

ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

Between
Chamberlain College of Nursing and
[Allegany College of Maryland]

For Transfer of Allegany College of Maryland's Associate of Science in Nursing degree.

Statement of Purpose

The purpose of this articulation is to provide a basis for a cooperative relationship between Chamberlain College of Nursing and Allegany College of Maryland to benefit students who desire to complete a bachelor's degree. The intent is for Allegany College of Maryland students completing the AS degree plan to move seamlessly to the BSN degree plan.

Transfer Agreement

Graduates from Allegany College of Maryland with an Associate Degree in Nursing and proof of RN licensure may be awarded up to 82 proficiency credit hours through the Chamberlain College of Nursing Articulation Plan (CCAP). This includes 37 liberal arts and sciences credits and 45 nursing credits.

This articulation is made explicitly subject to the terms of Chamberlain's admission requirements, academic policies, program requirements, and course descriptions, including but not limited to the Chamberlain academic catalog, student handbook and academic policy regarding transfer of external credit (all of the foregoing collectively referred to herein as the "Chamberlain Policies"). In the event of any conflict between or among Chamberlain Policies or elsewhere in this articulation, the terms of the Chamberlain Policies shall prevail.

Addendum One: Allegany College of Maryland Curriculum
Associate of Science in Nursing Course Requirements

Admission Information

[Allegany College of Maryland] students are eligible for admission to Chamberlain College of Nursing provided they meet the following requirements:

- Submit a complete application for admission to Chamberlain College of Nursing, and
- Is a registered nurse with a current, active RN license in the U.S. or in a jurisdiction that is an associate member of the National Council of State Boards of Nursing (NCSBN), and
- Has a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale.

* Please refer to <http://www.chamberlain.edu/admissions/undergraduate/Bachelor-of-Science-in-Nursing-%28BSN%29-Degree/rn-to-bsn-online-degree-completion> for the most updated RN-BSN option Admissions information.

As Allegany College of Maryland graduates complete the 47 credit hour requirement for the award of the BSN degree in nursing, they must meet the graduation requirements as approved by Chamberlain College of Nursing at the time of the student's admission to the Bachelors of Science program.

Term, Renewal and Changes

This Agreement has an initial term of one (1) year. Thereafter, this Agreement will automatically renew on a year to year basis for up to four (4) additional one year terms, unless either party gives the other party a minimum of thirty (30) days prior written notice of non-renewal. Notwithstanding the foregoing, either party may terminate this Agreement for a material breach by the other party upon giving the other party fifteen (15) days prior written notice specifically identifying the alleged breach, provided that the breaching party does not cure the breach within the fifteen (15) day cure period.

The Chamberlain and Allegany College of Maryland Presidents, or their designees, must approve amendments to this Agreement and no such amendments or alterations will be effective unless in writing and signed by the authorized representative of each party.

Reduced Tuition Pricing

Allegany College of Maryland employees and graduates who enroll in and attend a Chamberlain online post-licensure nursing program will receive a special tuition rate charged at 90% of the prevailing tuition rate for the applicable program. The special tuition rate is effective on the date of this Agreement as set forth above and will remain in effect during the term of this Agreement, except that the special tuition rate will not apply until the first term after the execution of this Agreement. Tuition and expenses are calculated each session and subject to change. A prepared financial statement is available each month and outlines the charges and balance due. Please refer to chamberlain.edu/tuition for the most updated information on tuition and expenses. Non-tuition expenses such as books, student activity fees, lab fees, and miscellaneous supplies that may be charged to students by Chamberlain are not eligible for the special tuition rate. Institution's employees and students are subject to all other requirements, rules, policies and procedures as set forth in the Chamberlain catalogs and addenda, as amended from time to time. This Agreement applies to all of Institution's employees who are Chamberlain students, whether new or continuing. Institution's student enrollment numbers shall be reviewed following each semester, or three times per year.

In no event will Allegany College of Maryland's employees and graduates who are Chamberlain students receive a credit, repayment, reparation or refund of any money previously paid or due for any class taken before or pending on the Effective Date of this Agreement.

Disclaimer, Limitation

Chamberlain hereby disclaims all warranties, including without limitation, any implied warranty of merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary, Chamberlain's aggregate maximum liability arising from or in any way related to this articulation (whether in contract, tort, strict liability or otherwise) shall not exceed One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000). In no event will Chamberlain be liable for any indirect, consequential, incidental, special or punitive damages of any kind.

Limited License, Promotion and Indemnification

Allegany College of Maryland will provide opportunities for representatives of Chamberlain to visit Allegany College of Maryland locations and disseminate information about Chamberlain College of Nursing's programs and this Agreement. The marketing plans may include but are not limited to:

- Introductory letter with brochure and microsite to current students announcing Education Agreement and nursing programs
- Brochures, inquiry cards, and posters with tear offs to be distributed and posted around [Allegany College of Maryland] regions for the purpose of informing potential students of Chamberlain programs
- Annual meetings with chief contact to track progress on the partnership

- Press releases announcing partnerships
- Listing partnership on websites

Allegany College of Maryland is hereby granted a limited, non-exclusive license to use the Chamberlain name, tradenames, trademarks, and logos during the terms of this Agreement for the sole purpose of fulfilling the terms of this Agreement; and Chamberlain is hereby granted a limited, non-exclusive license to use Allegany College of Maryland's name, trade names, trademarks, and logos during the term of this Agreement for the sole purpose of fulfilling the terms of this Agreement.

Upon termination of this Agreement, the limited licenses set forth in this section will immediately terminate and each party shall (i) cease all such aforementioned use; and (ii) discard, destroy or delete any printed and electronic materials containing the name, tradename, trademark, or logo of the other party. Neither party shall use the name, tradename, logo, or trademark of the other party in any way that would cause confusion in the public mind as to the relationship between the parties and, except for the limited license set forth in this section, neither party shall by virtue of this Agreement gain any right, title, or interest in any name, tradename, trademark, or logo of the other party. Each part shall indemnify and hold harmless the other party from any and all damages and liability arising in any way related to its respective breach of the restrictions set forth in herein; provided that the indemnified party gives the indemnifying party prompt written notice of any indemnified claim and tenders defense of such claim to the indemnifying party. The indemnified party shall not settle any indemnified claim without the prior a written consent of the indemnifying party. This section shall survive termination of this Agreement for any reason.

Miscellaneous

This Agreement sets forth the entire and complete statement of intent between the parties as to the subject matter hereof. This Agreement shall not be altered, amended or construed by any prior or contemporaneous oral or written agreement or undertaking between the parties. This Agreement will be governed by the laws of the state of [insert state] without regard for its conflicts of laws principles. The relationship of the parties is and shall remain that of independent contractors and the parties shall not be or be deemed partners or joint ventures. Neither party shall have any authority to contract for or bind the other. Neither party may subcontract or assign this Agreement, except that Chamberlain may assign this Agreement to any parent.

Agreement Approvals

Each party signing this Agreement is authorized by their institution to enter into this Agreement on behalf of their institution.

Chamberlain College of Nursing, LLC

Allegany College of Maryland

Susan Groenwald, President

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Date

12/18/14
Date

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Susan Groenwald
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Associate of Science in Nursing

SUMMER OR PREVIOUS SEMESTER

Credit Hours

Biological Science 207 (Anatomy
and Physiology of the Human I) 4

Total: 4

FIRST SEMESTER

Biological Science 208 (Anatomy
and Physiology of the Human II) 4

Nursing 120 (Nursing I) 9

Psychology 101
(General Psychology) 3

Total: 16

SECOND SEMESTER

English 101 (Freshman English I) 3

ⓐ Humanities Elective 3

Nursing 150 (Nursing II) 9

Psychology 203 (Human Growth
and Development) 3

Total: 18

THIRD SEMESTER

Credit Hours

Biological Science 204
(Microbiology) 4

Nursing 205 (Nursing III) 6

Nursing 206 (Nursing IV) 3

Sociology 101
(Introduction to Sociology) 3

Total: 16

FOURTH SEMESTER

ⓐ Humanities Elective 3

Mathematics 102 (College Algebra) 3

Nursing 204 (Nursing in Society) 1

Nursing 215 (Nursing V) 9

Total: 16

Total Credit Hours: 70

Addendum Two: (Sample Course Match below)

Allegany College of Maryland AS to BSN degree

Allegany College of Maryland courses

AS – Nursing

Additional courses not
in AS degree (list)

Credit hours

70 (Allegany College of Maryland ASN graduates who pass the NCLEX will receive **82 credits** towards the 129 needed to complete their BSN at Chamberlain College of Nursing through the Chamberlain College of Nursing Articulation Plan (CCAP).

Please look at the table below and the COURSE MATCH for the CCN and Allegany College of Maryland equivalencies. The minimum residency requirement for the CCN RN to BSN program is 32 Credit Hours *Forty-seven credits are needed beyond the 82 credits already awarded. Of these 47 additional credits, 23 credits of liberal arts courses are required. Fifteen of these credits can be taken at Allegany College of Maryland and transferred to Chamberlain College. Please see the table below and the COURSE MATCH for the CCN and Allegany College of Maryland equivalencies. Beyond the 15 credits from ACM, the remaining 32 credit hours would need to be taken at Chamberlain College as this is a residency requirement and would include 8 more credits of liberal arts and 24 credits of nursing.*

CCN RN to BSN Liberal Arts Courses		Allegany College of Maryland Equivalent
ENGL-147: Advanced Composition	3 Credits	ENG 102: Freshman English II
MATH-114: Algebra for College Students*	4 Credits	MATH 102; MATH 119; MATH 120; MATH 200; MATH 201; MATH 202; MATH 203
MATH-221: Statistics for Decision-Making	4 Credits	MATH 221: Elements of Statistics STAT 221: Elements of Statistics
SOCS-350: Cultural Diversity in the Professions	3 Credits	NONE
ECON-312: Principles of Economics	3 Credits	ECON 103: Contemporary Economic Principles ECON 201: Principles of Macroeconomics ECON 202: Principles of Microeconomics
History Elective (see below for options)	3 Credits	Please see list in COURSE MATCH
Humanities Elective (see below for options)	3 Credits	Please see list in COURSE MATCH

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All courses evaluated using the (2014-2015) catalog.

Transfer of courses is considered on an individual basis. A grade of "C" or higher is required for all transfer credits. Courses transferring in for biology or chemistry credit must have been completed within the past 10 years in order to be considered for transfer credit. Applicants are required to provide official transcript(s). An official transfer credit evaluation will be completed upon receipt of these transcript(s). Please visit <http://www.chamberlain.edu/catalog> for additional information regarding transfer credit guidelines. Course equivalency table is current as of (9/10/14). Course equivalencies are subject to change. Please see an admissions representative for the steps to complete an official transfer credit evaluation.

Transferring Institution - Allegany College of Maryland			CCN Equivalent		
Course Number	Course Title	Credit Hrs.	Course Number	Course Title	Credit Hrs.
ART 101	Art Appreciation	3	HUMN 1TR	Humanities Elective	3
ECON 103	Contemporary Economic Principles	3	ECON 312	Principles of Economics	3
ECON 201	Principles of Macroeconomics	3	ECON 312	Principles of Economics	3
ECON 202	Principles of Microeconomics	3	ECON 312	Principles of Economics	3
ENG 102	Freshman English II	3	ENGL 147	Advanced English	3
ENG 103	Introduction to Literature	3	LTRE 421	Studies in Literature	3
ENG 203	A Survey of European and Neo-European Literature	3	LTRE 2TR	Literature Elective	3
ENG 213	A Survey of American Literature	3	LTRE 2TR	Literature Elective	3
ENG 223	A Survey of British Literature	3	LTRE 2TR	Literature Elective	3
ENG 233	African American Literature	3	LTRE 2TR	Literature Elective	3
ENG 251	Creative Writing	3	LTRE 2TR	Literature Elective	3
HIST 101	History of Western Civilization I	3	HIST 1TR	History Elective	3
HIST 102	History of Western Civilization II	3	HIST 1TR	History Elective	3
HIST 103	United States History I	3	HIST 1TR	History Elective	3
HIST 104	United States History II	3	HIST 1TR	History Elective	3
HIST 105	Contemporary World History	3	HIST 1TR	History Elective	3
HUM 100	Mini-Civilizations	3	HUMN 1TR	Humanities Elective	3

LANG 103	Introductory Spanish I	3	HUMN 1TR	Humanities Elective	3
LANG 104	Introductory Spanish II	3	HUMN 1TR	Humanities Elective	3
LANG 126	Spanish for Health Occupations	2	HUMN 1TR	Humanities Elective	3

LANG 203	Intermediate Spanish I	3	HUMN 2TR	Humanities Elective	3
LANG 204	Intermediate Spanish II	3	HUMN 2TR	Humanities Elective	3
MATH 102	College Algebra	3	MATH 114	Algebra for College Students	4
MATH 119	Pre-Calculus I	4	MATH 114	Algebra for College Students	4
MATH 120	Pre-Calculus II	4	MATH 114	Algebra for College Students	4
MATH 200	Calculus for Applications	4	MATH 114	Algebra for College Students	4
MATH 201	Calculus I	4	MATH 114	Algebra for College Students	4
MATH 202	Calculus II	4	MATH 114	Algebra for College Students	4
MATH 203	Calculus III	4	MATH 114	Algebra for College Students	4
MATH 221	Elements of Statistics	3	MATH 221	Statistics for Decision-Making	4
MUS 112	Music Appreciation	3	HUMN 1TR	Humanities Elective	3
PHIL 199	Thanatos-A Humanities Approach to Death and Dying	3	PHIL 1TR	Philosophy Elective	3
PHIL 201	Introduction to Philosophy	3	PHIL 2TR	Philosophy Elective	3
PHIL 204	Comparative Religions	3	RELI 448	Comparative Religion	3
STAT 221	Elements of Statistics	3	MATH 221	Statistics for Decision-	4