

TRANSFER ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

Quinsigamond Community College

and

Anna Maria College

Human Services Associate in Arts Degree

to

Bachelor in Social Work Degree

(Fall 2018)

General Statement of Purpose

Anna Maria College agrees to collaborate with Quinsigamond Community College (QCC) by providing opportunities for appropriately qualified students in the QCC **Human Services** Associate in Arts Degree program to complete a Bachelor of **Social Work** degree at Anna Maria College. This articulation agreement is designed to facilitate the educational mobility and transfer of students from Quinsigamond Community College to Anna Maria College, encouraging and rewarding the successful completion of their Associate degree program prior to transition to Anna Maria College.

Requirements and Terms

Anna Maria College and Quinsigamond Community College agree that any student in the **Human Services** program who has earned an Associate of Arts degree may transfer their credits toward a Bachelor of **Social Work** degree at Anna Maria College. Eligibility requirements are as follows:

- A. Students who have completed the QCC **Human Services** Associate of Arts degree with cumulative Grade Point Averages of 2.0 (or higher) will be accepted into the Anna Maria College Bachelor of **Social Work** degree with “core general education completed” status through the sophomore year. Transfer student applicants who do not meet these criteria will be evaluated individually.
- B. Any student meeting the above-stated requirements is eligible to transfer all college-level QCC **Human Services** program coursework (62-63 credits) to Anna Maria College, as defined by the Anna Maria College Registrar’s office. Additional QCC courses may be accepted in transfer; See Section E.
- C. Appendix A lists the approved course equivalencies from the Quinsigamond Community College **Human Services** Associate degree to the Bachelor of **Social Work** degree at Anna Maria College.
- D. All courses applied as transfer equivalencies for Anna Maria College courses ENG 103 Freshman Composition, or ENG 104 Writing Through Literature, must have been completed with minimum grades of C or better in order to be meet the general education requirements of Anna Maria College as stipulated in the college catalog. In cases where equivalent courses have been completed to satisfy requirements of an earned associate’s degree with grades below a C or better, students will receive transfer credits applied to their student transcripts for the completed coursework. However, students will still be required to meet the course standards set forth by Anna Maria College (successful completion of ENG103 and ENG104 with Minimum grades of C or better).
- E. Under this agreement, Quinsigamond Community College students would complete a minimum of 60 credits at Anna Maria College. If students have eligible transfer courses beyond 62-63 credits or their earned associate’s degree, those credits may be evaluated for acceptance, up to a maximum of 75 transferrable credits.
- F. Students must meet all requirements needed for a Bachelor degree at Anna Maria College including:
 - i. Earning a minimum of 120 credits
 - ii. Maintaining a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0
 - iii. Maintaining the minimum required GPA within their program of study as stated in the Academic Catalog
 - iv. Satisfying all General Education and Program requirements as stated in the Academic Catalog
 - v. Completing an intent to graduate form and submitting it to the Anna Maria College Registrar’s Office one semester prior to the planned date of graduation.

- G. Students covered under this agreement will receive consideration consistent with others seeking financial aid.
- H. Anna Maria College and Quinsigamond Community College agree to communicate any curriculum changes and policies which affect the agreed upon relationship. Both parties reserve the right to amend or revise by mutual consent and in writing this agreement or to change curriculum, whenever feasible.
- I. Anna Maria College will designate an official(s) who will be responsible for all aspects of the articulation program at Anna Maria College. Quinsigamond Community College will designate an individual(s) responsible for all aspects of this agreement at Quinsigamond Community College
- J. Anna Maria College and Quinsigamond Community College will review this agreement every three years and make adjustments or amendments as deemed appropriate to maintain the integrity of each institution as well as for the improvement of the transfer process and student articulation. Pending review and mutual assent, this agreement may be renewed.
- K. The two institutions further agree to communicate to respective publics of the established relationships. This may include informational sessions on the campus of Quinsigamond Community College as well as prominent display of the agreement online via transfer counseling and/or advising services websites.
- L. Either Anna Maria College or Quinsigamond Community College may terminate the agreement by notifying the other party in writing 90 days in advance. Should the agreement be terminated, any Quinsigamond Community College student who has designated and selected this articulation program prior to termination will be allowed to complete the program within a three-year period of time.
- M. This articulation agreement does not preclude Anna Maria College or Quinsigamond Community College from entering into similar agreements with other institutions of higher education.
- N. This agreement is effective on the final date of signature by both institutions.

**APPENDIX A Quinsigamond Community College Human Services Program To
Anna Maria College Social Work Program 2018-2019 Catalog**

ANNA MARIA COLLEGE SOCIAL WORK DEGREE REQUIREMENTS		
AMC Course	AMC Course Name	QCC Course Equivalent
AMC 100	First-Year Experience	PSY 101
ENG 102	Development Writing (placement only)	---
ENG 103	Freshman Composition	ENG 101*
ENG 104	Writing Through Literature	ENG 102*
PHL 110	Introduction to Philosophy	HUS 231/Exempt***
THE 210	Introduction to Theology	QCC Elective/Exempt
SWK 454	Senior Capstone Seminar	---
Language I	Global Language I	---
Language II	Global Language II	---
QR	Quantitative Reasoning	QCC Math or Science Elective
Explorations Courses		
	AMC Explorations Course In:	
EC	Natural Sciences (<i>consult advisor</i>)	QCC Math or Science Elective
EC	Western Cultures and History (<i>consult advisor</i>)	QCC Liberal Arts Elective
EC	Societies of the World (<i>consult advisor</i>)	***
EC	Creativity and Imagination (<i>consult advisor</i>)	SPH 101
EC	United States in the World (<i>consult advisor</i>)	QCC Elective
EC	Global Dynamics (<i>consult advisor</i>)	---
EC	Writing for Career & Creativity (<i>consult advisor</i>)	---
EC	Catholic Worldview (<i>consult advisor</i>)	---

Social Work Major Requirements		
AMC Course	AMC Course Name	QCC Course #
SOC 201	Introduction to Sociology (EC Societies of the World)	SOC 101***
SWK 242	Social Welfare as a Social Institution (<i>EC in US in the World</i>)	
SWK 307	Diversity and Issues of Oppression (<i>EC in Global Dynamics</i>)	HUS 221**
SWK 342	Social Welfare Policies	
SWK344	Intro to Generalist Practice (<i>SWK Majors Only</i>)	
SWK345	Social Work Practice and Ethics (plus HUS 231 above)	HUS 243 (4 cr) **
SWK348	Growth & Behavior in the Social Environment I	
SWK349	Growth & Behavior in the Social Environment II	
SWK410	Research Methods in Social Work	---
SWK408	Marriage and the Family	---
SWK443	Generalist Practice with Individuals (<i>prereq: SWK344</i>)	---
SWK445	Senior Fieldwork Seminar I	---
SWK446	Senior Fieldwork Seminar II	---
SWK448	Generalist Practice w/Families and group (<i>prereq: SWK344, 443</i>)	---
SWK449	Generalist Practice w/Community & Org (<i>prereq: SWK344, 443, 448</i>)	
	Elective Course	
	Elective Course	---

Notes: *These QCC courses must be completed with minimum grades of C in order to meet Anna Maria College general education requirements.


**Social Work majors must obtain minimum grades of C+ or higher in all SWK courses. Under this agreement, QCC students must earn a C+ or higher in HUS 221, HUS 231, and HUS 243.

***Some major requirements can be applied to Explorations Course requirements. These QCC courses meet General Education and/or major requirements and may be counted under more than one category.

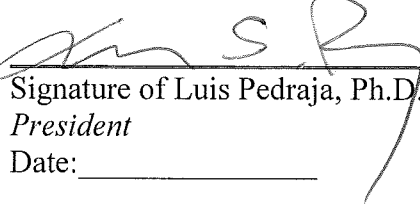
The following QCC Human Services requirements will be applied as General Electives toward graduation requirements as discussed in Section F of this agreement: GRT 101, HUS 101, HUS 121, HUS 125, HUS 141, PSY 231, PSY 273, HUS 244.

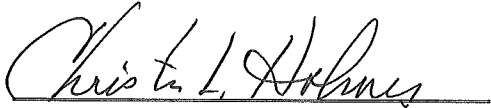
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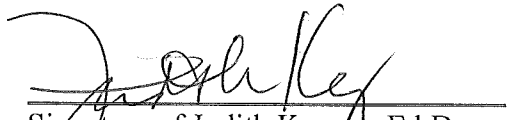

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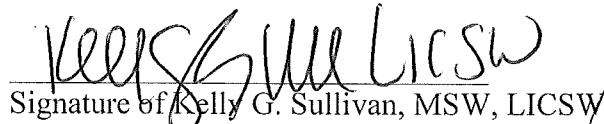

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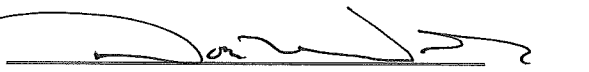

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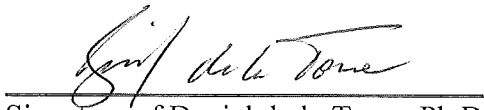

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