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Dear Judith:

Enclosed are three copies with original signatures of the articulation agreement. We in the nursing program and Western are excited about this agreement and the continuing relationship between our two schools. We were warmly greeted by faculty, students, and staff. I know that Cindy Andrews will be making regular trips to the campus to talk to prospective students.

I did have to make a small change to the original agreement on page 1 to make the agreement consistent with the RN to BSN degree plan. Under Social/Behavioral Sciences Area, it now reads "Pick 2-3 courses from different groups of the following:" instead of "the following course is required : PSY 102 General Psychology (3) AND." This is an issue that both Betsy Shook, our transcript reviewer, and I missed as we developed the document. It should not make much of an impact but I will make sure that Mark Boggie and his staff are aware of it. I will also be sending a copy electronically which you may have already gotten.

Again, great to be working with Cochise and we look forward to continuing articulation between our two schools. I know that other programs in the School of Health Sciences and Human Performance, namely Social Work and Allied Health are interested in similar agreements.

Sincerely,

Pat McIntire FNP
Chair, Nursing Department



ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

Western New Mexico University (WNMU)/Cochise College (CC)

2009-2010

RN to BSN Completion Program

General Education – Students completing any of the three AGEC modules (AGEC-A, AGEC-B, or AGEC-S) will be deemed to have completed all WNMU General Education requirements *except* Oral Communication and Computer Literacy. If the AGEC is not completed, the following course equivalency guide will be used to evaluate General Education transfer credit.

WNMU B.S.N. Degree Requirements	Equivalent CC Courses
General Education	

Oral Communication Area (3 hours) COMM 110 Public Speaking (3) COMM 175 TGE (Pre-approved General Ed)	COM 102 Essentials of Communication (3) COM 110 Public Speaking (3)
Written Communication Area (6 hours) a. ENGL 101 Comp. & Rhet. I (3) b. ENGL 102 Comp. & Rhet. II (3)	a. <i>ENG 101 Written Communications I</i> (3) b. <i>ENG 102 Written Communications II</i> (3)
Mathematics Area (3 hours) MATH 105 Mathematics for Liberal Arts I (3) MATH 106 Mathematics for Liberal Arts II (3) MATH 121 Mathematics for Business Applications I (3) MATH 131 College Algebra (3) MATH 132 Trigonometry (3) MATH 171 Calculus (5) MATH 175 TGE (pre-approved General Ed) Cochise Courses marked with * are offered at WNMU at the upper division level	MAT 142 Survey of College Math (3) MAT 151 College Algebra (3) *MAT 167 Elements of Statistics (3) MAT 182 Trigonometry (3) MAT 187 Precalculus (5) MAT 220 Calculus I (5) *MAT 252 Intro to Linear Algebra (3) *MAT 262 Differential Equations (3)
Laboratory Science Area (8 hours) CHEM 121/123 Chemistry for Life (4) BIO 254/256 Anatomy and Physiology I (4) BIO 255/257 Anatomy and Physiology II (4) BIOL 175 TGE (pre-approved General Ed)	Any two of the following lab courses: <i>BIO 201 Anatomy and Physiology I</i> (4) <i>BIO 202 Anatomy and Physiology II</i> (4) Other courses transfer as Gen Ed but Cochise Nursing Graduates have met this requirement with BIO 201 & 202
Social/Behavioral Sciences Area(6-9hrs) Pick 2-3 courses from different groups of the following: PSY 102 General Psychology (3) PSY 175 TGE (pre-approved General Ed) SOC 101 Intro to Sociology (3) SOC 102 Social Problems (3) ECON 201 Basic Economics (3) ECON 202 Principles of Macroeconomics (3) POLS 201 American National Government (3) POLS 202 American State Government (3) POLS 175 TGE (pre-approved General Ed) GEOG 201 Physical Geography (4) GEOG 202 Human Geography (3) GEOG 205 World Regional Geography (3) GEOG 175 TGE (pre-approved General Ed) ANTH 201 Cultural Anthropology (3)	<i>PSY 101 Intro. to Psychology</i> (3) PSY 103 Personality and Adjustment (3) PSY 210 Social Psychology (3) PSY 230 Theories of Personality & Research(3) <i>PSY 240 Developmental Psychology</i> (3) SOC 101 Introduction to Sociology (3) SOC 202 Social Problems (3) ECN 201 Principles of Macroeconomics (3) ECN 202 Principles of Microeconomics (3) POS 110 American National Government (3) POS 230 World Politics (3) POS 240 Comparative Politics (3) ANT 102 Society and Culture (3) ANT 110 Exploring Archeology (3) ANT 111 Exploring Physical Anthropology (3) ANT 235 Principles of Archaeology (3)

<p>ANTH 202 Physical Anthropology & Archeology (3) ANTH 175 TGE (pre-approved General Ed)</p>	<p>ANT 285 Prehistoric Cultures of North America (3) ANT 286 Historic Indian Tribes of North America (3) ANT 288 Native Peoples of the Southwest (3) GEO 101 Physical Geography (4) GEO 102 Intro to Human Geography (3) GEO 121 World Regional Geography (3)</p>
<p>Humanities Area (a total of 9-12 hrs. from three separate categories) <u>History category:</u> HIST 111 World Civilization I (3) HIST 112 World Civilization II (3) HIST 201 American History I (3) HIST 202 American History II (3) HIST 175 TGE (pre-approved General Ed)</p>	<p>HIS 110 U.S. History I (3) HIS 111 U.S. History II (3) HIS 240 Western Civ. I (3) HIS 241 Western Civ. II (3) HIS 242 Western Civ. III (3) HON 270 Honors History & Literature (3)</p>
<p><u>Aesthetics category (Art, Music, Theater):</u> ART 211 Art Appreciation (3) ART 175 TGE (pre-approved General Ed) MUSC 111 Music Appreciation (3) MUSC 119 Fundamentals of Music (3) THR 110 Theater/Drama Appreciation (3) THR 136 Introduction to Theater Production(3) THR 211 Acting I (3) THR 275 TGE (pre-approved General Ed) (ART and MUS studio courses no longer count as General Ed)</p>	<p>ART 107 Survey of World Art I (3) ART 108 Survey of World Art II (3) ART 120 Appreciation of Visual Arts (3) MUS 100 Fundamentals of Music Notation (3) MUS 101 Introduction to Music (3) MUS 102 Introduction to Music (3) MUS 260 Music Fundamentals through Experience (3) THE 101 Acting I (3) THE 103 Introduction to Theater (3) THE 213 Stagecraft (3)</p>
<p><u>Literature category:</u> ENGL 200 Poetry (3) ENGL 201 Introduction to Literature (3) ENGL 205 Hispanic American Literature (3) ENGL 225 The Short Story (3) ENGL 240 Native American Literature (3) ENGL 265 World Literature (3) ENGL 293 English Literature I (3) ENGL 294 English Literature II (3) ENGL 296 American Literature I (3) ENGL 297 English Literature II (3) ENGL 275 TGE (pre-approved General Ed)</p>	<p>ENG 209 Intro. to Poetry (3) ENG 210 The Bible as Literature (3) ENG 220 British Literature I (3) ENG 221 British Literature II (3) ENG 222 Intro. to Shakespeare (3) ENG 224 American Literature I (3) ENG 225 American Literature II (3) ENG 226 World Literature I (3) ENG 227 World Literature II (3) ENG 228 Mythology and Folklore (3) ENG 230 Literature of the Southwest (3) ENG 231 Native American Literature (3) ENG 260 Irish Literature (3) ENG 265 Major American Writers (3) ENG 273 Women & Literature (3) HON 270 Honors History & Literature (3) SPA 221 Intro to Spanish Literature II(3) SPA 224 Intro to Mexican Literature I (3) SPA 225 Intro to Mexican Literature II (3)</p>
<p><u>Philosophy category:</u> PHIL 100 Intro to Philosophy (3) PHIL 101 Thinking and Problem Solving (3) PHIL 200 Contemporary Philosophy & Religious Thought (3) PHIL 175 TGE (preapproved Gen Ed)</p>	<p>PHI 111 Intro. to Philosophy(3) PHI 113 Intro. to Logic and Language (3) PHI 130 Ethics (3) PHI 202 Philosophy of Religion (3) BIO 250 Biomedical Ethics (3)</p>
<p>Computer Area (3 hours) CMPS 111 Computer Literacy</p>	<p>CIS 116 Computer Essentials (3)</p>

Italics indicate courses required in the Cochise AAS in Nursing

ADDITIONAL NURSING DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

MATH 321 Statistics (3) or SOC 323 Social Statistics (3)	MAT 167 Elements of Statistics (3) (student will not receive upper division credit)
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NURSING CORE REQUIREMENTS

WNMU

COCHISE

ADN Degree (41 hrs)	Associate of Applied Science in Nursing(42 hrs)
RN License (NM or Multistate)	RN License (AZ or Multistate)

UPPER DIVISION NURSING COURSES (36 hrs)

- NUR 325 Health Assessment (4)
- NUR 332 Nursing Research (3)
- NUR 336 Pathophysiology (4)
- NUR 405 Family Systems (4)
- NUR 406 Critical Thinking in Professional Nursing (3)
- NUR 407 Leadership Roles (3)
- NUR 408 Issues in Professional Nursing (3)
- NUR 415 Health Care Policy I (2)
- NUR 416 Health Care Policy II (2)
- NUR 429 Utilizing Resources (2)
- NUR 446 Community Health Nursing (6)

NURSING ELECTIVES (2 hrs minimum)

- NUR 304 Integrating Complementary & Alternative Medicine into Nursing Practice (2)
- NUR 420 History of Nursing (3)
- NUR 432 Nursing Informatics (2)
- NUR 441 Perioperative Nursing (4)
- NUR 470 Nursing Organization and Management (3)

Other Upper Division Electives

The WNMU RN to BSN degree plan may be found at:
<http://www.wnmu.edu/DgrPlans/dplan2004nursing.htm>

ADMISSIONS PROCEDURES AND TRANSFER INFORMATION

Regular admission for transfer students requires the student to be in good standing at the institution from which s/he is transferring. Transfer students may be granted regular admission by completing the WNMU undergraduate application form and providing appropriate documentation of a transcript showing completion of an Associate of Applied Science in Nursing from Cochise Community College.

It is the policy of Western New Mexico University to accept transfer credits from other regionally accredited colleges and universities.

Transfer credit may be awarded when the following conditions are met:

1. The student must be awarded "final" admissions status.
2. The course carries degree credit at the transferring institution.
3. The student was not suspended from a college or university at the time the course was taken.

Courses transfer from other institutions at the level offered at those institutions. Hours transferred from Cochise College cannot be used for upper division (300-400) hours.

A transfer student must complete a minimum of thirty credit hours at WNMU, at least twenty of which must be upper division coursework, and six credit hours in the major at WNMU.

The BSN requires a total of 50 hours (minimum) of upper division coursework, 6 hours of which must be outside the major.

Faye Vowell 1-19-10
Dr. Faye Vowell Date
Provost & Vice President for Academic Affairs

Verlyn Fick 1/14/10
Dr Verlyn Fick Date
Vice President for Instruction/Provost