## Originating Institution:
Kentucky Community & Technical College System

### Degree/Program:
Associate of Applied Science / Respiratory Care

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

### Degree/Program:
Bachelor of Science / Respiratory Therapy

## Introduction:
This agreement details the program to program articulation from Ashland Community and Technical College, Big Sandy Community and Technical College, Bluegrass Community and Technical College, Elizabethtown Community and Technical College, Jefferson Community and Technical College, Madisonville Community College, Maysville Community and Technical College, Somerset Community and Technical College, Southcentral Kentucky Community and Technical College, Southeast Kentucky Community and Technical College, and West Kentucky Community and Technical College to the Bachelor of Science in Respiratory Therapy at the College of Allied Health Science of the University of Cincinnati. A maximum of 70 credits from the identified schools’ Respiratory Care programs will be transferred to UC and applied toward the 120 semester hours required for the Bachelor of Science degree in Respiratory Therapy. *If the curriculum is 65-69 semester credits, students will take UC’s Respiratory Therapy Targeted Open Online Course, offered tuition free, to help meet the required 120 semester hours for the Bachelor of Science degree in Respiratory Therapy.*

## Articulation Overview:
Graduates from the above identified schools who have followed the prescribed program and are accepted into the College of Allied Health Sciences will enter the third year of the baccalaureate Respiratory Therapy Program. Student’s associate degree will transfer in its entirety as block credit.

## Admission Criteria:
Please note: completing the courses on the attached worksheet does not guarantee admission to the Bachelor of Science in Respiratory Therapy program.

The successful candidate must:

- Hold an A.S. or A.A.S. degree from a CoARC accredited Respiratory Care/Respiratory Therapy program in a regionally accredited institution
- Be credentialed as a Certified Respiratory Therapist (CRT) by the National Board for Respiratory Care (NBRC)
- Be Registered Respiratory Therapist (RRT) eligible
- Complete a UC application
- Complete a program application
- Submit official transcripts from all schools attended
- Submit a letter of intent and resume
- Submit an application fee: $50
- Submit a matriculation fee: $100

## Minimum GPA:
2.5

## Admission Period:
Kentucky Community & Technical College System students must be admitted to the UC College of Allied Health Sciences during the duration of this agreement, i.e. between June 1, 2017 and June 1, 2020.

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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. Kentucky Community & Technical College System 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. Kentucky Community & Technical College System students are encouraged to work closely with their academic advisor to monitor possible changes.

[Community College Dean Name & Title] [date]
Kentucky Community & Technical College System

[Community College Name & Title] [date]
Kentucky Community & Technical College System

Tina Whalen, Dean  Date:_____
UC College of Allied Health Sciences

Shane Keene, Program Director  Date:_____
UC College of Allied Health Sciences