

**ARTICULATION AGREEMENT GUIDE**

Washtenaw Community College – **AAS in Nursing, Registered**  
 Eastern Michigan University – **BSN Nursing Completion**

**Washtenaw Community College Courses:**

**Eastern Michigan University Courses:**

**Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA) Requirements (33 credits)**

Students with the MTA endorsement on their community college transcript have satisfied EMU's General Education Core Requirements and will be required to complete only the General Education Application Requirements of one Perspectives on a Diverse World course, one Learning Beyond the Classroom experience, and a Writing Intensive course in the major. Courses listed below for the MTA also satisfy program requirements at EMU and/or WCC. For WCC approved MTA courses go to [WCC's website](#). Students without an MTA or MACRAO endorsement must complete EMU's general education program.

**1. A course in English Composition**

\* ENG 111 Composition 1..... 4      WRTG 121 Composition II (3)+1 ..... 4

**2. A course in English Composition or Communication**

Choose one from: COM 101, 102, 200 ..... 3      COMM 124 Found of Speech Communication ..... 3  
*COM 101 required if MTA is not completed (or COMM 124)*

**3. A course in Mathematics**

MTH 160 Basic Statistics (or math level 4 course or higher)... 4      STAT 170 Elementary Statistics (3)+1 ..... 4

**4. Two courses in Natural Sciences from different disciplines (one lab required)**

\* BIO 111 Anatomy & Physiology ..... 5      EXSC 201 & 202 Human Anatomy & Physiology ..... 5  
 \* Choose one chemistry course approved for the MTA ..... 4      Chemistry Requirement..... 4

**5. Two courses in Humanities and Fine Arts from different disciplines**

PHL 244 Ethical and Legal Issues in Health Care ..... 3      PHIL 223 Medical Ethics..... 3  
 Choose one from the approved MTA list..... 3      General Transfer Credit..... 3

**6. Two courses in Social Sciences from different disciplines**

\* PSY 206 Life Span Developmental Psychology ..... 4      EDPS 225 Life Span Growth and Development ..... 4  
 \* Choose one from the following ..... 3      See equivalency below ..... 3  
     <sup>1</sup> ANT 201 Cultural Anthropology (3)      ANTH 135 Intro to Cultural Anthropology (Diverse req)  
     SOC 100 Principles of Sociology (3)      SOCL 105 Introductory Sociology

**If needed, complete additional credits in any of the above categories to meet the 30 credit minimum for the MTA.**

**EMU's Perspectives on a Diverse World requirement: Complete one course** from the following list:

**These courses also satisfy an MTA area: Communication:** COM 225; **Natural Science:** ENV 101, 105; **Humanities:** ART 143, 150; COM 225; DAN 180; DRA 180; ENG 181, 213, 214, 242; FLM 150; HUM 175, 181; MUS 180; **Social Science:** ANT 201; ECO 280; GEO 101, 104; HST 108, 109, 123, 150, 230, 235, 241; PSY 251, 270; SOC 205. **These courses apply, but do not satisfy the MTA:** ECD 240

**WCC AAS in Nursing, Registered Program Requirements (43 credits)**

Nursing Program Credits..... 35  
 NUR 108, 115, 128, 138, 288

30 hours will apply to the nursing major credit. 5 hours will apply as general elective credit.

Nursing License ..... 30  
 General Elective Credit ..... 5

Waivers will be given for NURS 260 (Pathophysiology), 270 (Pharmacology), DTC 203 (Nutrition), and PSY 101 (Psychology for NURS 138). Students must contact the EMU RN to BSN admissions advisor to present proof of passing the NCLEX to take NURS 483L4 and to graduate.

BIO 212 Pathophysiology: Alterations in Structure ..... 4      BIO 000 General Transfer Credit ..... 4  
 \*BIO 237 Microbiology (in place of BIO 147)..... 4      BIO 328 Microbiology for Health Professions ..... 4

**EMU Requirements and Electives that may be Taken at WCC or EMU (14 credits)**

Open Electives (not to exceed 90 transfer credits)..... 14      General Transfer Credit..... 14

**Credits at WCC: ..... 90      Credits that transfer to EMU ..... 90**

\*Required for EMU's BSN Nursing Completion program. If not transferred, must be completed at EMU.

<sup>1</sup> Fulfills EMU's Perspectives on a Diverse World requirement.

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### Completion of the BSN Completion program at EMU for Students Transferring *without* their Nursing License

#### Major Requirements (30 credits)

##### Required Nursing Courses

NURS 221	Health Assessment for RNs .....	3
NURS 265	R.N. Essentials of Prof Nursing Practice ...	3
<sup>1</sup> NURS 300W	Reading & Writing in Nursing Studies .....	3
<sup>1</sup> NURS 365W	RN Essentials of Prof Nursing Practice.....	3
NURS 374	Nursing Research Concepts for Practice ...	3
NURS 453	Community-based Nursing for RNs .....	3
NURS 465	R.N. Essentials of Prof Nursing Practice....	3
<sup>2,3</sup> NURS 483L4	RN to BSN Pop Focused Capstone Exp....	3
	Additional Nursing (NURS) Coursework.....	6
	<i>Consult Nursing Completion Advisor for suggested courses</i>	

**Minimum Credits at EMU: ..... 30**

**Maximum Transfer Credits: ..... 90**

**Minimum Credits to Graduate ..... 120**

#### Sample Sequence for completing the program:

All coursework for this degree must be completed within six years of taking NURS 300W at EMU.

##### **Semester 1 (6 credits)**

NURS 221	Health Assessment for R.N.'s.....	3
NURS 300W	Reading and Writing in Nursing Studies ....	3

##### **Semester 2 (6 credits)**

NURS 265	R.N. Essentials of Prof Nursing Practice ...	3
NURS Special Topics.....		3

##### **Semester 3 (6 credits)**

NURS 374	Nursing Research Concepts for Practice ...	3
NURS 365W	R.N. Essentials of Prof Nursing Practice ...	3

##### **Semester 4 (6 credits)**

NURS 465	R.N. Essentials of Prof Nursing Practice ...	3
NURS Special Topics.....		3

##### **Semester 5 (6 credits)**

NURS 453	Community-based Nursing for RNs .....	3
<sup>2,3</sup> NURS 483L4	RN to BSN Pop Focused Capstone Exp....	3

#### Notes:

- Students who complete NUR 138 will receive a waiver for PSY 101 if the course has not been transferred to EMU.
- If sufficient credits hours are not transferred, additional credits must be completed at EMU to satisfy the minimum of 120 credit hours required to graduate.
- All general education, required foundation courses, MI RN license, and nursing courses must be completed to graduate.
- Course location and modalities will be determined by the involved student cohort.

*1 Satisfies EMU's Writing Intensive Requirement.*

*2 Satisfies EMU's Learning Beyond the Classroom requirement.*

*3 Students must present proof of passing the NCLEX to the EMU RN to BSN admissions advisor to register and take this course.*

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### Additional Information:

1. Each institution will determine the satisfaction of their individual program and degree requirements. Both institutions agree to accept transferable courses from each other and from other regionally accredited institutions. WCC courses indicated with an \* are required for EMU's BSN Nursing Completion. Substitutions for these courses must be approved by the EMU program coordinator.
2. Students with the MTA endorsement on their community college transcript have satisfied EMU's General Education Core Requirements and will be required to complete only the General Education Application Requirements of one "Perspectives on a Diverse World" course, one "Learning Beyond the Classroom" experience, and a "Writing Intensive" course in the major. The Perspectives on a Diverse World requirement may be transferred to EMU.  
*To use the Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA), students must have an official community college transcript, with the "MTA Satisfied" endorsement sent to EMU's Admissions Office. Students who do not have "MTA Satisfied" on their community college transcript, will be required to satisfy EMU's general education requirements as applied to transfer students. The MTA may be completed after admission to EMU, however, students should inform their advisors or they may be advised to complete additional courses for the general education program. If already on the transcript, the MACRAO designation will be accepted at EMU after August 2019.*
3. Only courses with a grade of "C" or better (2.0 on a 4.0 scale) will be accepted for transfer to either institution.
4. Under this agreement, EMU will waive the 60-hour rule and require that a minimum of 30 credit hours must be completed in EMU courses, with at least 15 hours in the program at the 300-level or above. Of the last 30 hours completed before graduating, a minimum of 10 credit hours must be in courses offered by EMU. A minimum of 120 credit hours, completed in-residence or accepted in transfer, is required for graduation.
5. Contact the Nursing Department listed below for the Application for Admission to the RN/BSN option. Students must comply with the program requirements in effect at the time of admission to the program. Current admission requirements include:
  - Hold a current unrestricted license to practice as a Registered Nurse. Students participating in a collaborative program between EMU and WCC must hold an unrestricted license to practice as a Registered Nurse in order to register for NURS 483L4 and to graduate from EMU.
  - A 2.5 or better cumulative college GPA (4.0 scale)
  - WRTG 121 or successful completion of a college-level course in English composition with a minimum grade of a 2.0 (4.0 scale) or higher before entry into the program.
  - Successful completion of the TOEFL or MELAB scores to meet EMU requirements if English is a second language.
6. Completion of EMU's general education requirements or a transcript endorsed with "MTA" satisfied or "MACRAO" satisfied will be required before taking NURS 483L4.
7. Students are encouraged to contact EMU's Enrollment Advising Specialist in Nursing. To facilitate advising and the evaluation of transcripts, and bring a copy of this articulation guide to all advising sessions.

### Effective Date: May 1, 2024 until August 31, 2029.

This is a renewal of an agreement made in August 2004 and renewed in April 2007, September 2010, September 2014, September 2018, and September 2021. agreement is consistent with the 2023-2024 catalog. Students have until summer 2031 to graduate from Eastern Michigan University following this agreement. In the event that a student does not complete the program within seven years, they may be required to have their credits reevaluated using the requirements of the current articulation guide.

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