

**Program Articulation Agreement
Between
Millersville University of Pennsylvania and Delaware County Community College**

This Program Articulation Agreement is between:

BA in Social Work
Millersville University of Pennsylvania
(Millersville, PA)

and

AA in Social Work
Delaware County Community College
(Media, PA)

Millersville University and Delaware County Community College set forth the conditions upon which Millersville University of Pennsylvania will consider graduates of the AA in Social Work to transfer for admission into the BA in Social Work at Millersville University.

Rationale for the Purpose of the Articulation Agreement

This agreement applies only to students completing the AA in Social Work at Delaware County Community College and wishing to articulate to the BA in Social Work program at Millersville University of Pennsylvania.

Admissions Requirements and Transfer of Academic Credit

- 1) Students enrolled in the AA in Social Work at Delaware County Community College who wish to articulate to the BA in Social Work program at Millersville University of Pennsylvania must complete the Millersville University of Pennsylvania admission process, including but not limited to: Millersville University of Pennsylvania admissions application, application fee, and submission of all official transcripts from secondary and post-secondary institutions.
- 2) Millersville University of Pennsylvania agrees that graduates of the Delaware County Community College AA in Social Work meet the admissions standards of the BA in Social Work program at Millersville University of Pennsylvania if they satisfy the following conditions:
 - a. Applicants with at least a 2.0 grade point average (GPA) at Delaware County Community College are eligible for admission to Millersville University of Pennsylvania.
 - b. Prior to matriculation to Millersville University of Pennsylvania, the student will show successful completion of AA in Social Work at Delaware County Community College.
- 3) Millersville University of Pennsylvania agrees that graduates of the Delaware County Community College AA in Social Work program will be able to transfer courses and

credit to Millersville University of Pennsylvania towards the BA in Social Work as follows:

- a. Per existing PA State System of Higher Education transfer policy, all students who complete the AA in Social Work degree at Delaware County Community College and transfer into Millersville's BA in Social Work program will receive a waiver of Millersville's General Education requirements, with the exception of those courses listed in this agreement.
- b. Coursework completed at Delaware County Community College towards satisfaction of the requirements for the BA in Social Work will transfer to Millersville University of Pennsylvania as outlined in this agreement.
- c. All coursework transcribed at Delaware County Community College beyond those outlined in this agreement will transfer to Millersville University of Pennsylvania and will be applied to the 120-credit total required for conferral of the baccalaureate degree at Millersville University. Students must complete at least 30 credits at Millersville University to meet residency requirements.
- d. If students do not transfer into a parallel program, any coursework outside of that outlined in this agreement must be reviewed and confirmed by Millersville for baccalaureate attainment.
- e. All students who transfer into Millersville University through this agreement will be required to fulfill all applicable residency requirements of Millersville University and the PA State System of Higher Education current at the time of matriculation into Millersville University.
- f. Transfer credit will be awarded for courses with a grade of "D" or above for any and all courses transferred to Millersville University. Certain majors and courses may require higher grades. Millersville University will need official transcripts for evaluation of credit from other attended institutions, including military transcripts. Credit may also be awarded for AP, CLEP, and pre-college dual admissions courses, etc. with appropriate documentation. Developmental courses are not eligible for transfer.

Renewal or Terminated of Articulation Agreement:

- 1) Delaware County Community College agrees to promptly notify Millersville University of Pennsylvania of any substantive curricular modifications to the AA in Social Work program and further agrees that the terms of this agreement will no longer hold unless Millersville University of Pennsylvania provides a written approval that the curricular changes do not alter the intent of the agreement.
- 2) Millersville University of Pennsylvania agrees to provide Delaware County Community College with information about the BA in Social Work program at Millersville University of Pennsylvania and any changes to the curriculum, if they should occur. Conditions for admission in the BA in Social Work program at Millersville University of Pennsylvania are stipulated in this agreement.

Mutual Terms and Conditions:

- 1) The parties agree to continue their respective policies of nondiscrimination based on Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 in regard to sex, age, race, color, creed, national origin, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 and other applicable laws, as well as the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act. The parties agree to cooperate in the investigation of any claims of discrimination or harassment.

- 2) The laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania shall govern this agreement. This agreement is not a legally binding contract and is not enforceable in a court or in the Pennsylvania Board of Claims. In the event of a dispute between the parties, advice and direction will be offered by the Office of the Chancellor of the State System of Higher Education.
- 3) The relationship between the parties to this Agreement to each other is that of independent contractors. The relationship of the parties to this agreement to each other shall not be construed to constitute a partnership, joint venture or any other relationship, other than that of independent contractors.
- 4) Neither of the parties shall assume any liabilities to each other. As to liability to each other for injury or death to persons, or damages to property, the parties do not waive any defense as a result of entering into this agreement. This provision shall not be construed to limit either parties' rights, claims or defenses which arise as a matter of law pursuant to any provisions of this agreement. Nothing in this Agreement shall be construed to limit the sovereign immunity of the Commonwealth or of the State System of Higher Education or Millersville University
- 5) The terms of the agreement shall remain in effect, except as stipulated in certain previous terms as listed herein, for a period of five years, subsequent to the date of execution of this agreement, unless terminated by either party. Any party may terminate the agreement with or without cause, on the provision of 120 days written notice to the other party. All commitments made to students who have been accepted, but have not yet completed the program at Millersville, will be honored. In the event of a substantial breach, either party may terminate this agreement.
- 6) This Agreement shall only be modified in writing with the same formality as the original Agreement.
- 7) This Agreement represents the entire understanding between the parties. No other prior or contemporaneous oral or written understandings or promises exist in regards to this relationship. This Agreement supersedes any other agreements, restrictions, representations, or warranties, if any, between the two parties hereto with regard to the subject matter contained herein.

Millersville University of Pennsylvania and Delaware County Community College have entered into this agreement on the indicated date as witnessed by the signatures below:

Dr. Daniel Wubah
 President
 Millersville University of Pennsylvania

Dr. Marta Cronin
 President
 Delaware County Community College

Date

Date

Dr. Gail Gasparich
 Provost and Senior Vice President for
 Academic Affairs
 College Millersville University of Pennsylvania

Dr. Marian McGorry
 V.P. Academic Affairs
 Delaware County Community

Date

Date

Approved for form and legality:

Jacqueline C. Fox
University Legal Counsel

Date

Appendix A

CURRICULUM TRANSFER AGREEMENT GUIDELINE			
Delaware County Community College: AA in Social Work		Millersville University of Pennsylvania: BA in Social Work	
General Information: All students are required to complete an Advanced Writing Course at Millersville if no equivalency completed prior to transfer.			
DELAWARE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE AA IN SOCIAL WORK		MILLERSVILLE UNIVERSITY BA IN SOCIAL WORK	
Major Courses Completed at CC	Cr.	MU Equivalencies	Cr.
CS 100	3	INTE 130	3
ENG 100 ¹	3	ENGL 110	3
PSY 140	3	PSYC 100	3
MAT 121 OR MAT 151	3-4	MATH 130 OR MATH 101	3-4
SWO 101 ¹	3	SOWK 102	3
SWO 210 ¹	3	SOWK 203	3
ENG 112	3	ENGL 1X1	3
COMM 111 ¹	3	COMM 100	3
SOC 110	3	SOCY 101	3
HIS 110 or higher	3	HIST 106	3
SWO 220	3	SOWK 22X	3
BIO 100 OR BIO 110	4	BIOL 100	4
PHI 110	3	PHIL 381	3
PSY 225/SOC 215	3	PSYC 234/SOCY 2XX	3
POL 120 or higher	3	GOVT 111	3
MAT 210	3	MATH 235	3
PSY/SWO 203	3	SOWK 2X3	3
Science Elective/Lab Science ²	4	Science Elective/Lab Science	4
Arts & Humanities Elective (Literature or Foreign Language)	3	Arts & Humanities Elective (Literature or Foreign Language)	3
Behavioral & Social Science Elective	3	Behavioral & Social Science Elective	3
MINIMUM CREDITS NEEDED TO COMPLETE ASSOCIATES DEGREE:	62-63	CREDITS TRANSFERED:	62-63

NOTES:

1. A grade of C or higher is required for transfer for ENG 100, COMM 111, SWO 101 and 210 in order to meet MU major course requirements.
2. For the Science Elective, students should complete BIO 100 at DCCC which will transfer to MU as BIOL 100, which is a required prerequisite for BIOL 204, a required course for MU degree completion.