

TRANSFER ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

Northern Essex Community College

and

Assumption College

**Associate in Science Degree
In Human Services**

to

**Human Services and Rehabilitation Studies ([Online](#))
Bachelor of Arts Degree**

Statement of Purpose

Continuing & Career Education at Assumption College and Northern Essex Community College recognize that for many students the path to a bachelor degree may begin at a community college. Recognizing the long history of Northern Essex Community College graduates transferring successfully to Bachelor of Arts Degree's, and the similarities among curricula, this Agreement is formed to enable the smooth transfer of Northern Essex Community College graduates to Continuing & Career Education at Assumption College.

Further, the purpose of this agreement is to provide smooth transition between the two academic programs by

- 1 Identifying all required and equivalent courses for the relevant programs at each institution, and
- 2 Facilitating credit transfer and guarantee of admission for students who meet the agreed upon criteria.

Participants

This agreement has been entered into by Northern Essex Community College, Haverhill and Lawrence, MA and Assumption College, Worcester, MA.

Programs/Courses Included in this Agreement

- A. The Northern Essex Community College **Human Services Associate in Science Program** will be accepted toward the **Bachelor of Arts in Human Services and Rehabilitation Studies** at Assumption College Continuing and Career Education Division.
- B. This acceptance will be extended to students who enroll in Continuing & Career Education at Assumption College.
- C. All coursework included in the Human Services associate degree will be accepted and applied towards required coursework and electives as stipulated in the HSRS major in the Bachelor of Arts program. **See appendix A.**

Terms and Conditions of Transfer:

- A. Students who graduate from the Human Services Associate in Science degree with cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.5 or higher will be guaranteed admission into the HSRS major under the terms of this agreement.
- B. In addition, 62-64 credits of the completed NECC Human Services associate degree will be accepted by Continuing & Career Education at Assumption College and be applied to the Human Services and Rehabilitation major, with 56-58 credits remaining to be completed in the Bachelor of Arts degree. All coursework from the sending program must be completed with grades of C- or better in order to transfer.
- C. Continuing & Career Education at Assumption College will transfer up to 75 credits into the HSRS program if transferring coursework fulfills specific HSRS elective pool classes.

Communications and Advising

Communication and advising is central to effective transfer/articulation. Recognizing this:

- A. The colleges agree to include information about this articulation agreement in relevant publications for the purposes of promotion and advising.
- B. The colleges agree to jointly develop appropriate transfer guides and make these available to students and advisors as appropriate.
- C. The colleges agree to notify each other promptly, in writing, of substantive changes in curricula that might affect the Agreement.

Implementation and Length of Agreement

- A. Continuing & Career Education at Assumption College and Northern Essex Community College agree that this Agreement becomes effective on _____ (**date**) and is applicable to eligible students in the next semester of enrollment.

- B. This agreement will remain in effect for 3 years from the date above unless terminated or amended by either party with prior written notice.
- C. This Agreement does not preclude either college from entering into similar agreements with other institutions of higher education.

Signatures of Appropriate Institutional Leaders and Representatives

The relevant program coordinator and/or academic department chair of each institution shall be responsible for implementing this agreement, for identifying and incorporating any changes into subsequent agreements, and for conducting a periodic review of this agreement.

For Northern Essex Community College		For Assumption College	
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<hr style="border: 0; border-top: 1px solid black; margin-bottom: 5px;"/> William Heineman Vice President of Academic Affairs	<hr style="border: 0; border-top: 1px solid black;"/> Date	<hr style="border: 0; border-top: 1px solid black; margin-bottom: 5px;"/> Francis Lazarus Provost	<hr style="border: 0; border-top: 1px solid black;"/> Date
<hr style="border: 0; border-top: 1px solid black; margin-bottom: 5px;"/> Charles Phair Dean, Art, Business, Communication, Tech and Law Education and Social Professions	<hr style="border: 0; border-top: 1px solid black;"/> Date	<hr style="border: 0; border-top: 1px solid black; margin-bottom: 5px;"/> Dennis Braun Director of Continuing and Career Education	<hr style="border: 0; border-top: 1px solid black;"/> Date
<hr style="border: 0; border-top: 1px solid black; margin-bottom: 5px;"/> Jane Gagliardi Coordinator, Human Services Programs	<hr style="border: 0; border-top: 1px solid black;"/> Date	<hr style="border: 0; border-top: 1px solid black; margin-bottom: 5px;"/> Theresa Coolberth Academic Advisor	<hr style="border: 0; border-top: 1px solid black;"/> Date
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Northern Essex Community College and Assumption College
Associate to Bachelor Completion Degree Plan Table

Appendix A

Transfer Guide: Northern Essex Community College and Continuing & Career Education at Assumption College

Northern Essex Community College			Continuing & Career Education at Assumption College		
Human Services Degree				Bachelor of Arts	Human Services & Rehabilitation Studies
Credits			CR		
3	ART 100	Introduction to the Creative Experience	3		Elective
3/4	BIO 101	Human Biology	3/4	BIO	CCE Core Natural Science
3	ENG 101	English Comp I	3	ENG 130E	English Comp
3	ENG 102	English Comp II	3	ENG 140E	Intro to Literature
3	GOV 101	American Government and Politics	3		Elective
3	HUS 101	Intro. To Human Services	3	HRS 119E	Intro to Human Services and Rehabilitation Studies
3	HUS 103	Community Resources and Client Population	3	HRS 111E	<i>The Helping Services</i>
3	HUS 170	Modalities of Treatment	3	HRS 200E	Addiction: Etiology, Assessment, Treatment, and Rehabilitation
4	HUS 190 or HUS 191	Human Services Practicum I or HUS Practicum I in Alcohol/Drug Services	4	HRS 400E	Internship Track A
3	HUS 201	Group Dynamics	3		Elective
3	HUS 202	Behavior Management Principles & Techniques	3	HRS 320E	Psychiatric Rehabilitation
3	HUS 250	Seminar in Human Services	3		Elective
4	HUS 291 or HUS 192	HUS291 Human Services Practicum II or HUS192 HUS Practicum II in Alcohol/Drug Services	4	HRS 401E	Internship Track B
3	PSY 101	Introduction to Psychology	3	PSY 101E	Intro to Psychology
3	PSY 207	Abnormal Psychology	3	PSY 116E	Abnormal Psychology
		ELECTIVES			
3	CIS 101 or higher	Computer Elective	3	CSC 113E	<i>Introduction to Computers</i>
3/4	BIO 103	Science Electives- BIO103 recommended OR BIO111 for students who plan to transfer	3/4	BIO	CCE Core Natural Science
3-4	SOC	Sociology Elective	3-4		Elective
6		Free Electives- Students intending to transfer will benefit from speaking to an academic advisor in regard to electives	6		Electives
62(65)		Total credits transferred	62(65)		

NECC Students who complete the Certificate in Alcohol and Drug Abuse in addition to the Associate in Human Services would receive additional credit for these courses below:

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Certificate to Bachelor Completion Degree Plan Table

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Transfer Guide: Northern Essex Community College and Continuing & Career Education at Assumption College

Northern Essex Community College			Continuing & Career Education at Assumption College		
Alcohol and Drug Abuse Certificate			Bachelor of Arts	Human Services & Rehabilitation Studies	
Credits			CR		
3	HUS 171	Alcohol & Drug Abuse	3		Elective
3	HUS 172	Counseling Techniques with Substance Abuse	3		Elective
68(71)		Total credits transferred	68(71)		

******Courses left to complete at Continuing and Career Education at Assumption College after transfer******

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<u>CCE Core Requirements</u>				<u>Human Services Course Requirements</u>	
Credits			CR		
3		<i>Business Writing or Professional & Academic Writing</i>	3		<i>Human Development and Disability across the Lifespan</i>
3		<i>The Bible</i>	3		<i>Medical Aspects of Disability</i>
3		<i>Intro. to Philosophy</i>	3		<i>Rehabilitation Strategies and Interventions</i>
3		<i>Philosophy or Theology Elective</i>	3		<i>Client Information and Assessment</i>
3		<i>Survey History Course</i>	3		<i>Interviewing Techniques in Human and Rehabilitation Services</i>
3		<i>One Course in Math (111E or higher)</i>	3		<i>Principles of Case Management</i>
			6		<i>Internship 200 hours</i>
		<u>Electives</u>			<u>Perspectives Required</u>
3		<i>Elective</i>	3		<i>Cultural Perspective</i>
3		<i>Elective</i>	3		<i>Societal, Family Perspective</i>
24	Total		30	Total	