

ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

Wilmington University
RN to BSN
and
Chesapeake College
A.S. in Nursing

Preface

Chesapeake College (CC) and Wilmington University (WILMU) enter into this Agreement in order to facilitate the transfer of CC students who have completed the A.S. in Nursing into the B.S. in Nursing at WILMU.

Subject to the terms of this Agreement, a student who completes the Nursing curriculum at CC will be assured third year status in the B.S.N. program at WILMU. This will generally allow a full-time student to complete the requirements for the baccalaureate degree within four regular semesters providing the student appropriately schedules and successfully completes (without repeating courses) their remaining courses at WILMU.

Terms and Conditions for Admission to Wilmington University

1. Students who complete the A.S. in Nursing at CC are admitted to WILMU and will enter with junior status with up to 75 credits transferred as indicated. Courses outside of the curriculum of the A.S. in Nursing at CC will be evaluated by WILMU on a course-by-course basis. Transfer credits will be awarded according to the attached transfer guide addendum.
2. A minimum grade of "D" is required to transfer a course to WILMU. (Minimum grade of D is only for classes in the associate's degree. If students transfer without earning an associate's C is the minimum grade requirement.)
3. The student must meet all applicable WILMU requirements and deadlines pertaining to application for admission and payment of tuition and fees.
4. Students who apply to WILMU without the A.S. in Nursing from CC will not be covered by this Agreement. For CC students who do not graduate with the associate's degree, WILMU will determine appropriate transfer of credit on a course-by-course basis.
5. Students transferring under this Agreement will be eligible for financial aid on the same basis as WILMU students are.
6. Once at WILMU, students who transfer under the terms of this Agreement are responsible for meeting requirements in their major field of study, and any other curriculum requirements applying to all WILMU students, that were in effect at WILMU at the time of their admission to CC or admission to WILMU (depending on what is most beneficial to the student). These students will abide by the policies and procedures, and any revisions thereof, which apply to all WILMU students.
7. WILMU will waive the application fee for students who apply to WILMU pursuant to this Agreement.

Joint Responsibilities for Maintenance of this Agreement

1. CC and WILMU agree to maintain and distribute information about this Agreement, and any changes relevant to it, to students, counselors, and advisors.
2. CC and WILMU will assure that the appropriate personnel at their respective institutions are made aware of the Agreement, and any revisions thereto, and are encouraged to support it.

3. Both institutions will encourage CC students to meet with representatives of WILMU to discuss issues related to admissions, financial aid, and transfer of courses well in advance of their expected date of entry.
4. Faculty from each institution teaching in the curriculum for which this Agreement has been developed will be encouraged to meet at least once annually to discuss issues of curriculum and student development.

Revision, Renewal and Termination of this Agreement

The Academic & Corporate Partnerships Manager and the Transfer Coordinator and Vice President for Academic Affairs at CC are responsible for identifying and communicating to each other changes in the policies or requirements of their respective institutions that affect this Agreement.

This Agreement will be in effect as of the date of its signing. It will be reviewed every three years by the appropriate parties at each institution, and will be renewed automatically until superseded by a new Agreement or formally terminated.


Revisions to the attached program-to-program articulation document may be made with written consent of the representatives of each institution. Whenever possible, WILMU will grandfather students who have followed the previous articulation document. Major changes to this Agreement will require signatures from both institutions.

Either institution may terminate this Agreement at any time by written notice of at least one (1) year in advance of the effective date of termination. Should this Agreement be terminated, it is understood that the termination will not apply to students already accepted to WILMU under the terms of this Agreement, but not yet enrolled in classes.


The willingness of both institutions to enter this Agreement in order to facilitate the transfer of students from CC to WILMU and to expand their opportunities for academic success at WILMU is indicated by the following signatures.

The undersigned representatives of the parties, Chesapeake College and Wilmington University have executed this Agreement on the date indicated below.


For Chesapeake College



 Barbara Viniar, Ed D Date
 President

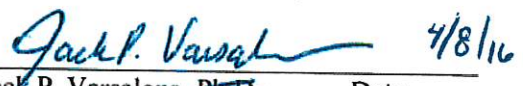


 Richard Midcap Ed D Date
 Interim Vice President of Academic Affairs

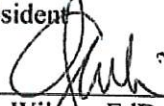


 Maureen Gilmartin M.S. Date
 Dean of Career and Professional Studies

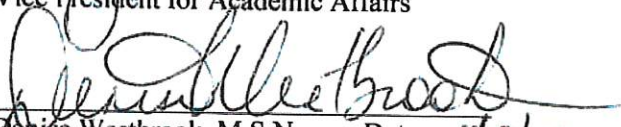
For Wilmington University



 Jack P. Varsalona, Ph.D. Date
 President EdD



 Jim Wilson, EdD Date
 Vice President for Academic Affairs



 Denise Westbrook, M.S.N. Date
 Dean of the College of Health Profession