

University of Cincinnati Transfer Articulation Agreement

Northcentral Technical College, Associate's in Medical Laboratory Technician to University of Cincinnati,
College of Allied Health Sciences, Bachelor of Science in Medical Laboratory Science (ONLINE)

Originating Institution: Northcentral Technical College

Degree/Program: Associates Degree / Medical Laboratory Technician

Target Institution: University of Cincinnati / College of Allied Health Sciences

Degree/Program: Bachelor of Science (BS) / Medical Laboratory Science (Online)

Introduction: This agreement details the applicability of courses from the Northcentral Technical College Medical Laboratory Technician Associated Degree to the BS Medical Laboratory Science (Online) in the University of Cincinnati (UC) College of Allied Health Sciences. Students who complete the Associates Degree of Medical Laboratory Technician at Northcentral Technical College have satisfied the UC General Education requirement.

A maximum of 60 semester hours transferred from Northcentral Technical College will apply toward the 120 semester hours required for the BS Medical Laboratory Science.

Articulation Overview: Graduates from Northcentral Technical College who have followed the prescribed program, completed the Associates Degree, and are accepted into the College of Allied Health Sciences will enter at junior standing in the BS Medical Laboratory Science program. All degree requirements are completed online.

Admission Criteria: *Note: completing the courses on the addendums below does not guarantee admission to the UC BS Medical Laboratory Science program.

A successful candidate must:

- Hold an Associate's Degree from a NAACLS* accredited CLT/MLT program or equivalent coursework
- Hold an ASCP* CLT/MLT certification
- Complete MLS program application packet
- Submit a letter of intent and updated resume
- Submit three reference forms, essential functions form, and statement of health forms (available in MLS program application packet)
- Submit proof of ASCP* CLT/MLT certification
- Complete a UC online application
- Submit official transcripts from all schools attended

Minimum GPA: 2.5

Clinical Practicum: During the clinical rotation training experiences, students perform hands-on advanced clinical training tasks under the supervision of an on-site clinical preceptor. The MLS Program and the student work together in identifying an appropriate clinical laboratory that will serve as a clinical training site. In some cases, more than one clinical training site may be needed to ensure all required competencies are taught and assessed. Training usually occurs on the first shift. Students may need to revise their work schedule or take time-off to complete clinical hours. Students may submit a Prior Learning Assessment application to request Life Experience Credit for some or all of the clinical rotation modules based upon prior work experience.

Admission Period: Northcentral Technical College students must be admitted to the UC College of Allied Health Sciences during the duration of this agreement (i.e. between November 2019 and November 2022).

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Agreement End Date: November 2022

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EXECUTION, DURATION AND REVIEW OF AGREEMENT:

This agreement becomes effective upon its signing by the Deans of both Colleges and will remain effective for three years. At the end of this time, the agreement will be reviewed and may be renegotiated. Northcentral Technical College and the UC College of Allied Health Sciences agree to keep one another informed as program changes affecting the agreement occur. The Deans of both Colleges will agree upon any future additions and/or amendments to this document in writing.

This agreement will be reviewed on an annual basis and is subject to change due to revisions in program curriculum.

Northcentral Technical College students are encouraged to work closely with their academic advisor to monitor possible changes.

SEE ATTACHED ADDENDUMS FOR COURSE EQUIVALENCIES AND SAMPLE TRANSFER DEGREE MAPS.

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Addendum One: Course Equivalencies

Coursework Articulation	
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Northcentral Technical College			University of Cincinnati		
Course ID	Course Title	Sem Hrs	Course ID	Course Title	Sem Hrs
Associate's Coursework					
	Students do not receive course by course credit for didactic or clinical experience courses; block credit awarded			Advanced Standing 0000 BLOCK CREDIT	60
Total transfer hours towards UC degree/program		60	Semester hours remaining to complete the UC degree/program		60

The following coursework will be required to complete the BS Medical Laboratory Science (Online) at the University of Cincinnati		
Course ID	Full Course Name	Credit Hrs
CORE COURSES		
MLSC 3054	Clinical Fluids Analysis	2
MLSC 3053	Clinical Immunology	3
MLSC 3052	Special Topics in Medical Laboratory Science	2
MLSC 4059	Special Microbiology (Myco/Viro/Parasit)	3
MLSC 4060	Clinical Microbiology	3
MLSC 4061	Advanced Microbiology	3
MLSC 4062	Principles of Immunohematology	3
MLSC 4063	Advanced Immunohematology	4
MLSC 3055	Statistics	2
MLSC 4051	Clinical Chemistry	3
MLSC 4066	Advanced Clinical Chemistry	3
MLSC 4050	Diagnostic Molecular Biology	3
MLSC 4057	Hematology	3
MLSC 4068	Advanced Hematology	4
MLSC 3056	Hemostasis	1
MLSC 4069	Advanced Clinical Practiced	6
MLSC 3963	Advanced Laboratory Concepts	2
MLSC 3051	Laboratory Operations	2
MLSC 4058	Medical Laboratory Science Capstone	2
MLSC 4071	Advanced Clinical Correlations	6
UC BS Medical Laboratory Science (Online) credit hours remaining		60
Transfer credits from Northcentral Technical College		60
Total hours to complete degree		120

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Addendum Two: Sample Transfer Degree Map

Sample Transfer Degree Map for:

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The following suggested course sequence includes all course requirements for this articulation agreement following admission to the College of Allied Health Sciences BS Medical Laboratory Science (Online) program. You should consult with an academic advisor each semester to ensure you maintain appropriate degree progress and are fulfilling all requirements for the agreement. **Course sequencing below assumes a fall start date.** If starting the program during any other term, please consult with your academic advisor.

**NOTE: Required coursework for the associate degree and credentials required for admission to the BS Medical Laboratory Science (Online) program are not outlined here. Please consult your academic advisor at your first institution for those details.*

For details beyond course planning, please consult with your academic advisor or contact credeval@uc.edu to view the full agreement.

Semester 1 – at University of Cincinnati

UC Course Number	Course Title	Cr Hrs
MLSC 3054	Clinical Fluids Analysis	2
MLSC 3053	Clinical Immunology	3
MLSC 3052	Special Topics in Medical Laboratory Science	2

Semester 2–5 at University of Cincinnati (rotating didactic)

UC Course Number	Course Title	Cr Hrs
MLSC 4059	Special Microbiology (Myco/Viro/Parasit)	3
MLSC 4060	Clinical Microbiology	3
MLSC 4061	Advanced Microbiology	3

Semester 2–5 at University of Cincinnati (rotating didactic)

UC Course Number	Course Title	Cr Hrs
MLSC 4062	Principles of Immunohematology	3
MLSC 4063	Advanced Immunohematology	4
MLSC 3055	Statistics	2

Semester 2–5 at University of Cincinnati (rotating didactic)

UC Course Number	Course Title	Cr Hrs
MLSC 4051	Clinical Chemistry	3
MLSC 4066	Advanced Clinical Chemistry	3
MLSC 4050	Diagnostic Molecular Biology	3

Semester 2–5 at University of Cincinnati (rotating didactic)

UC Course Number	Course Title	Cr Hrs
MLSC 4057	Hematology	3
MLSC 4068	Advanced Hematology	4
MLSC 3056	Hemostasis	1

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Semester 6 - at University of Cincinnati

UC Course Number	Course Title	Cr Hrs
MLSC 4069	Advanced Clinical Practice	6
MLSC 3963	Advanced Laboratory Concepts	2
MLSC 3051	Laboratory Operations	2

Semester 7 - at University of Cincinnati

UC Course Number	Course Title	Cr Hrs
MLSC 4058	Medical Laboratory Science Laboratory Capstone	2
MLSC 4071	Advanced Clinical Correlations	6