



Albany State University and Oconee Fall Line Technical College
Transfer Articulation Agreement

Albany State University's **Nursing RN to BSN** Completion Program and
Oconee Fall Line Technical College's Associate Degree Nursing Program

Purpose

The purpose of this agreement is to set guidelines for establishing a cooperative relationship between Albany State University's Department of Nursing and Oconee Fall Line Technical College and to facilitate the mobility of students who have completed their associate degree in Nursing, and desire to complete a baccalaureate degree in Nursing.

Agreement

Whereas Albany State University and Oconee Fall Line Technical College are committed to expanding educational opportunities for Registered Nurses.

Whereas the two institutions are committed to providing a smooth transition for students wishing to earn an associate degree and a baccalaureate degree, and

Whereas the intent of the two institutions is to avoid duplication of curricula where appropriate within articulated programs of study, and

Whereas the two institutions can better serve the educational growth of students and the economic development of the community through cooperative educational planning and optimal utilization of community resources, and

Be it resolved that this agreement commits the partners to fully support an articulation process between similar academic programs offered by the two institutions.

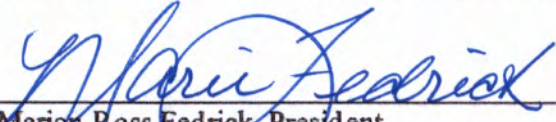
Mutual Terms and Conditions

1. Both educational institutions will cooperate toward developing, disseminating and presenting the articulated program information to students.
2. Graduates of the Oconee Fall Line Technical College Associate Degree in Nursing program who have completed the associate degree with a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.80 or better, have achieved the RN license from the National Council of State Boards of Nursing (NCSBN), and have met the admission requirements of Albany State University, will be accepted into the Nursing RN to BSN Completion Program at Albany State University's Department of Nursing. Those with a GPA of less than 2.80 and who meet the admission requirements of Albany State University will be considered for admission on a space available basis.
3. Students transferring from Oconee Fall Line Technical College may transfer credit hours toward their baccalaureate degree. Students must complete a minimum of 30 credit hours at Albany State University at the 3000 and 4000 level to be eligible for a Bachelor of Science with a major in Nursing.
4. Students are subject to the policies and procedures of both institutions.
5. Students intending to transfer should complete the admissions process for Albany State University by the appropriate deadlines of their final semester of their associate degree program.
6. The enclosed Curriculum Equivalency Guide will be used by Albany State University and Oconee Fall Line Technical College to identify courses that will effectively transfer and prepare Oconee Fall Line Technical College students for success in the Albany State University program.
7. Albany State University and Oconee Fall Line Technical College will enter into a Financial Aid Consortium in order to share information necessary that will entitle students in these programs to the appropriate federal, state, and institutional assistance. This process includes annual reporting of tuition fees and academic calendar dates.
8. Both parties will comply with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) and all associated regulations, taking the necessary steps to ensure that confidential personal information is not disclosed or distributed.
9. All parties agree to continue their respective policies of nondiscrimination based on Title IV of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 in regard to sex, age, race, color, creed and national origin, and other applicable laws as well as the provision of the American Disabilities Act.
10. The term of this agreement is for 3 years from the date of execution and shall automatically renew for successive one-year periods unless a party gives notice of non-renewal 12 months in advance of the expiration of the applicable term.
11. Both institutions, Albany State University and Oconee Fall Line Technical College, may at any time initiate changes to this articulation agreement. Both institutions reserve the right to modify programs as deemed necessary and agree to inform the appropriate individuals of said changes.

Agreement on Maintenance and Review

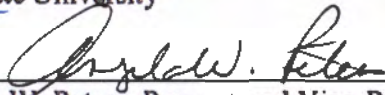
At least one administrator or faculty member will be appointed from each participating college/university to act as a primary point of contact and agent for this agreement, to speak for the institution, and to communicate details and modifications to respective faculty, advisors, and others with interest at the individual institutions.

This agreement will be in effect for three years from the date of administrative endorsement. Review of course content changes will be completed annually. It will be automatically renewed unless one of the parties expresses, in writing, its desire to terminate the agreement, giving six months' notification with the effective date to be the last day of the following academic term.



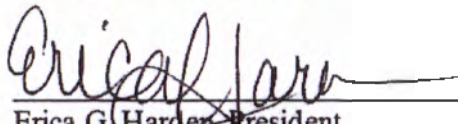
Marion Ross Fedrick, President
Albany State University

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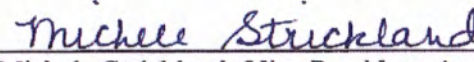
Dr. Angela W. Peters, Provost and Vice President of Academic Affairs
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Erica G. Harden, President
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Michele Strickland, Vice President Academic Affairs
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Albany State University and Oconee Fall Line Technical College Nursing Articulation Agreement

For Students in the Nursing Applied Science Degree Program at Oconee Fall Line Technical College transferring to the BS in Nursing at Albany State University

OFTC Course Number	OFTC Course Title	Credit Hours	ASU Equivalent Course Number	ASU Course Title	Credit Hours
Area F Related to Major					
BIOL 2117 and BIOL2117L	Introductory Microbiology and Introductory Microbiology Lab	3 + 1	BIOL 2211K	Introduction to Microbiology	4
BIOL 2113 and BIOL 2113L	Anatomy & Physiology I and Anatomy and Physiology I Lab	3 +1	BIOL 2411K	Human Anatomy & Physiology I	4
BIOL 2114 and BIOL 2114L	Anatomy & Physiology II and Anatomy and Physiology II Lab	3 + 1	BIOL 2412K	Human Anatomy & Physiology II	4
RNSG 1170	Foundations of Nursing	4	NURS 2231	Fundamental Concepts of Professional Nursing	5
RNSG 2070	Maternal/Pediatric Nursing	8	NURS 3134 and 3136	Pediatric Nursing and Women's Health Nursing	5 +5