

TRANSFER ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

Southeast Community College, Associate of Applied Science, Respiratory Care
to
University of Cincinnati, College of Allied Health Sciences,
Bachelor of Science in Respiratory Therapy (ONLINE)



Originating Institution: Reading Area Community College Degree/Program: Associate of Applied Science (AAS) / Respiratory Care	
Target Institution: University of Cincinnati / College of Allied Health Sciences Degree/Program: Bachelor of Science (BS) / Respiratory Therapy (Online)	
Introduction: This agreement details the <u>applicability</u> of courses from the Reading Area Community College AAS Respiratory Care to the BS Respiratory Therapy (Online) in the UC College of Allied Health Sciences. Students who complete the AAS Respiratory Care at Reading Area Community College have satisfied the UC General Education requirement. A maximum of 70 semester hours transferred from Reading Area Community College will apply toward the 120 semester hours required for the BS Respiratory Therapy. Students transferring less than 70 semester hours may not be admitted to the UC Respiratory Therapy program or may be required to take additional coursework.	
Articulation Overview: Graduates from Reading Area Community College who have followed the prescribed program, completed the AAS, and are accepted into the College of Allied Health Sciences will enter at junior standing in the BS Respiratory Therapy 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 Respiratory Therapy program. A student must: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Hold an AAS degree from the Respiratory Care Practitioner program at Reading Area Community College• Hold credentials as a Certified Respiratory Therapist (CRT) by the National Board for Respiratory Care (NBRC) and be RRT (Registered Respiratory Therapy) eligible• Complete a UC application (including submission of official transcripts from all institutions attended and payment of application fee)• Pay UC's matriculation fee Minimum GPA: 2.5 Admission Period: Reading Area Community College students must be admitted to the UC College of Allied Health Sciences during the duration of this agreement (i.e. between March 2020 and March 2023).	
Agreement Execution Date: March 2020	Agreement End Date: March 2023

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. Reading Area Community 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.

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

Reading Area Community 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 & 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 Respiratory Therapy (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 Respiratory Therapy (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.

Curriculum at Reading Area Community College & University of Cincinnati Equivalencies/Use in Program

ALL ASSOCIATES COURSEWORK

READING AREA COMMUNITY COLLEGE		UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI	
ASSOCIATE COURSEWORK up to 70 credits		Advanced Standing 0000 BLOCK CREDIT	
TOTAL TRANSFER CREDITS TOWARD UC DEGREE:	Max 70	TOTAL CREDITS REQUIRED FOR BACHELOR DEGREE:	120

Remaining Coursework at University of Cincinnati

Semester 1

UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI		
Course ID	Course Title	Cr Hrs
RSTH 3065	Caregiving in the Respiratory Therapy Professions	3
RSTH 3080	Disease Management/Patient Education	3
RSTH 4060	Introduction to Respiratory Therapy Research	4

Semester 2

UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI		
Course ID	Course Title	Cr Hrs
RSTH 3001	Ethics of Respiratory Therapy	3
RSTH 3002	Health Care Documentation and Communication	3
RSTH 3004	Community Health Problems and Practices	3

Semester 3

UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI		
Course ID	Course Title	Cr Hrs
RSTH 3010	Integration of Delivery of Respiratory Therapy	3
RSTH 3040	Management in Respiratory Therapy	3
RSTH 3050	Aging and Respiratory Therapy	3

Semester 4

UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI		
Course ID	Course Title	Cr Hrs
RSTH 4001	Research Methods & Analysis	9
RSTH 4070	Specialty Respiratory Therapy Internship	3

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Semester 5

UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI		
Course ID	Course Title	Cr Hrs
RSTH 4050	Advanced Respiratory Therapy/Leadership & Project Management	4
RSTH 5001	Respiratory Therapy Capstone	6