

**NURSING COMPLETION ARTICULATION GUIDE**  
 Oakland Community College – AAS in Nursing  
 Eastern Michigan University – BSN in Nursing (BSN Completion)

<b>Oakland Community College Courses:</b>	<b>Transfer to Eastern Michigan University as:</b>
<b>Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA) Requirements (30 credits)</b>	
<p>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 EMU General Education Application Requirements of one Perspectives on a Diverse World course, one Learning Beyond the Classroom experience, and one writing intensive course in the major. <u>Courses listed below for the MTA will also satisfy requirements for the Nursing Completion major at EMU.</u> Students who started before Fall 2014 may continue to follow the MACRAO Agreement until the end of summer 2019. MACRAO versions of articulation guides as well as MACRAO and MTA transfer guides are posted online. For courses approved to satisfy the MTA go to the OCC website at the link below.  <a href="https://www.oaklandcc.edu/Catalog/DegreeRequirements/MTTransferAgrDistrRequirements.aspx?zoom_highlight=michigan+transfer+agreement">https://www.oaklandcc.edu/Catalog/DegreeRequirements/MTTransferAgrDistrRequirements.aspx?zoom_highlight=michigan+transfer+agreement</a></p>	
<b>1. A Course in English Composition</b>	
ENG 1510 English Composition I .....3	ENGL 120 Composition 1..... 3
<b>2. A Course in English Composition or Communication</b>	
ENG 1520 English Composition II .....3	ENGL 121 Composition II..... 3
<b>3. A Course in Mathematics</b>	
Complete one course:.....4	Quantitative Reasoning Requirement ..... 4
MAT 1500, 1540, 1580, 1600, 1630, or 1730	
<b>4. Two courses in Natural Sciences from difference disciplines (one lab required)</b>	
BIO 1530 Biology I (pre-req for BIO 2710).....4	BIO 110 Intro Biology..... 4
*CHE 1000 Introductory Chemistry (Pre-req for BIO 2710) .....4	Chemistry Requirement..... 4
<b>5. Two courses in Humanities from different disciplines</b>	
<sup>2</sup> Complete one course from the following: .....3-4	Perspectives on a Diverse World Requirement..... 3-4
ENG 1610, 2530, 2540; HIS 1520; MUS 1585	
Complete one course in a different humanities discipline:.....3	One course..... 3
<b>6. Two courses in Social Sciences from different disciplines</b>	
POL 1510 American Government .....3	University Elective (PLSC 112)..... 3
* PSY 2510 Introduction to Psychology.....3	PSY 101 General Psychology ..... 3
<b>If needed, complete additional course credits in the above categories to meet the 30 credit minimum for the MTA.</b>	
<b>OCC Nursing Major Courses (42 credits)</b>	
NUR 1290, 1410, 1450, 1460, 1470, 1510, 1520, 1530, 2510, 2520, 2530, 2540; HEA 1510	Students must make an appointment with the EMU RN/BSN completion program coordinator to present proof of passing the NCLEX examination and to develop a plan of study.
* Students who pass the NCLEX-RN licensing exam will transfer nursing program credit hours as a block.....42	Nursing transfer credit..... 42
	30 credit hours will apply to the Nursing major
	12 credit hours will apply as general transfer credit
	waivers will be given for DTC 203, NURS 260 and 270
	(The Nursing Program Coordinator will submit substitutions.)
<b>OCC Additional Nursing Requirements ( 16 credits)</b>	
* BIO 2710 Microbiology .....4	BIO 328 Introductory Microbiology (3) +1 ..... 4
* BIO 2630 Human Anatomy and Physiology I (4) and	
* BIO 2640 Human Anatomy and Physiology II (4).....8	BIO 251 & 252 Human Anatomy & Phys I & II ..... 8
* SOC 2510 Introduction to Sociology.....3	SOCL 105 Introductory Sociology ..... 3
Physical Education Elective .....1	University Elective ..... 1
<b>EMU Nursing Completion Requirements that May be Taken at OCC or EMU (6 credits)</b>	
* PSY 2740 Human Development Across the Lifespan.....3	EDPS 325 Life Span Human Growth & Development (4) ..... 3
Additional credit (not to exceed 94 credits at OCC).....3	University Electives ..... 3
<b>Credits at OCC: .....94</b>	<b>Credits that transfer to EMU ..... 94</b>

\* Required course for EMU's Nursing Completion program.

<sup>1</sup> EMU will also accept any college level chemistry class 1000 or higher.

<sup>2</sup> Satisfies EMU's "Perspectives on a Diverse World" requirement

**Sign up with us:** If you let us know you are using this articulation agreement we can stay in touch with you and provide information and advising to you while you are still at your community college. Sign up at: [www.emich.edu/ccr/trackingssystem/Enter.php](http://www.emich.edu/ccr/trackingssystem/Enter.php)

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**Completion of the Nursing Program at EMU**

**Required Course (3 credits)**  
 IHHS 200 Reading and Writing in Nursing Studies ..... 3

**University Electives (4 credits)**  
 Complete enough credits to satisfy the residency requirement of 30 credits in EMU courses and the required minimum of 124 total credits to graduate.

**Major Requirements (23 credits)**

**Nursing Core Courses (18 credits)**

NURS 220 Health Assessment ..... 2  
 NURS 265 Essentials of Nursing Practice I ..... 3  
 NURS 372 Nursing Research ..... 2  
<sup>1</sup>NURS 365W Essentials of Nursing Practice II ..... 3  
 NURS 450 Community Health Nursing ..... 2  
<sup>2</sup>NURS 451L Community Health Nursing Practice (LBC) ... 3  
 NURS 465 Essentials of Nursing Practice III ..... 3

**Restricted Nursing Elective Courses (5 credits)**

Consult Nursing Completion Advisor for suggested nursing courses.

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

**Transfer Credits from OCC ..... 94**

**Minimum Credits to Graduate: ..... 124**

The Nursing Completion Program is offered at a number of EMU regional centers and on-line. Contact the BSN Completion program coordinator for more information.

**Note:** If sufficient credits hours are not transferred from NCMC, additional EMU credits must be completed to reach the minimum of 124 credit hours required to graduate.

**Suggested Sequence for completing the program:**

*Note: IHHS 200 must be completed before enrolling in nursing courses.*

**Semester 1 (9 credits)**  
 University Electives .....4  
 IHHS 200 Reading and Writing in Nursing Studies .....3  
 NURS 220 Health Assessment .....2

**Semester 2 (6 credits)**  
 NURS 265 Essentials of Professional Nursing Practice I .....3  
 NURS Electives .....3

**Semester 3 (5 credits)**  
 NURS 372 Nursing Research .....2  
 NURS 365W Essentials of Professional Nursing Practice II .....3

**\*Semester 4 (5 credits)**  
 NURS 465 Essentials of Professional Nursing Practice III .....3  
 NURS Electives .....2

**\*Semester 5 (5 credits)**  
 NURS 450 Community Health Nursing .....2  
<sup>1</sup>NURS 451 Community Health Nursing Practice (Lab) .....3

**\*Semesters 4 and 5 may be switched in the sequence.**

<sup>1</sup> Satisfies EMU's Writing Intensive requirement.

<sup>2</sup> Satisfies EMU's Learning beyond the Classroom requirement.

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**Additional Information:**

1. In completing the coordinated program of study for this articulation agreement, course substitutions should be made with the guidance of the advisors (indicated below) at both institutions to assure that all requirements are satisfied. Each institution will determine the satisfaction of their individual program and degree requirements. OCC courses indicated with an \* are required for EMU's Nursing Completion Program.
2. Students whose transcripts have the "MTA Satisfied" endorsement have satisfied EMU's General Education Core requirements and will only be required to complete one "Perspectives on a Diverse World course, one "Learning Beyond the Classroom" (LBC) area, and a Writing Intensive course in the major. The Perspectives on a Diverse World requirement may be satisfied at the community college as part of the MTA requirements.  
*To use the Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA), students must have an official community college transcript with a "MTA Satisfied" endorsement sent to EMU's Admissions Office. Students who have not satisfied the MTA or the MACRAO agreement will be required to satisfy EMU's general education requirements as listed in the Undergraduate Catalog. The MTA may be completed after admission to EMU, however, students should inform advisors or they may be advised to complete additional courses for the general education program. MTA requirements, MACRAO requirements or EMU's General Education requirements must be completed before admission to the RN/BSN Completion program.*
3. Only courses with a grade of "C" or better (2.0 on a 4.0 scale) will be accepted for transfer to EMU.
4. Under this agreement, EMU will waive the 60-hour rule and require that a minimum of 30 credit hours must be completed at EMU, 15 hours of which must be in program requirements 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 124 credit hours, completed in-residence or accepted in transfer, is required for graduation.
5. Students should apply to both EMU and the School of Nursing RN/BSN Completion Option. The application for admission to EMU may be accessed from the EMU Office of Admissions website. Students must submit transcripts from all previously attended colleges. Students who speak English as a second language must submit a TOEFL or MELAB score that meets EMU requirements.
6. The Application for Admission to the RN/BSN Option may be accessed from the School of Nursing website at [www.emich.edu/nursing/appForms.html](http://www.emich.edu/nursing/appForms.html) Students must comply with the program requirements in effect at the time of admission to the program. Current admission requirements include:
  - An EMU student identification number,
  - Application to the RN/BSN completion option, submitted by October 1st,
  - Current unrestricted license to practice as a registered nurse,
  - Minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 (on a 4.0 scale),
  - Minimum grade of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale) in a college-level English Composition course,
  - Designation on application of first and second choices for site preference for coursework.
  - Effective January 2015, completion of EMU's general education requirements or a transcript endorsed as "MTA Satisfied" or "MACRAO Satisfied" will be required for admission to the RN/BSN Completion program.
7. The RN/BSN Completion Option Coordinator will work with you to assist in exploration of degree requirements and evaluation of your application for admission.
8. To facilitate advising and evaluation of transcripts, sign up for this articulation agreement using the link [www.emich.edu/ccr/trackingssystem/Enter.php](http://www.emich.edu/ccr/trackingssystem/Enter.php), and bring a copy of the articulation guide to all advising sessions.

**Effective Dates: September 1, 2014 to August 31, 2017.** This is a renewal of an agreement made in August of 2007 and renewed in September 2010. If this agreement is not renewed at the end of the effective period, students who have already begun the program will have an additional three years to be admitted to EMU under the terms of the agreement. OCC students who began the program prior to the effective date may use this agreement. All coursework for this degree must be completed within six years of taking the first 200 level NURS course at EMU.

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