

**TRANSFER ARTICULATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN
DECKER COLLEGE OF NURSING AND HEALTH SCIENCES AND SUNY BROOME COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

Introduction

Based upon mutual respect for the integrity of parallel programs and in an effort to better serve students intending to pursue a bachelor's degree with a major in nursing, SUNY Broome Community College and Binghamton University Decker College of Nursing and Health Sciences hereby enter into this articulation agreement.

SUNY Broome Community College will direct prospective students to consult the [Decker College of Nursing and Health Sciences traditional transfer web page](#) and the [Binghamton University Bulletin](#) to review specific information about courses and admissions requirements.

Objectives

The objectives of this agreement are to:

- assist SUNY Broome students by providing a curriculum plan which meets all degree requirements for the SUNY Broome Community College associate degree in health studies and all prerequisite coursework needed to apply to Binghamton's traditional nursing program.
- facilitate the transition of graduates from SUNY Broome Community College to a baccalaureate degree program in Decker College of Nursing and Health Science at Binghamton University.
- attract qualified students to SUNY Broome Community College and Binghamton University.
- encourage academic coordination between the faculty and advisors at the two institutions, including curricular reviews.
- assess and exchange information on the specific outcomes of this articulation program with the goal of continual improvement.

Terms of Agreement

SUNY Broome Community College students who follow the advising guide and have the appropriate prerequisite coursework and satisfactory grades to apply for admission to the junior class of the Decker College of Nursing and Health Sciences traditional nursing program. This articulation agreement is not a guarantee of admission to prospective students who become applicants for the Decker College of Nursing and Health Sciences/Binghamton University. Admissions is competitive and limited due to space. Applicants are required to earn a 3.0 GPA, with preference given to those who have a B or better in prerequisite courses. Be advised that the mean GPA for accepted transfer students for the past five academic years has been a 3.5 GPA. Applicants should apply and submit all application materials by February 1, prior to the fall semester the student is interested in matriculating for optimal consideration.

Decker College Transfer Credit Policy & Guidelines

Transfer credit is evaluated by the [Decker Division of Advising and Academic Excellence](#). To be considered for transfer, coursework must be transcribed through an accredited institution.:

- Coursework will be transferred for the same number of semester-hour credits that were awarded at the home institution. A course taken for 3 credits at SUNY Broome can transfer to Binghamton and fulfill degree requirements even if the course is offered at Binghamton for 4 credits.
- Decker College awards transfer credits upon receipt of official transcripts. Students are responsible for contacting the credit-granting institution for these transcripts.
- All nursing prerequisites for the Decker College of Nursing and Health Sciences require a minimum grade of C-.
- Prior to starting junior level nursing courses in the Decker College of Nursing and Health Sciences, admitted students must have all prerequisites completed. General education and elective coursework may be taken concurrently with nursing coursework, though students are encouraged to complete as much as possible prior to transfer.
- Admitted students who follow the provided advising guide may require additional coursework to complete degree requirements for the bachelor of science with a major in nursing.

APPENDIX A

Binghamton University Decker College of Nursing and Health Sciences

Equivalency Table and Advising Guide

for SUNY Broome Health Studies AS Majors

Prerequisite Equivalencies					
SUNY Broome Community College Health Studies AS Degree			Binghamton University Decker College of Nursing and Health Sciences		
Course #	Course Title	Cr	Course #	Course Title	Cr
ENG 110	College Writing I (GE #10)	3	ENG XXX	College Writing I* (Composition I) *Fulfills C gen ed	3
ENG 220	Communicating About Ideas & Values (GE #7)	3	ENG XXX	College Writing II (Composition II)	3
MAT 124	Statistics (GE #1)	3	MATH 147	Elementary Statistics* *Fulfills M gen ed	3
BIO 118	Principles of Biology II	4	BIOL 113	Introduction to Cellular and Molecular Biology	4
BIO 131	Anatomy and Physiology I	4	BIOL 251	Anatomy and Physiology I* *Fulfills L gen ed	4
BIO 132	Anatomy and Physiology II	4	BIOL 347	Anatomy and Physiology II	4
BIO 150 or CLT 208/209L	General Microbiology	4	BIOL 319	Pre-Health Microbiology	4
CHM 141 or 145	General Chemistry I w/ lab	4	CHEM 101 or CHEM 107	Introduction to Chemistry I or General Chemistry I	4
CHM 142 or CHM 146	General Chemistry II w/ lab	4	CHEM 102 or CHEM 108	Introduction to Chemistry II or General Chemistry II	4
PSY 110	General Psychology	3	PSYC 111	General Psychology	3
PSY 210	Human Development	3	PSYC 220	Developmental Psychology* *Fulfills S gen ed	3
TOTAL CREDITS		39	TOTAL CREDITS		39

Binghamton University General Education Equivalencies					
SUNY Broome Community College Health Studies AS Degree			Binghamton University Decker College of Nursing and Health Sciences		
Course #	SUNY Broome Courses*	Cr	Course #	Binghamton University General Education Requirements	Cr
Various*	ART 102 or ART 103 (The Arts GE #8)	3	XXX	Aesthetics (A)	3
Various*	ANT 111 or ART 108 or GEO 120 (Electives)	3	XXX	Global Interdependencies (G)	3
Various*	HUM 101, 102, or 103 (Humanities GE #7)	3	XXX	Humanities (H)	3
Various*	PED 120, 130 or 140	1	XXX	Physical Education (Y)	1
Various*	HIS 130 or HIS 131 (American History GE #4)	3	XXX	Pluralism (P)	3
Various*	SOC 110 (SUNY Broome Core)	3	XXX	Social Science (N)	3
Various*	ASL 120 (Foreign Language GE #9)	3	XXX	Foreign Language (FL)	3
TOTAL CREDITS		19	TOTAL CREDITS		19
Health Studies AS Degree Additional Core and Elective Credit Requirements					
SUNY Broome Community College Health Studies AS Degree			Binghamton University Decker College of Nursing and Health Sciences		
Course #	Course Title	Cr	Course #	Course Title	Cr
HST 100	Seminar in Health Science (SUNY Broome Core)	1	ELEC XXX	Elective	1
HST 109	Personal Success Strategies (SUNY Broome Core)	1	ELEC XXX	Elective	1
HST 210	Pharmacology (SUNY Broome Core)	3	ELEC XXX	Elective	3
HST 207	Capstone for Health Careers	1	ELEC XXX	Elective	1
TOTAL CREDITS		6	TOTAL CREDITS		6
TOTAL CREDITS TRANSFERRED					64

*A full complement of Binghamton University's General Education course equivalencies can be reviewed [online](https://www.binghamton.edu/admissions/apply/transfer/coursework.html?view=schools) by visiting:
<https://www.binghamton.edu/admissions/apply/transfer/coursework.html?view=schools>.