

**ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
East Central College
AND
University of Missouri**

OVERVIEW:

This formal program articulation agreement is made and entered into by the University of Missouri, hereinafter referred to as MU, and East Central College of Union, Missouri, hereinafter referred to as ECC. By this agreement ECC and MU express a shared commitment to increasing opportunities for student access to and success in higher education. By clarifying transfer policies and procedures which assure articulation between programs, the institutions seek to assist students in making a seamless transfer from the associate to the baccalaureate degree.

PURPOSE:

This agreement provides students who have earned an **Associate in Applied Science in Occupational Therapy Assistant** the opportunity to complete a **Bachelor of Health Science in Health Sciences** at MU. Any ECC student who has earned an Associate in Applied Science in Occupational Therapy Assistant is guaranteed that MU will accept designated freshman and sophomore elective credits and all general education credits and will apply such to the Bachelor of Health Science in Health Sciences degree in a manner consistent with the treatment of native students.

CONDITIONS OF TRANSFER:

Section I: Admissions and Matriculation

ECC students maintaining continuous enrollment under this agreement will be afforded the same treatment and protection as MU native students enrolled under a specific catalog.

Criteria for acceptance to MU for transfer students is based upon their past academic performance and the admissions requirements for the Bachelor of Health Science degree in Health Sciences.

ECC, upon request of students, will provide verification of completed courses to MU through its Office of Admissions.

The transcripts of students transferring from ECC will be evaluated by the MU Office of Admissions.

Transfer students from ECC will have access to financial aid and student services on the same basis as native students.

Minimum grade standards for academic progress and graduation from ECC will be subject to no further review by MU.

MU will apply the same academic progress and graduation standards to ECC transfer students as those applicable to native students at MU.

Section II: Transfer of Credit

A maximum of 64 credit hours will be accepted by MU from ECC to be applied to the Bachelor of Health Science in Health Sciences.

Transfer students from ECC, upon acceptance into the Health Sciences degree program, will have junior standing at MU.

Section III: Program Plan

Students falling under this program articulation agreement will be responsible for successfully completing the following requirements.

Years 1 and 2

Associate in Occupational Therapy Assistant Degree

General Education Requirements (32 hours)

BI 2102 Human Anatomy and Physiology I Lec	2 cr.
BI 2112 Human Anatomy and Physiology I Lab	2 cr
BI 2202 Human Anatomy and Physiology II Lec	2 cr.
BI 2203 Human Anatomy and Physiology II Lab	2 cr
CT 1103 Public Speaking	3 cr
EN 1223 English Composition I	3 cr
PY 1103 General Psychology	3 cr
PY 2403 Human Development	3 cr
BI 1113 Medical Terminology I	3 cr
MT 1403 College Algebra	3 cr
HIST 1103, 1203 or PS 1203, U.S. History or Government.	3 cr
General Ed electives (recommend: EN 1333, Eng Comp 2)	3 cr

General Education Total	32 cr.
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OTA Courses Taken at ECC

OTA 200 Foundations of Occupational Therapy	3 cr
OTA 205 Medical Conditions in Occupational Therapy	3 cr
OTA 210 Analysis of Occupations	2 cr
OTA 215 Mental Health and Psychosocial Practice	4 cr
OTA 220 Pediatric and Adolescent Practice	4 cr
OTA 250 Functional Kinesiology	2 cr
OTA 255 Physical Disabilities Practice	4 cr
OTA 260 Community Practice	3 cr
OTA 265 Management, Administration and Ethics	3 cr
OTA 270 Professional Skills	3 cr
OTA 290 Level II Fieldwork A	8 cr
OTA 295 Level II Fieldwork B	8 cr

Total credits required for the Associate in Occupational Therapy Assistant: 80

Total transferrable credits towards the BHS in Health Sciences degree: 64

Years 3 and 4

General Education Courses Required at MU

ENGLSH 1000 Exposition and Argumentation (if student did not take ENGL 102 at ECC)	3 cr
One Writing Intensive Course	3 cr
BIO SC 1010 and 1020 General Principles and Concepts of Biology or BIO SC 1500 Intro to Biological Systems with Lab	5 cr
Physical Science Course	2-4 cr
STAT 1200 Intro Statistical Reasoning or 1300 Elementary Statistics (satisfies Math Reasoning Proficiency Requirement)	3 cr
Humanities courses (CT 1103 Public Speaking fulfills 3 hours of humanities)	6 hr
	Total: 19-24 cr

Health Sciences Required Courses

Hth Pr 1000 Intro to Health Professions	2 cr.
Hth Pr 2100 Health Sciences Seminar	1 cr
Hth Pr 3300 Public Health Principles and Practice	3 cr
Hth Pr 4300 Health Care in the U.S.	3 cr.
CP&D 4480 Clinical Ethics	3 cr.
CP&D 4955 Intro to Research	3 cr
CP&D 4985 Healthcare Organization and Leadership	3 cr
Hth Pr 4975 Health Sciences Capstone	1-6 cr
	Total: 19-25 cr

Health Sciences Required Elective Courses

Students will choose from a list of approved electives to complete the remaining requirements. A minimum of 18 hours is required for the Health Science electives, 9 credit hours must be at the 3000+ level. BI 2102 and 2112, Human Anatomy and Physiology I (lec and lab), BI 2202 and 2203, Human Anatomy and Physiology II (lec and lab), PY 2403, Human Development and MI 1113, Medical Terminology, will fulfill 14 hours of required elective credit. Students will have to take 9 hours of required electives at the 3000+ level to fulfill this requirement.

Total: 9 cr

General Electives

Students may have to take general electives to reach 120 credit hours.

GRAND TOTAL 120-122 cr

TERMS OF AGREEMENT:

This agreement is made and entered into in the academic year 2010-2011 and remains in force unless changed in writing by mutual agreement of both parties. The agreement may be amended at any time with the approval of both parties and is subject to regular review to assure currency with the respective degree requirements. Should either party desire to discontinue this agreement, advance notification of two years will be required.

SIGNATURES:

East Central College and the University of Missouri enter into this program articulation agreement leading from the Associate of Applied Science in Occupational Therapy Assistant to the Bachelor of Health Science in Health Sciences the affixing of signatures of the chief executive officers of both institutions.

Edward Jackson, Ph.D.
President
East Central College

Date

Brady J. Deaton, Ph.D.
Chancellor
University of Missouri

Date