

TRANSFER ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

Quinsigamond Community College

and

Fitchburg State University

Human Services Associate of Science (HA)

to

Human Services Bachelor of Science

Quinsigamond Community College and Fitchburg State University agree to enter into a transfer agreement for the following academic disciplines/programs:

Human Services Associate of Science (HA)
to
Human Services Bachelor of Science

Purpose

This agreement is set forth by Quinsigamond Community College and Fitchburg State University in an effort to delineate a transfer student's best options in course selection. This document signifies the ongoing commitment between these institutions of higher education to promote coordinated curricula of the highest quality. As such, it bears with it the commitment of our respective faculty, and administrative staff to strengthen these ties and address the needs of our students in a mutually beneficial manner.

Terms and Conditions of Transfer

- A. Students graduating from the Quinsigamond Community College Human Services (HA) Associate Degree program, with a qualitative grade point average of 2.5 or greater, and upon completion of Fitchburg State University's admissions requirements, are guaranteed acceptance.
- B. In addition, 62-63 credits of the completed QCC Human Services degree will be accepted and applied to Fitchburg State University's Human Services program, with the following conditions.
 1. The Fitchburg State University Human Services major requires individual grades of C+ or higher in the following QCC coursework for acceptance:
 - HUS 121 The Helping Relationship: Human Services Delivery
 - HUS 125 Group Process for Human Services.
 2. The Fitchburg State University Human Services Major also requires a minimum 2.5 cumulative GPA for core Human Services and Liberal Arts courses for acceptance.
 - a. The QCC Human Services courses are:
 - HUS 101 Intro to Human Services
 - HUS 121 Interviewing Techniques
 - HUS 125 Group Process for Human Services
 - b. Fitchburg State recommends the following QCC Liberal Arts & Science courses:
 - PSY 121 Survey of Lifespan Development: Conception to Death
 - PSY 262 Abnormal Psychology
 - SOC 101 Introduction to Sociology


All other coursework from the sending program at Quinsigamond Community College must be completed with grades of C- or higher in order to transfer.

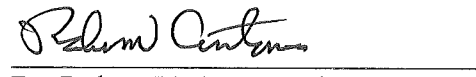
- C. Quinsigamond students will be advised to complete the prescribed coursework, and electives, as listed in the attached program grid (Appendix A). Failure to follow these recommendations may affect guarantee of admission, and will result in additional coursework requirements and longer time to degree completion at Fitchburg State.
- D. Acknowledging that students may, and do transfer from a wide variety of majors, this agreement does not prohibit transfer to or from other programs of study at either institution. This agreement suggests optimal transfer routes from Quinsigamond Community College to Fitchburg State University.

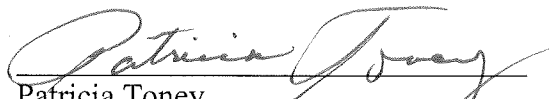
This agreement becomes effective for the Fall 2014 semester and will remain in effect through the Spring 2018 semester with the provision that the terms specified herein will continue to apply to graduates who transfer from Quinsigamond Community College to Fitchburg State University in the day division, within one year of the expiration of this agreement. The faculty at both institutions agrees to meet annually to review the agreement and discuss modifications.

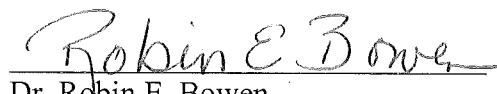
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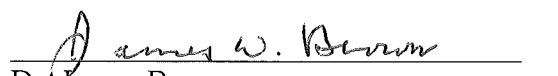
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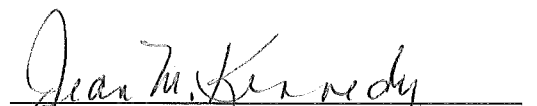

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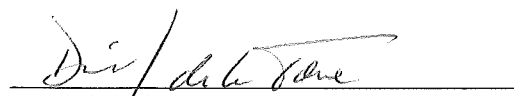

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Quinsigamond Community College and Fitchburg State University
QCC Human Services Program Articulation Table

QCC Course	Course #	Cr	Fitchburg State Course	Course #	Cr
Semester 1					
English Composition and Literature I	ENG 101	3	Writing I, ART	ENGL 1100	3
Introduction to Human Services	HUS 101	3	Intro to Human Services	HMSV 1100	3
The Helping Relationship: Human Services Delivery	HUS 121	3	Interviewing Techniques	HMSV 2500	3
Introduction to Psychology	PSY 101	3	General Psychology, CTW (Advanced LAS)	PSY 1100	3
Introductory Sociology	SOC 101	3	Introduction to Sociology, CTW, GDC	SOC 1100	3
Semester 2					
English Composition and Literature II	ENG 102	3	Writing II, ART	ENGL 1200	3
Introduction to Aging	GRT 101	3	Transfer Elective (Advanced LAS)	PSY 2990	3
Group Process for Human Services	HUS 125	3	Group Work (Field of Study Elective)	HMSV 2900	3
Community Service: Delivering Human Services	HUS 141	3	Transfer Elective (Field of Study Elective)	HMSV 1990	3
Introduction to Counseling	PSY 231	3	Transfer Elective (Advanced LAS)	PSY 2993	3
Semester 3					
Cultural Competence for Human Services Workers	HUS 221	3	Transfer Elective (Behavioral Science elective)	HMSV 2991	3
Legal/Ethical Concept in Human Services	HUS 231	3	Professional Issues in Human Services	HMSV 3700	3
Chemical Dependency	PSY 273	3	Addictive Behaviors (Advanced LAS)	PSY 2950	3
Speech Communication Skills	SPH 101	3	Intro to Speech Communication, ART	SPCH 1000	3
Human Services Practicum I	HUS 243	4	Transfer Elective (Behavioral Science elective)	HMSV 2995	4
Semester 4					
Human Services Practicum II	HUS 244	4	Transfer Elective	HMSV 2996	4
Elective*	---	3		---	3
Elective**	---	3		---	3
Liberal Arts Elective***	---	3		---	3
Mathematics or Science Elective****	---	3-4		---	3-4
Total credits		62/63			62/63

PLEASE NOTE:

For the purposes of this transfer agreement, students are encouraged to complete the elective choices listed below.

Recommended Elective Choices

* **PSY 121 Survey of Lifespan Development: Conception to Death**

** **PSY 262 Abnormal Psychology**

Recommended Liberal Arts Elective

*** **A history or literature elective. (ENG 231 or 232 Masterpieces of World Literature I or II will also cover the global diversity non-western art requirement.)**

Mathematics or Science Elective

**** **MAT 108 or higher or a Lab Science**

Notes:

- Human Service Majors must have a C+ or better individual grade in HUS 121 and HUS 125 in order for Fitchburg State University to accept them for transfer. There is also a minimum 2.5 cumulative GPA requirement for both the core Human Services courses: HUS 101 Intro to Human Services, HUS 121 Interviewing Techniques and HUS 125 Group Process for Human Services and the following Liberal Arts & Science courses: PSY 121 Survey of Lifespan Dev: Conception to Death, PSY 262 Abnormal Psychology and SOC 101 Intro to Sociology.
- HUS 125 and HUS 141 can count as Field of Study Electives depending upon the path the student chooses. Additional coursework may be needed if student chooses a different path.

Coursework left to complete at Fitchburg State University

Courses left to complete B.S. Human Services		Comments
CSC 1000-4999 Computer Science Elective	3	Recommend selecting one with SMT attribute
PSY 1200 Human Growth & Development	3	Recommend taking PSY 121 at QCC
PSY 2350 Abnormal Psychology	3	Recommend taking PSY 262 at QCC
Constitutional Requirement: POLS 1000 United States Government, POLS 1500 State and Urban Government, POLS 2270 Introduction to the Legal Process, POLS 2550 Sex, Race and the Constitution, POLS 2600 The First Amendment or POLS 3500 Constitutional Law	3	PSC 201 or PSC 221 at QCC
HMSV 2050 - Research Methods in Human Services Practice	3	
HMSV 3000 - Managing the Non-Profit Agency or HMSV 3410 - Building Community Supports for Persons with Disabilities	3	
HMSV 3600 - Assessment and Intervention	3	
HMSV 3800 - Case Management	3	
Internship in Human Services - HMSV 4870 & HMSV 4880 or HMSV 4890	12	
Math Elective	3	MAT 108 or higher at QCC
Lab Science	3	
EXSS 1000 Health & Fitness	3	
Course with SMT attribute	3	Recommend choosing CSC elective with SMT attribute
History Elective	3	
Literature Elective (this Art or Music must have GDAN attribute (Global Diversity Non-Western Art)	3	
Art or Music Elective	3	
Free Elective	1	More room for free electives if transfer in PSY 121, PSY 262 or other recommendations or if choose CSC course with SMT attribute.
Total credits left	58	