

# NURSING BSN COMPLETION ARTICULATION AGREEMENT GUIDE

North Central Michigan College – AAS in Nursing  
Eastern Michigan University – Nursing (BSN Completion)

North Central Michigan College Courses:	Transfer to Eastern Michigan University as:
<b>Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA) Requirements (30-31 credits)</b>	
Students with an 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. <u>Courses listed below for the MTA will also satisfy major requirements at NCMC and/or EMU.</u> Students who started before Fall 2014 may continue to follow the MACRAO Agreement until the end of summer 2019. A MACRAO version of this guide is posted online at <a href="http://www.emich.edu/ccr/artguide.php">www.emich.edu/ccr/artguide.php</a> . For courses approved to satisfy the MTA go to <a href="http://www.ncmich.edu/registrar/mta.html">http://www.ncmich.edu/registrar/mta.html</a> .	
<b>1. A Course in English Composition</b>	
ENG 111 English Composition I..... 3	University Elective (WRTG 120) ..... 3
<b>2. A Course in English Composition or Communication</b>	
ENG 112 English Composition II..... 3	University Elective (WRTG 121) ..... 3
<b>3. A Course in Mathematics</b>	
Complete one course: ..... 4	Quantitative Reasoning Requirement (3)+1..... 4
MATH 130 College Algebra (4)	MATH 105 College Algebra (3)
MATH 150 Calculus I (4)	MATH 120 Calculus I (3)
STAT 200 Statistics (4)	MATH 170 Elementary Statistics (3)
<b>4. Two courses in Natural Sciences from difference disciplines (one lab required)</b>	
<sup>1</sup> BIO 235 Human Anatomy and Physiology I (with BIO 236) .... 4	BIO 251 Human Anatomy & Phy I&II (3)+1 ..... 4
* One college level chemistry course (100 or higher)..... 4	Chemistry Requirement..... 4
CEM 100 Chemistry in Society (3)	CHEM 115 Chemistry in Society (3)
CEM 101 Fund of Chemistry (4)	CHEM 117/118 Fundamentals of Chemistry/w lab (4)
CEM 102 Fundamentals of Bioorganic Chemistry (4)	CHEM 120 Fund of Organic & Biochemistry (4)
<b>5. Two courses in Humanities from different disciplines</b>	
Complete two courses approved by NCMC for the MTA: ..... 6	Two courses..... 6
<b>6. Two courses in Social Sciences from different disciplines</b>	
<sup>2</sup> * ANP 110 Cultural Anthropology ..... 3	ANTH 125 Intro Cultural Anthropology ..... 3
* PSY 161 Introduction to Psychology ..... 4	PSY 101 General Psychology (3)+1 ..... 4
<b>NCMC Nursing Program Requirements (54 credits)</b>	
<u>Nursing Major Courses</u>	
NUR 110, 130, 150, 170, 210, 230, 250, 270; AH 280	Students must make an appointment with the EMU RN/BSN 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 credit hours as a block ..... 47	Nursing transfer credit..... 47 30 hours will apply to the Nursing major. DTC 203, NURS 260 and NURS 270 will be waived.
<u>Additional Requirements</u>	
<sup>1</sup> BIO 236 Human Anatomy and Physiology II (with BIO 235)..... 4	BIO 252 Human Anatomy and Physiology (3)+1 ..... 4
Choose one of the following courses: ..... 3	University Elective..... 3
COM 111 Speech (3)	CTAC 124 Found of Speech Communication (3)
COM 170 Interpersonal Communication (3)	CTAC 227 Interpersonal Communication (3)
<b>EMU Requirements that may be taken at NCMC or EMU (9-10 credits)</b>	
* BIO 226 Microbiology ..... 4	BIO 328 Introductory Microbiology (3) + 1 ..... 4
* PSY 261 Developmental Psychology ..... 4	EDPS 325 Life Span Human Growth & Dev ..... 4
Electives (if needed to complete 94 total credits at NCMC).... 1-2	University Electives ..... 1-2
<b>Credits at NCMC: ..... 94</b>	<b>Credits that apply to EMU Program..... 94</b>

<sup>1</sup> Required for EMU's Nursing Completion program. If not transferred, course must be completed at EMU.

<sup>1</sup> Both BIO 235 and BIO 236 must be completed successfully to transfer as BIO 251 and 252.

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

NOTE: EMU will accept substitutions for NCMC courses that transfer as university electives or general transfer credit.

**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****Major Requirements (30 credits)**

Prerequisite Requirement	(3 credits)
IHHS 200 Reading and Writing in Nursing Studies .....	3
<b>Nursing Core Courses</b>	<b>(18 credits)</b>
NURS 220 Health Assessment.....	2
NURS 265 R.N. Essentials of Prof Nursing Practice I .....	3
NURS 372 Nursing Research.....	2
<sup>1</sup> NURS 365W R.N. Essentials of Prof Nursing Practice II.....	3
NURS 450 Community Health Nursing.....	2
<sup>2</sup> NURS 451 Community Health Nursing Practice (LBC).....	3
NURS 465 R.N. Essentials of Prof Nursing Practice III .....	3
<b>Restricted Nursing Electives</b>	<b>(5 credits)</b>
Consult Nursing Completion Advisor for suggested courses.	
<b>University Electives</b>	<b>(4 credits)</b>
Complete enough credit hours to satisfy the minimum requirements. A minimum of 30 credits must be completed at EMU and a minimum of 124 total credits is required to graduate.	
<b>Minimum Credits at EMU</b> .....	<b>30</b>
<b>Transfer Credits</b> .....	<b>94</b>
<b>* Minimum Credits to Graduate</b> .....	<b>124</b>

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:**

<b>Semester 1</b>	<b>(7 credits)</b>
IHHS 200 Reading and Writing in Nursing Studies.....	3
NURS 220 Health Assessment.....	2
University Electives .....	2
<b>Semester 2</b>	<b>(6 credits)</b>
NURS 265 R.N. Essentials of Professional Nursing Practice I .....	3
NURS Electives .....	3
<b>Semester 3</b>	<b>(5 credits)</b>
NURS 372 Nursing Research.....	2
NURS 365W R.N. Essentials of Professional Nursing Practice II ..	3
<b>*Semester 4</b>	<b>(7 credits)</b>
NURS 465 R.N. Essentials of Professional Nursing Practice III ...	3
NURS Electives .....	2
University Electives .....	2
<b>*Semester 5</b>	<b>(5 credits)</b>
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.

\* A minimum of 124 credit hours required to graduate.

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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. NCMC 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 the General Education Applied requirements of 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.  
*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 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 in EMU courses. 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. Contact Bobbi Towne (information 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:
  - 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. Copies of the articulation guide are available on EMU's webpage at [www.emich.edu/ccr/artguide.php](http://www.emich.edu/ccr/artguide.php)

### Effective Dates: September 1, 2014 until August 31, 2017

If this agreement is not renewed at the end of the effective period, students who already began the program at NCMC will have an additional three years to be admitted to EMU under the terms of the 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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