

TRANSFER ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

Sinclair Community College,
Associate of Applied Science, Occupational Therapy Assistant
to
University of Cincinnati, College of Allied Health Sciences,
Bachelor of Science in Health Sciences: Pre-Occupational Therapy (ONLINE)



Originating Institution: Sinclair Community College

Degree/Program: Associate of Applied Science (AAS) / Occupational Therapy Assistant

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

Degree/Program: Bachelor of Science (BS) / Health Sciences: Pre-Occupational Therapy (Online)

Introduction: This agreement details the applicability of courses from the Sinclair Community College AAS Occupational Therapy Assistant to the BS Health Sciences: Pre-Occupational Therapy (Online) in the UC College of Allied Health Sciences. Students who complete the AAS Occupational Therapy Assistant at Sinclair Community College have satisfied the UC General Education requirement.

A maximum of 90 semester hours transferred from Sinclair Community College (65 credit from OTA program and any excess credit) will apply toward the 120 semester hours required for the BS Health Sciences: Pre-Occupational Therapy (Online). Students earning less than 71 semester hours will be required to take additional coursework at UC to meet the total of 120 semester hours for graduation.

Articulation Overview: Graduates from Sinclair 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 Health Sciences: Pre-Occupational Therapy (Online) 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 Health Sciences: Pre-Occupational Therapy (Online) program.

A student must:

- Hold an AAS degree from the Occupational Therapy Assistant program at Sinclair Community College.
- Hold credentials as an occupational therapy assistant as certified by the National Board for Certification in Occupational Therapy; conditional acceptance is granted into the program for those who are eligible to take the OTA exam and have a plan in place to complete the exam.
- 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: Sinclair Community College students must be admitted to the UC College of Allied Health Sciences during the duration of this agreement (i.e. between March 2021 and March 2024).

Agreement Execution Date: March 2021

Agreement End Date: March 2024

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. Sinclair 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.

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

Sinclair Community College students are encouraged to work closely with their academic advisor to monitor possible changes. See attached appendix for course equivalencies and transfer degree map.

***Note: The following was updated on 3/25/2023:**

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Transfer Degree Map

FROM

Sinclair Community College
**Associate of Applied Science (AAS)
Occupational Therapy Assistant**

TO

University of Cincinnati
College of Allied Health Sciences
**Bachelor of Science (BS)
Health Sciences: Pre-Occupational
Therapy ONLINE**

This agreement is valid from **March 2021** to **March 2024**

Admissions & Deadlines

Transfer Admissions Information: admissions.uc.edu/information/transfer

Admission Criteria:

- Completion of the courses on this worksheet does not guarantee admission to the UC program.
- Students who complete the AAS Occupational Therapy Assistant at Sinclair Community College have satisfied the UC General Education requirement.
- A student must:
 - Hold an AAS degree from the Occupational Therapy Assistant at Sinclair Community College
 - Hold credentials as an occupational therapy assistant as certified by the National Board for Certification in Occupational Therapy; conditional acceptance is granted into the program for those who are eligible to take the OTA exam and have a plan in place to complete the exam.
 - Complete a UC application (including submission of official transcripts from all institutions attended and payment of application fee).
 - Pay UC's matriculation fee.
- Students must be admitted to the UC College of Allied Health Sciences during the duration of this agreement.
- Minimum GPA: 2.50

Tuition & Scholarships

General Tuition & Fees: uc.edu/bursar/fees

Scholarships for transfer students: financialaid.uc.edu/sfao/scholars/transfer

Contact Information

UC admissions questions:

Undergraduate Admissions

Web: admissions.uc.edu

Email: transfer@uc.edu

Pre-transfer and transition advising at UC:

Transfer & Transition Advising Center

Web: uc.edu/transferadvising

Email: transfer@uc.edu

Details of this agreement or equivalencies:

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College Credit Services, credeval@uc.edu

More Information

Pre-Occupational Therapy majors in the College of Allied Health Sciences:

online.uc.edu/undergraduate-degrees/bachelor-of-science-in-health-sciences-pre-occupational-therapy

General information about the University of Cincinnati: uc.edu

Curriculum Equivalencies

The following suggested course sequence includes all course requirements for this articulation agreement following admission to the College of Allied Health Sciences BS Health Sciences: Pre-Occupational Therapy (Online) program. You should consult with an academic advisor/student success coordinator each semester to ensure you maintain appropriate degree progress and are fulfilling all requirements. **Course sequencing below assumes a fall start date.** If starting the program during any other term, please consult with your academic advisor. Students earning less than 71 semester hours will be required to take additional coursework at UC to meet the total of 120 semester hours for graduation; please see the *recommended elective coursework* section below. For details beyond course planning, please consult with your academic advisor or the Transfer & Transition Advising Center.

**NOTE: Required coursework for the associate degree and credentials required for admission to the BS Health Sciences: Pre-Occupational Therapy (Online) program is not outlined here. Please consult your academic advisor at your first institution for those details.*

ALL ASSOCIATES COURSEWORK	
Sinclair Community College	University of Cincinnati
ASSOCIATE COURSEWORK up to 90 credits (65 credits from OTA + any additional transferable credits)	Advanced Standing 0000 BLOCK CREDIT
Total transfer credits toward UC degree: Max 90	Total credits required for bachelor's degree at UC: 120

Remaining Coursework at University of Cincinnati (updated 3/25/2023)

*Note: Course offerings may change per semester. The following assumes a fall start on a fall-start schedule; the schedule can be modified dependent on number of credits the student enters with and when the student starts the program. Students can take more courses per semester in order to accelerate their time to degree. Attending part-time may impact your financial aid eligibility; please consult a financial aid representative for further information.

SEMESTER 1 (Fall)			
Course ID	Course Title	Cr Hr	Semester Offered**
HLSC 2011	Health Care Ethics	2	Any
PSYC 1005C	Allied Health Physics	3	Fall, Spring
HLSC 2012	Medical Terminology	2	Any
HLTH 3100	Mid-Collegiate Interprofessional Touch Point Conference	0	Fall only
XXXX	Free Elective (If needed) – See Recommendations Below	3	See Course Offerings
PSYC 2030	Sensation & Perception	3	Fall, Spring
SEMESTER 2 (Spring)			
Course ID	Course Title	Cr Hr	Semester Offered**
HLSC 3014	Pharmacology for Health Professions	3	Spring only

HLSC 4020	Motor Learning & Movement	3	Any
PSYC 2040	Developmental Psychology	3	Fall, Spring
HLSC 2022C	MS Anatomy for DL	3	Spring only
PSYC 2051	Abnormal Psychology	3	Fall, Spring

SEMESTER 3 (Summer)

Course ID	Course Title	Cr Hr	Semester Offered**
NUTR 1030	Personal Nutrition	3	Any
STAT 1031	Statistics	3	Any
PSYC 2070	Psychobiology	3	Any
XXXX	Free Elective (if needed) – See Recommendations Below	3	See Course Offerings

SEMESTER 4 (Fall)

Course ID	Course Title	Cr Hr	Semester Offered**
HLSC 3020	Intro to Biomechanics & Kinesiology	3	Fall
HLSC 3031	General Exercise Physiology	3	Fall
PSYC 2020	Cognition & Learning	3	Fall, Spring
HLSC 5019	Pre-OT Capstone	6	Any; Last semester only

Recommended Minors, Certificates, and Elective Coursework

(Updated 3/25/2023)

Students transferring less than 71 semester hours will be required to take additional coursework at UC to meet the total of 120 semester hours for graduation. Below are recommended areas to enhance your degree and some areas may require more than 6 hours of free electives outlined above. A Student Success Coordinator can help students identify the specific coursework requirements for each area and assist with timely degree planning. Students are not required to choose an area and may complete any college-level credit-bearing course for free electives as needed.

RECOMMENDED MINORS AND CERTIFICATES

Area	Credential Type	Additional Information
Developmental Disabilities	Certificate	12 additional credits
Disability Studies	Certificate	18 additional credits
Early Childhood Education & Development	Minor	18 additional credits
Entrepreneurship/Family Business	Certificate or Minor	Certificate - 12 additional credits Minor - 18 additional credits
Foreign Language	Minor	Credits vary by program
Health Education	Minor	18 additional credits

Integrative Studies	Certificate or Minor	Certificate - 6 additional credits (alternate PSYC courses) Minor – 12 to 13 additional credits
Minority Health	Certificate	12 additional credits (alternate PSYC courses)
Nutrition	Minor	15 additional credits
Organizational Leadership	Certificate or Minor	18 additional credits
Professional Sales	Minor	18 additional credits
Public Health	Minor	6 additional credits (alternate PSYC courses)
Spanish – Social Work & Healthcare	Certificate	18 additional credits Study abroad trip is recommended
Speech, Language, Hearing Sciences	Minor	18 additional credits
Yoga Studies	Certificate	18 additional credits Additional coursework is needed to become a yoga teacher

Master List of Required Coursework (updated 3/25/2023)

Below is the master list of all remaining courses required for the BS Health Sciences: Pre-Occupational Therapy Online program. Course offerings may change per semester. This table should serve as a guide to assist in planning courses, but you should consult your student success coordinator for guidance and assistance.

Students can take more courses per semester in order to accelerate their time to degree. Attending part-time may impact your financial aid eligibility; please consult a financial aid representative for further information.

SELECT AS NEEDED			
Course ID	Course Title	Cr Hr	Semester Offered**
HLSC 2011	Health Care Ethics	2	Any
HLSC 2012	Medical Terminology	2	Any
HLSC 2022C	MS Anatomy for DL	3	Spring
HLSC 3014	Pharmacology for Health Professions	3	Spring
HLSC 3020	Intro to Biomechanics & Kinesiology (P: PHYS 1005C)	3	Fall
HLSC 3031	General Exercise Physiology	3	Fall
HLSC 4020	Motor Learning & Movement	3	Spring
HLSC 5019	Pre-OT and Health Sciences Capstone	6	Any; Last semester only
HLTH 3100	Mid-Collegiate Interprofessional Touch Point Conference	0	Fall only
MATH 1008	Intro to Quantitative Reasoning	3	Any – only if needed
NUTR 1030	Personal Nutrition	3	Any
PHYS 1005C	Allied Health Physics	3	Fall, Spring
PSYC 2020	Cognition & Learning	3	Fall, Spring

PSYC 2030	Sensation & Perception	3	Fall
PSYC 2040	Developmental Psychology	3	Fall, Spring
PSYC 2051	Abnormal Psychology	3	Fall, Spring
PSYC 2070	Psychobiology or Psychology Elective	3	Any
STAT 1031	Statistics	3	Any
XXXX	Free Electives – See Recommendations Above (if needed)	6	See Course Offerings