

**12-1 System-wide Articulation Agreement Cover Page**

**Instructions:** The originating college (OC) must complete this cover page and attach to the system-wide articulation agreement packet before submitting to the WTCS System Office.

It is the responsibility of the originating college to review and update the agreement by the listed renewal date and submit any changes to the WTCS office. Any changes must be reviewed by the colleges who signed the original agreement.

Title of Program: Nursing

Program Number: 10-543-1

Postsecondary Partner College: Purdue University-Northwest

Originating College: 

Waukesha County
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Effective Date: 12/15/2019

Renewal Date: open

Date of Instructional Services Meeting: \_\_\_\_\_



## TRANSFER ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

Between

Purdue University Northwest

and

Wisconsin Technical College System

For Transfer of Wisconsin Technical College Associate Degree in Nursing to Purdue University Northwest  
RNBSN Bachelor of Science in Nursing

### Statement of Purpose

Purdue University on behalf of its Northwest campus, hereinafter referred to as PNW, enters into a cooperative transfer agreement with Wisconsin Technical College System, hereinafter referred to as WTCS, for students who desire to complete a bachelor's degree at PNW. The intent is for students completing an associate's degree program in nursing to move seamlessly to an online RNBSN Bachelor of Science in Nursing at PNW.

### Transfer Agreement

WTCS graduates from the associate's degree program in Nursing may transfer and apply a maximum of 86 credit hours from that completed degree to the requirements for Purdue University Northwest's Bachelor of Science in Nursing. The Bachelor of Science in Nursing requires 120 credit hours. Specific courses in the RNBSN plan of study can be found in the PNW Academic Catalog found at the following link:

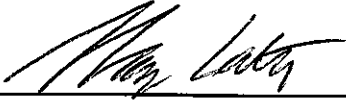
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Under the terms of this agreement:

1. WTCS students are eligible for admission to Purdue University Northwest College of Nursing Online RNBSN Completion program provided:
  - a. The student has submitted a complete application for admission to Purdue University Northwest. Student may apply and start their first RNBSN course (NUR 18200) while in their last semester of the ADN at WTCS.
  - b. The student provides a copy of a registered nurse license before registering for the second course in the PNW curriculum.
  - c. The student has a 2.3 or higher GPA on a 4.0-point scale.
  - d. Transfers into PNW courses with an earned grade of C or better that fulfill the stated requirements.
2. For successful degree completion and graduation, students pursuing an online RNBSN degree must meet the graduation requirements as approved by Purdue University Northwest and in force at the time of the student's admission to the relevant degree program.
3. Recognizing that changes in curricula and course content are inevitable, each institution agrees to discuss with the other institution curricular changes affecting this agreement. Changes in curriculum at WTCS affecting this agreement must be approved by PNW as meeting the terms of this agreement.
4. A review of this agreement and the resulting programs by representatives from both institutions must occur every three years from the date of implementation.

5. **WTCS continuously complies with the State Board of Nursing rules governing associate degree preparation of prelicensure students and is either a candidate for national accreditation or is nationally accredited through either ACEN or CNEA.**
6. **WTCS will announce the cooperative relationship with PNW College of Nursing Online RNBSN Completion program via:**
  - a. **Technical college nursing website**
  - b. **emails to current students**
  - c. **promotional materials provided**
7. **Written notice of intent to terminate, modify, or withdraw from this Articulation Agreement must be submitted by the academic head of either institution at least one academic semester prior to the proposed date of termination/withdrawal. Should a decision be made to modify or dissolve this agreement, students who are already attending Purdue University Northwest at the time will be permitted to continue as long as their academic performance remains in good standing.**

For Purdue University Northwest

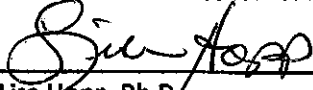


12/20/19

Niaz Latif, Ph.D.

Date

Interim Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs and Provost



12.19.19

Lisa Hopp, Ph.D.

Date

Dean, College of Nursing

Wisconsin Technical College System	Credit Hours		Purdue University Northwest	Credit Hours
<b>Math/Science/Pharmacology Requirements (17 credit hours):</b> Including but not limited to; Anatomy & Physiology, Microbiology, Chemistry, Math, Pharmacology. Any combination of credit hours of the above courses will be. Zero credit or developmental courses cannot be applied.				
Gen Anatomy & Physiology 10-806-177*	4	→	College Level Biol/ Math/Sci/Chem/Pharm	4
Adv Anatomy & Physiology 10-806-179*	4	→	College Level Biol/ Math/Sci/Chem/Pharm	4
Microbiology 10-806-197*	4	→	College Level Biol/ Math/Sci/Chem/Pharm	4
NUR - Pharmacology 10-543-103*	2	→	College Level Biol/ Math/Sci/Chem/Pharm	2
NUR - Nursing Skills 10-543-102*	3	→	College Level Biol/ Math/Sci/Chem/Pharm	3
<b>Humanities/ Social Science Electives &amp; Free Electives Requirement (30 credit hours):</b> Hum./SS may include but are not limited to; Human Growth & Dev, Sociology, Child Psych, Nutrition or other. Free electives can be any college level course for credit that has not been applied to any other requirement within the student's curriculum. Zero credit or developmental courses cannot be applied.				
Intro to Psychology 10-809-198*	3	→	Elementary Psychology	3
Oral/ Interpersonal 10-801-196*	3	→	Communication elective	3
Developmental PSY 10-809-188*	3	→	Other Social Science or Humanities elective	3
Soc 10-809-196 <i>or</i> Econ 10-809-195*	3	→	Other Social Science or Humanities elective	3
Social Science/Humanities	3	→	Other Social Science or Humanities elective	3
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ADN Required Elective 10-999-992*	2	→	Free Elective 1	2
ADN Required Elective 10-999-993*	3	→	Free Elective 2	3
Surplus nursing credit used here*	3	→	Free Elective 3	3
Free Elective	4	→	Free Elective 4	4
<b>English Composition &amp; Statistics Requirement (9 credit hours):</b> College level writing composition courses and college level statistical methods course				
English Composition 1 10-801-136* <i>or</i> Written Communication 10-801-195*	3	→	English Composition 1	3
English Composition 2 10-801-155	3	→	English Composition 2	3
Introductory Statistics 10-804-189	3	→	College level Statistics	3
<b>Lower Division Nursing Requirement (30 credit hours):</b> 30 credit hours of lower division nursing coursework from Associates Degree				
Nursing Coursework	30		ADN Nursing Credits*	38 (8cr applied above)

\*Courses are a part of the student's ADN curriculum.

- Courses specified by title at partnering college have already been articulated as acceptable transfer to PNW to meet requirements. Courses may transfer in to PNW as *undistributed credit* (UND or XXX) — these courses are accepted toward program requirements.
- Courses that are listed by title are part of the student's curriculum based on the 2019-2020 Wisconsin Tech College System Catalog.
- Students can also look up course for course transfer credit equivalencies to see what following link:  
[https://ssb-prod.pnw.edu/dbServer\\_prod/bzwtxcrd.p\\_select\\_info](https://ssb-prod.pnw.edu/dbServer_prod/bzwtxcrd.p_select_info)
- Nursing credit taken beyond the required 30 credits can be applied to Free Electives if needed.
- Indiana State Board of Nursing Requirement 848IAC 1-2-17 states Math and/or Sciences may be integrated into nursing courses – therefore lower division nursing credit, when applicable, may be applied to the 17 credit hours of Math/Science/Pharmacology Requirement.


**12-2 System-wide Articulation Agreement Signature Page**

Agreement with: Purdue University - Northwest  
College Partner

for the Nursing and 10-543-1  
Primary State Program Title Primary Number

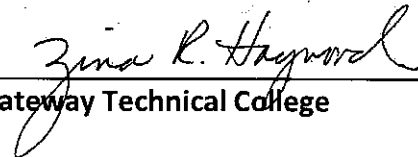
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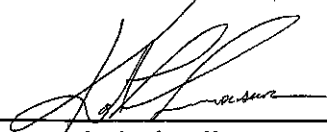
  
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Western Technical College

  
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