# **Transfer Agreements** at SMCC



#### Dear Student,

If you want to earn a bachelor's degree for less, you can save thousands of dollars by starting at SMCC before transferring to a four-year college or university. Our transfer agreements will put you on the right path.

These agreements allow you to pre-plan your college careers so you can avoid taking unneeded credits and spending money on courses that won't count toward a bachelor's degree.

We have transfer agreements with the University of Maine, the University of Southern Maine, the University of New England, Saint Joseph's College and elsewhere in Maine. If you're interested in out-of-state schools, we can simplify your transfer to places such as Johnson & Wales, Southern New Hampshire University, Smith, Wellesley, Mount Holyoke College and more.

If you want to continue your education after graduating from SMCC, our transfer agreements will help get you there.

Start smart at SMCC by avoiding debt and getting the skills and support you need to continue your education through one of our seamless transfer agreements. Then finish strong by getting a four-year degree and earning over \$1 million more over your lifetime. We are here to help you succeed.

Joe Cassidy

President of SMCC

For more information about this specific transfer agreement please view the additional pages in this document.

Please note: These agreements are frequently renewed and may at times be under renewal. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact our **Advising Office** at 207-741-5835 or transfer@smccME.edu.

We are here to help your succeed.

### TRANSFER AGREEMENT FOR BACCALAUEATE DEGREE (2 + 2)



### Southern Maine Community College & University of Maine at Fort Kent



#### **Statement of Purpose**

The purpose of this agreement is to facilitate student academic transfer and provide a smooth transition from Southern Maine Community College (SMCC) to the University of Maine at Fort Kent (UMFK). It is recognized that this agreement shall describe the required program of study at SMCC for admission eligibility to UMFK and the degree program indicated.

#### **Terms & Conditions of Academic Credit Transfer**

To: Bachelor of Science in Nursing (UMFK)

From: Associate in Science in Nursing (SMCC)

The evaluation and transfer of earned college credits shall be in compliance with state and federal education policies and institutional and academic program accreditation standards pertaining to undergraduate academic transfer. Current students and graduates who have earned degrees from Southern Maine Community College shall be eligible for credit evaluation under the terms of this agreement.

Transfer students will be accorded the same standards and criteria for admission to a major degree sequence as UMFK students. All applicants accepted to the UMFK's Baccalaureate programs must fulfill the graduation requirements of the granting institution as identified in Appendices A, B & C.

- Appendix A Contains Admission & Graduation Requirements of the Receiving Institution
- Appendix B Contains Side By Side Course Equivalency Tables for the academic program listed above
- Appendix C Contains a four-semester map of remaining courses to be taken at UMFK

Current catalog information may be accessed at <a href="http://umfk.edu/admissions/transfer/">http://umfk.edu/admissions/transfer/</a> Students are encouraged to use the Transfer Equivalency link, scroll down the page for transfer equivalencies and <a href="http://umfk.edu/catalog/">http://umfk.edu/catalog/</a> for the most current catalog year.)

# Articulation Agreement between Southern Maine Community College & the University of Maine at Fort Kent

#### **APPENDIX A**

#### **Admission & Graduation Requirements of the Receiving Institution**

This agreement includes specific requirements for admission into a program, outlines requirements, and indicates which degree or diploma can be used to meet program prerequisites as well as general education, major or program, and graduation requirements.

#### **Admissions Requirements**

Successful completion of the SMCC Associate in Applied Science in Nursing, submission of a completed admission application, transcripts, current RN licensure, and other supporting materials. For a list of application instructions and checklist: <a href="http://umfk.edu/admissions/">http://umfk.edu/admissions/</a>

#### **Requirements for the Bachelor of Science in Nursing** (See Appendix C)

Remaining required coursework is listed in Appendix C.

#### **Residency Requirement**

Remaining program requirements are met by completing online coursework through UMFK. There are equivalency or challenge exams available for general education and nursing support courses (see attachment A for specific nursing requirements). Students must complete a minimum of 30 credits from UMFK to be awarded a Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree. In addition, students must complete 45 upper level credits (300 level or higher, which may include transfer credits) and 120 total credits to earn a baccalaureate degree.

A minimum grade of C is required for all transfer courses and courses taken at UMFK. Students must earn a grade of C+ or higher in UMFK nursing and HLT courses. In addition, students must have earned and then maintain a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.5 or higher.

#### **Additional Institutional Contact Information:**

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#### TRANSFER AGREEMENT FOR BACCALAUEATE DEGREE

# **APPENDIX B**Side by Side Course Equivalency Tables

SMCC AS in Nursing		UMFK BS in Nursing Equivalency			
General Education Requirements			Own R B5 III Natisting Equivalency		
Course	Title	Credits	Course	Title	Credits
ENGL 101	Enhanced English Composition	4	ENG 101	English Composition II	3
CMIT 100	Intro to Computer Technology	3	COS 163	Information Technology for Nurses	3
FREN 102**	Beginning French II (see below**)	3	FRE 163**	Applied French for Health Care Professionals	3
MATH 155	Statistics	3	MAT 351	Statistics (or college level statistics)	3
HIST XXX	(120, 125, 130, 135)	3	HTY XXX	General Education- History	3
ARTH/MU SI	<ul> <li>ARTH: 120, 130, 145, 155, 235</li> <li>MUSI: 100, 110, 125, 145</li> <li>ARTS: 110, 140, 210</li> <li>PHIL: 100</li> <li>THEA: 105</li> </ul>	3	ART/MUS	General Education- Visual &     Performing Arts or Philosophy	3
ENGL 115	Introduction to Literature	3	ENG 105	Introduction to Literature	3
Total credit	s		Total credits	accepted	

<sup>\*\*</sup> For Languages: any second level course will also suffice (SPAN 102, ARAB 102, GRMN 200)

SMCC AS in Nursing		UMFK Equivalencies			
Course	Title	Credits	Course	Title	Credits
BIOL 138	Anatomy & Physiology II & Lab	4			
BIOL 250	Microbiology & Lab	5			
NURS 100	Dosage Calculations	1			
NURS 111	LPN to ADN Transitions	5		Block of 69 credits awarded for gen eds and nursing support and core classes	
NURS 175	Nursing II	9			
NURS 225	Nursing III	9			
NURS 275	Nursing IV	9			
Major Credits					
Total SMCC Credits			Total Credits	accepted	

#### **APPENDIX C**

## Remaining UMFK Degree Requirements Full Time Student

Year Three Fall		Year Three Spring	
Course	Credit	: Course C	
First 7 Week Session		First 7 Week Session	
NUR 312 Conceptual Issues in Professional	3	HLT 407 Leadership & Management	3
nursing	3	HET 407 LeaderShip & Management	3
COS 163 Computer Science	3	ENG 101 English Composition II	3
Second 7 Week Session		Second 7 Week Session	
HLT 386 Healthcare Policy	3	NUR 301R Promoting health Communities	3
FRE 163 Applied French for Healthcare	3	MAT 251 Statistics	2
Providers	3	MAT 351 Statistics	3
Semester Credits	12	Semester Credits	12

Year Three Summer	
First 7 Week Session	
NUR 309R/L Holistic Health Assessment	4
HTY 102 US History	3
Second 7 Week Session	
NUR 380 Transcultural Care in Nursing	3
ENG 105 Literature	3
Semester Credits	13

Year Four Fall				
Course	Credit			
First 7 Week Session				
NUR 401 Health-Related Research	3			
MUS 120 History of Rock and Roll	3			
Second 7 Week Session				
NUR 456 Integrated Nursing Practice	3			
NUR 413 Nursing Ethics & the Law	3			
NUR 342 Health Promotion	1-3			

### Part Time Student (6 credits per semester)

Year Three Fall		Year Three Spring	
Course	Credit	: Course C	
First 7 Week Session		First 7 Week Session	
COS 163 Computer Science	3	ENG 101 English Composition II	3
Second 7 Week Session		Second 7 Week Session	
NUR 312 Conceptual Issues in Professional	3	NULP 201B Promoting health Communities	3
Nursing	3	NUR 301R Promoting health Communities	5
Semester Credits	6	Semester Credits	6

Year Three Summer	
First 7 Week Session	
NUR 309R/L Holistic Health Assessment	4
Second 7 Week Session	
ENG 105 Literature	3
Semester Credits	7

Year Four Fall		Year Four Spring	
Course	Credit	Course	Credit
First 7 Week Session		First 7 Week Session	
HLT 407 Leadership & Management	3	MUS 120 History of Rock and Roll	3
Second 7 Week Session		Second 7 Week Session	
FRE 163 Applied French for healthcare	3	NAAT 251 Statistics	2
Providers		MAT 351 Statistics	3
Semester Credits	6	Semester Credits	6

Year Four Summer	
First 7 Week Session	
NUR 413 Nursing Ethics & the Law	3
Second 7 Week Session	
HLT 386 Healthcare Policy	3
Semester Credits	6

Year Five Fall		Year Five Spring	
Course	Credit	Course	Credit
First 7 Week Session		First 7 Week Session	
NUR 401 Health-Related Research	3	NUR 380 Transcultural Care in Nursing	3
Second 7 Week Session		Second 7 Week Session	
HTY 102 US History	3	NUR 456 Integrated Nursing Practice	3
		NUR 342 Health Promotion	1-3
Semester Credits	6	Semester Credits	7-9