



NORTH CAROLINA COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM

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President

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Presidents
Chief Academic Officers

FROM: Wesley E. Beddard, Associate Vice President
Programs

SUBJECT: State Board of Community College and UNC Board of Governors February Action
Uniform Articulation Agreement between The University of North Carolina Registered Nurse to Bachelor of Science in Nursing (RN to BSN) Programs and the NC Community College System Associate Degree Nursing Programs

The State Board of Community Colleges and The UNC Board of Governors approved the attached *Uniform Articulation Agreement between the University of North Carolina RN to BSN Programs and the NC Community College System Associate Degree Nursing Programs* in February. This approval includes a Five Block Degree Plan with Transfer Course List. (See appendix E)

The Uniform Articulation Agreement was a joint project of the NC Community College System and the University of North Carolina RN to BSN programs. It applies to all NC community colleges that offer Associate Degree Nursing programs and to those constituent institutions of the UNC System that offer RN to BSN programs.

The new Uniform Articulation Agreement between Associate Degree Nursing Programs and the RN to BSN Programs promotes a more seamless, concise pathway for students moving from community colleges to public universities. We are appreciative of the community college Association of Deans and Chairs for Health Sciences and the Associate Degree of Nursing Directors groups and the UNC RN to BSN programs that worked on this agreement.

Effective Fall 2015, all Associate Degree Nursing (A45110) programs of study must include the general education courses listed in Block One of the Five Block Degree Plan. Please review your Associate Degree Nursing program of study (POS) to make sure the general education selections are in compliance with block one of the articulation plan. If the POS does not mirror the selections, please submit a revised electronic program of study.

If you have any questions concerning the Uniform Articulation Agreement, please contact Renee Batts at (919) 807-7118 or battsr@nccommunitycolleges.edu.

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