#### Transfer Articulation Agreement between SUNY HEALTH SCIENCE CENTER AT SYRACUSE College of Health Professions and OSWEGO STATE UNIVERSITY

### February 16, 1998

The agreement establishes procedures to promote the easy transition of qualified students from Oswego State University to the upper division programs of B.S. Cardiovascular Perfusion, B.S. Cytotechnology, B.S. Medical Technology, B.S./M.P.S. Physical Therapy, and B.S. Respiratory Care in the College of Health Professions at the SUNY Health Science Center at Syracuse.

#### **Objectives of the Agreement**

- 1. To promote the easy transition of qualified transfer students from Oswego State University into the programs at the SUNY Health Science Center at Syracuse.
- 2. To provide specific information for students who wish to pursue baccalaureate and graduate professional degrees in the allied health field.
- 3. To attract qualified students to Oswego State University and the SUNY Health Science Center at Syracuse.
- 4. To encourage academic coordination and other faculty/administrative interaction, including exchange of information on curricula.
- 5. To exchange information on success and failures of students in the program in order to improve retention.

## Terms of the Agreement

- 1. Students from Oswego State University who complete the courses outlined in the Addendum of this agreement will be considered for admission at the SUNY Health Science Center's College of Health Professions, and if accepted, will have full junior status.
- 2. Courses with grades less than "C-" will not be accepted for transfer credit.

#### **Review/Revision of the Agreement**

Substantive changes in pertinent courses or programs of either institution will lead to discussion between the appropriate faculty or administrators at both institutions. At the request of either party, a review of the Transfer Articulation Agreement will be conducted by both institutions.

#### Assistance Agreement

Oswego State University and the SUNY Health Science Center at Syracuse both agree to freely and widely encourage qualified students to participate in this program by providing advisement, information, and assistance to prospective students.

#### **Course Equivalencies Agreement**

The faculty of the responsible departments agree to maintain current listings of course equivalencies as they appear in the attached **Addendum A** (program of study form).

#### **Gold Program Affiliation**

Oswego State University and the SUNY Health Science Center at Syracuse both agree to participate jointly in the GOLD Program (Guaranteed Opportunity for Leadership Development) outlined on the attached Addendum B.

# Liaisons and Approval for each campus

Oswego State University Liaison

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## Signature denotes acceptance and approval

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February 19, 1998

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Date

Interim Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs For SUNY Health Science Center at Syracuse:

Hugh W. Bonner, Ph.D.

Professor and Dean, College of Health Professions

Kenneth L. Barker, Ph.D. Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs

Date

3-11-98

### ADDENDUM A TO THE TRANSFER ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

## Recommended Program of Study at OSWEGO STATE UNIVERSITY for transfer to the COLLEGE OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS at the SUNY HEALTH SCIENCE CENTER AT SYRACUSE

# FIRST YEAR

#### for Pre-College of Health Professions Students

BIO 111 College Biology I
CHE 111 General Chemistry I
ENG 102 Composition 2
PSY 100 Introduction to Human Behavior
MAT 158 Statistics I<sup>1</sup>

BIO 212 College Biology II CHE 212 General Chemistry II English Elective SS Elective MAT 210 Calculus I

# SECOND YEAR

for Pre-Cardiovascular Perfusion Majors Total semester hours required - 60

PHY 111 College Physics
ZOO 305 Human Anatomy & Physiology I
CSC 101 Tools for Computing<sup>2</sup>
MAT 258 Statistics II
or
MAT 220 Calculus II
Electives

PHY 212 College Physics ZOO 306 Human Anatomy & Physiology 2 Humanities Elective Electives

Observation of open heart surgery or a comparable experience is required prior to application.

# SECOND YEAR

for Pre-Cytotechnology and Medical Technology Majors Total semester hours required - 70 (Cytotechnology) and 60 (Medical Technology)

ZOO 305 Human Anatomy & Physiology I CHE 230/230L Organic Chemistry<sup>3</sup> Humanities Elective Electives ZOO 306 Human Anatomy & Physiology 2 Humanities Elective BIO 310 Microbiology Electives

Total semester hours of biology required is 16 for Medical Technology and 20 for Cytotechnology. Observation or volunteer experience in a clinical pathology lab (for Medical Technology) or cytology laboratory (for Cytotechnology) is required prior to application.

Summer for Pre-Cytotechnology Majors Electives if needed to reach total of 70 semester hours required Addendum A Page 2

## SECOND YEAR for Pre-Physical Therapy Majors Total semester hours required - 65

ZOO 305 Human Anatomy & Physiology 1 PHY 111 College Physics PSY 322 Child Psychology Electives ZOO 306 Human Anatomy & Physiology 2 PHY 212 College Physics COM 210 Speech Communication Psychology Elective

Volunteer or work experience in a physical therapy department is required prior to application. All prerequisites must be completed by June 1 of the proposed year of entry. Accepted applicants must submit proof of current certification in CPR and First Aid.

## SECOND YEAR for Pre-Respiratory Care Majors

ZOO 305 Human Anatomy & Physiology 1 SOC 100 Introductory Sociology Humanities Elective Electives

ZOO 306 Human Anatomy & Physiology 2 Fine & Performing Arts Elective Social Science Elective Electives

A clinical tour of a respiratory care department is required prior to application. All accepted applicants must submit proof of current certification in CPR for the Professional Rescuer or BLS for the Health Care Provider.

**Notes:** All science courses must include laboratories. Grades of "C-" or higher are required to transfer courses. Higher grades may be required

to be competitive for admission. GOLD Program Students are required to meet all conditions of the GOLD acceptance.

<sup>1</sup>Statistics is required for Medical Technology. One semester of Statistics is also required for Physical Therapy along with a one-semester pre-calculus or calculus course.

<sup>2</sup>Another computer course may be substituted here.

<sup>3</sup>Organic Chemistry is required for Medical Technology only. Other science courses may be substituted for Cytotechnology.

# ADDENDUM B TO THE TRANSFER ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

#### Guaranteed Opportunity for Leadership Development (GOLD)

### An Early Admission Program Affiliation of the College of Health Professions SUNY Health Science Center at Syracuse and Oswego State University

- 1. The program is a unique opportunity for first-time college students with a demonstrated commitment to a career in the health professions (e.g., volunteer/observational experience or participation in an Health Explorers Post or New Visions program) and a strong record of achievement in math and science course work. Suggested guidelines: 90% average in college preparatory (Regents or higher) program, including at least three-year sequence in math and science, and a combined SAT score of at least 1200.
- 2. Students will be accepted during the senior year of high school with guaranteed admission into the upper-division at SUNY Health Science Center's College of Health Professions. The decision to admit to the SUNY Health Science Center will be at the sole discretion of the appropriate admissions committee in the College of Health Professions.
- 3. Students accepted into the program must attend an affiliated college or university for the first two years. Oswego State University agrees to serve as a GOLD affiliated institution. The decision to admit to Oswego State University will be at the sole discretion of Oswego State University.
- 4. Accepted students must successfully complete all prerequisite courses for the program as outlined in the current articulation agreement while maintaining a required cumulative grade point average of 3.3 with no science prerequisite below "B" and continued involvement in the health profession through volunteer, observation, or research experience.
- 5. The program will be administered by the SUNY Health Science Center's Office of Student Admissions. The liaison for the Health Science Center will work closely with the Liaison for Oswego in tracking students in the GOLD program.