

PROGRAM TO PROGRAM ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
University of Wisconsin – Stevens Point (UWSP)
College of Professional Studies
School of Health Care Professions
Health Sciences/Health Care Informatics Program
and
Northcentral Technical College (NTC)
Health Care Business Services Program

Effective Date: July 1, 2010

NTC Associate Degree: Associate Degree Health Care Business Services
UWSP Baccalaureate Degree: Bachelor of Science Degree,
Health Science – Health Care Informatics Option

Purpose:

This articulation agreement provides the opportunity for NTC students who have earned the Associate Degree, Health Care Business Services major, to be awarded the following equivalent credits upon entry to the UWSP School of Health Care Professions, Health Science major, Health Care Informatics option.

Transfer Courses:

NTC Courses	UWSP Equivalent Courses
General Courses:	
10-806-177 Anatomy and Physiology (4) OR 10-806-110 Body, Structure, & Function (3)	Gen Elective – NS – accept for Biol 285 (4)
10-801-195 Written Communication (3)	English 101 (3)
10-809-196 Introduction to Sociology (3)	Gen Elective – SS 1; MNS (3)
10-809-198 Intro to Psych (3)	Gen Elective – SS 1 (3)
10-801-196 Oral/Interpersonal Comm. (3)	Gen Elective – SS 2 (3)
10-804-123 Math with Business Appl. (3)	
10-809-195 Economics (3)	Econ 100 – SS 1 (3)
10-809-172 Race, Ethnic, & Diversity (3)	Gen Elective – SS 1; MNS (3)
10-501-101 Medical Terminology (3)	CLS 295 (2)
27 or 28 Credits	24 Credits
HS Major, HCI Option	
Professional Core	32 Credits
Course number, title, (cr)	
10-103-115 Microsoft Word 1 (1)	
10-160-120 Fund. Of Health Insurance (3)	
10-101-147 Accounting Fundamentals (3)	
10-103-120 Microsoft Excel (1)	
10-160-131 Admin & Org. of Health Care (3)	

10-530-181 Intro to Health Record (1)	
10-160-121 Medical Financial Mgmt. (2)	
10-160-130 Integrating Del & Fin Health Care (3)	
10-530-182 Human Diseases for the Health Professions (3)	
10-530-183 ICD-9-CM Coding (3)	
10-530-184 CPT Coding (3)	
10-104-103 Customer Service (2) OR 10-501-104 Health Care Customer Service (2)	
10-160-122 Long-term Care/Medicare/Medicaid (2)	
10-160-140 Health Care Business Service Internship (3)	
10-530-185 Health Care Reimbursement (2)	

REQUIRED COURSES: (Total 76 credits)**

The following coursework will be required to obtain the Bachelor of Science in Health Sciences/Health Care Informatics Option:

- Chem 101 or 105. 5 cr.
- English 102. Freshman English. 3 cr.
- Comm 101. Oral Communication. 2 credits
- History. 3 cr.
- Wellness. 1 cr.
- HS 350. Leadership and Management in Health Care. 3 cr.
- HS 395. Fundamentals of Epidemiology. 3 cr.
- HS 410. Issues in Aging. 3 cr.
- HS 490. Interdisciplinary Perspectives in Health Care. 3 cr.
- HS 499. Selected Topics in Health Sciences. 1 cr.
- CLS 495. Research Design and Methods in Health Sciences. 3 cr.
- ANTH 380(NW). Anthropology of Health and Disease. 3 cr.
- MATH 355. Elementary Statistical Methods. 4 cr.
- PHIL 121. Critical Thinking. 3 cr.
- PHIL 302. Ethics and Medicine. 3 cr.
- POLI 306. Health Politics and Policies. 3 cr.
- ACCT 210. Introductory Financial Accounting. 3 cr.
- ACCT 211. Introductory Managerial Accounting. 3 cr.

Select from one area of emphasis:

Computer Information Systems:

- CIS 110. Object-Oriented Programming. 4 cr.
- CIS 120. Data Structures and Algorithms (formerly 211). 4 cr.
- CIS 210. Database Design and Implementation (formerly 219). 4 cr.
- CIS 220. Object-Oriented Analysis and Design (formerly 323). 4 cr.
- CIS 310. Production Programming (formerly 313). 4 cr.
- CNMT 210. Web Design & Dev 1 or CIS 225. Data Comm & Networks. 4 cr.

OR

Web & Digital Media Development:

- WDMD 100. Creativity and the Arts. 3 cr.
- WDMD 110. Introduction to Object-Oriented Computing. 2 cr.
- WDMD 200. Introduction to Computer Graphics. 3 cr.
- WDMD 201. Introduction to Digital Media Creation. 3 cr.
- CNMT 210. Web Design and Development I. 4 cr.
- WDMD 302. Multimedia Authoring. 3 cr.
- Plus 6 credits in WDMD numbered 345 and above

*****UWSP General Degree Requirements for a Bachelor of Science Degree will need to be completed.***

SPECIAL CONSIDERATIONS:

1. Associate degree graduates must have earned a minimum grade point average of 2.75. An ineligible candidate may appeal for consideration through the Head, School of Health Care Professions.
2. The UWSP required course, CLS 105. Evolution of Health Care and Health Care Professions (3 credits) will be waived.
3. NTC courses 10-806-177 Anatomy and Physiology (4 credits) will be accepted in lieu of Biology 285: Human Physiology, 10-809-196 Intro to Sociology (3) will be accepted in lieu of Sociology 101, and 10-809-198 Intro to Psych (3) will be accepted in lieu of Psych 110, if a grade of C or better has been earned. An ineligible candidate may appeal for consideration through the Head, School of Health Care Professions.
4. The acceptance of credits applies only to this Program-to-Program Articulation.
5. For acceptance of equivalent courses, NTC courses must have been completed within the last 5 years. Beyond this period of time, course equivalents will be assessed on an individual basis.
6. This agreement is subject to review if either NTC or UWSP undergoes curriculum revision **OR** within five years of the origination date of this agreement, whichever occurs earlier.

Signatures: