Elective		3
Legal Concepts	HUS231	3	Elective		3
<i>Elective</i>		3	Elective		3
<i>Elective</i>		3	Elective		3
<i>Liberal Arts Elective</i>		3	Elective		3
			Elective		3
			Elective		3
			Elective		3

Estimated Credits

Transferred

62-65 TOTAL CREDITS REQUIRED

120

*It is recommended students take a lab science to complete this requirement.

** Should math be taken in place of a lab science, it is recommended students take MAT122 to complete this requirement.