

**NURSING COMPLETION ARTICULATION AGREEMENT GUIDE**

Oakland Community College– **AAS in Nursing**  
 Eastern Michigan University – **BSN in Nursing Completion**

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**Oakland Community College Courses:** **Transfer to Eastern Michigan University as:**

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**Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA) Requirements (30 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 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. Courses listed below for the MTA will also satisfy program requirements at OCC or EMU. For OCC courses approved to satisfy the MTA go to <http://catalog.oaklandcc.edu/graduation-requirements/michigan-transfer-agreement/>.

- 1. A course in English Composition**  
 ENG 1510 Composition I .....3      University Elective (WRTG 120)..... 3
- 2. A course in English Composition or Communication**  
 ENG 1520 or 2200 Composition II or Professional Comm .....3      University Elective (WRTG 121 or MGMT 202) ..... 3
- 3. A course in Mathematics**  
 Choose from the approved MTA list: MAT 1500 or higher .....4      University Elective ..... 4
- 4. Two courses in Natural Sciences from different disciplines (one lab required)**
  - \*2 Complete one course:.....3-4      BIO 328 or substitution ..... 3-4  
     BIO 1570 Microbiology of Health Science (3) or      Subs for **BIO 328** Microbiology for the Health Professions (3)  
     BIO 2710 Microbiology (4)      BIO 328 Microbiology for the Health Professions (4)
  - \*1 Complete one **college level chemistry course** (100 or above) ..4      College level chemistry course..... 4  
     *CHE 1000 recommended*
- 5. Two courses in Humanities and Fine Arts from different disciplines**  
 Choose from the approved MTA list .....6      University Elective ..... 6
- 6. Two courses in Social Sciences from different disciplines**
  - \* PSY 2510 Introduction to Psychology .....3      PSY 101 General Psychology Lecture..... 3
  - \* Choose one from: ANT 1540 or SOC 2510 .....      ANTH 135 or SOCL 105..... 3  
     *ANT 1540 will also apply to the Perspectives on a Diverse World Requirement*

**If needed, complete additional courses in any of the above categories to satisfy 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 2290; **Natural Science:** BIO 1500; **Humanities:** ENG 1610, 2530, 2540, 2570; HIS 1520; MUS 1585; **Social Sciences:** ANT 1540; GEO 1520; HIS 1520, 1550, 2620; POL 2530, 2610; SOC 2620

**These courses apply, but do not satisfy the MTA:** BUS 2150; PSY 2730; SOC 2530; BIO 1512; SOC 2560

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**OCC Nursing Program Requirements (49 credits)**

**Nursing Courses Block (41 credits)**

NUR 1290, 1410, 1450, 1460, 1470, 1510, 1520, 1530, 2510, 2520, 2530, 2540

Students must make an appointment with the EMU RN/BSN program coordinator to present proof of passing the NCLEX examination, to complete a plan of study and receive waivers.

- \* Students who pass the NCLEX-RN licensing exam will transfer nursing credit hours as a block.....41      Nursing block credit ..... 41  
     30 credit hours will apply to the Nursing major  
     Additional hours will apply as general transfer credit.  
     Waivers will be given for NURS 260, 270 & DTC 203.

**Additional Program Requirements: (8 credits)**

- \*2 BIO 2630 & 2640 Human Anatomy & Physiology I (4) and II (4) ..8      BIO 251 & 252 or (EXSC 201 and 202) ..... 8

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**EMU Requirements that May be Taken at OCC or EMU (15 credits)**

- \* PSY 2740 Human Development Across the Lifespan.....3      EDPS 325 Life Span Human Growth & Development..... 3
- Open Electives (not to exceed 94 credits at OCC) .....12      University Electives ..... 12

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**Credits at OCC: ..... 94      Maximum Credits that transfer to EMU ..... 94**

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

<sup>1</sup> CHE 1320 is a recommended elective at OCC and is approved for the MTA agreement.

<sup>2</sup> OCC requires a "B-" or better in all required supportive courses for successful completion of the AAS in Nursing Program.

**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 <https://www.emich.edu/ccr/articulation-agreements/signup.php>

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**Completion of the Nursing Program at EMU**

**Major Requirements (30 credits)**

NURS 221 Health Assessment for RNs.....	3
NURS 265 R.N. Essentials of Prof Nursing Practice I ...	3
NURS 300W Reading and Writing in Nursing Studies ....	3
<sup>1</sup> NURS 365W R.N. Essentials of Prof Nursing Practice II.	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 III .	3
<sup>2</sup> NURS 483L4 RN to BSN Population Focused Capstone	3
Restricted Nursing Electives.....	6
<i>Consult Nursing Completion Advisor for suggested courses</i>	

<b>Minimum Credits at EMU:</b> .....	<b>30</b>
<b>Maximum Transfer Credits:</b> .....	<b>94</b>
<b>Minimum Credits to Graduate:</b> .....	<b>124</b>

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

The Nursing Completion Program is offered on-line.  
 Contact the BSN Completion program coordinator for more information.

**Suggested Sequence for completing the program:**

**Semester 1 (6 credits)**  
 NURS 300W Reading and Writing in Nursing Studies..... 3  
 NURS 221 Health Assessment for RN's ..... 3

**Semester 2 (6 credits)**  
 NURS 265 R.N. Essentials of Prof Nursing Practice I..... 3  
 Restricted Nursing Elective Course ..... 3

**Semester 3 (6 credits)**  
 NURS 374 Nursing Research Concepts for Practice ..... 3  
<sup>1</sup>NURS 365WR.N. Essentials of Prof Nursing Practice II.. 3

**\*Semester 4 (6 credits)**  
 NURS 465 R.N. Essentials of Prof Nursing Practice III.. 3  
 Restricted Nursing Elective Course ..... 3

**\*Semester 5 (6 credits)**  
 NURS 453 Community-based Nursing for RNs ..... 3  
<sup>2</sup>NURS 483L4 RN to BSN Population Focused Capstone 3

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

**Note:** All coursework for this degree must be completed within six years of taking the first 200 level NURS course at EMU

<sup>1</sup> Satisfies EMU's Writing Intensive General Education Application requirement  
<sup>2</sup> Satisfies EMU's Learning Beyond the Classroom General Education Application requirement

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### Additional Information:

1. Each institution will determine the satisfaction of their individual program and degree requirements. For the purpose of this articulation agreement, both institutions agree to accept transferrable courses from each other and from other institutions. OCC courses indicated with an \* are required for EMU's Nursing Program.
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. Students who enrolled in college prior to fall semester 2014 will have until the end of summer semester 2019 to complete the MACRAO agreement. If already on the transcript, the MACRAO designation will be accepted at EMU after summer 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, 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 at <http://www.emich.edu/admissions/application/index.php>. 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 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:
  - An EMU student identification number,
  - Submission of an application to the RN/BSN completion option,
  - Current unrestricted license to practice as a Registered Nurse,
  - Minimum grade of 2.0 (on a 4.0 scale) in college level English Composition course,
  - A 2.5 or better cumulative college GPA on a 4.0 scale,
  - EMU School of Nursing requires background checks for all students entering any nursing program through Verified Credentials. To access the website go to [www.myvci.com/emu](http://www.myvci.com/emu).
  - Effect 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. To facilitate advising and the evaluation of transcripts, sign up for this articulation agreement using this, link <https://www.emich.edu/ccr/articulation-agreements/signup.php>, and bring a copy of this guide to all advising sessions.

### Effective Dates: September 1, 2017 until August 31, 2020.

This is an update of a renewal of an agreement made in September 2007 and renewed in 2010, 2014 and 2017. This guide is consistent with the 2019-2020 catalog. Students have until Summer 2027 to graduate from Eastern Michigan University following this guide. 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. All coursework for this degree must be completed within six years of taking the first 200 level NURS course at EMU.

### Contacts:

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