

## **Transfer Agreement**

### **South College and Blue Ridge Community College**

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South College and Blue Ridge Community College hereby enter into a partnership that promotes student transfer and program articulation. The partnership facilitates the transfer of associate degree course credit to program requirements for South College undergraduate programs.

The intent of the agreement is to encourage Blue Ridge Community College students to complete the prerequisite courses needed for the Occupational Therapy Assistant (OTA) or Physical Therapist Assistant (PTA) programs at Blue Ridge Community College prior to transfer to South College Asheville Learning Site to begin major courses in these programs. Blue Ridge Community College students who successfully complete the prerequisite courses will have credits accepted for transfer without evaluation on a course-by-course basis (See Transfer Checklist associated with each program). This does not guarantee admission to any South College program. All other academic and program requirements for the major degree and college (such as the college admission requirements, grade point average, technical standards, interviews, drug/background screenings, observation hours, additional courses, etc.) must be satisfied. Students in any articulated program will not be expected to meet any additional (or fewer) requirements than non-transfer South College students. South College will reserve five seats in each program (five in PTA, five in OTA) per each rotation for Blue Ridge students who have successfully completed the programmatic prerequisite courses AND have met the programmatic requirements for admission to the specific program.

1. Blue Ridge Community College will signify on the student's transcript that the courses were completed according to the articulated curriculum. South College will, when evaluating the student's transcript, honor the terms of the agreement for admission to South College.
2. Prior to completing, Blue Ridge students should have access to counsel from Blue Ridge Community College and/or South College staff on the program of study leading to completion of the OTA/PTA degree. During this period, students should also have access to counsel by South College staff regarding requirements of the program of study at South College.
3. Students must meet all other graduation requirements of South College including the general, major, and professional education requirements. This includes minimum credit hours, institutional/departmental grade and grade point average requirements, and upper division credit and grade point average requirements, as stipulated in the South College Catalog.

4. For participating students, the transfer agreement is effective for six years from the original entry into college level work at Blue Ridge Community College. If more than six years elapse from the student's initial date of participation under the agreement, the transfer agreement in place at the time of transfer to South College will determine the student's progress toward degree completion.

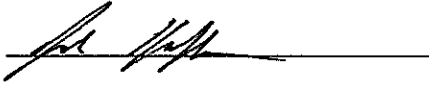
Signatures:



Dr. Alan Stephenson  
Vice President for Instruction  
Blue Ridge Community College

1/5/17

Date



Mr. Josh Huffaker  
Executive Director  
South College  
Asheville Learning Site

1/13/17

Date

**COURSE TRANSFER CHECKLIST  
PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT  
SOUTH COLLEGE AND BLUE RIDGE COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

<b>SOUTH COLLEGE</b>		<b>BLUE RIDGE COMMUNITY COLLEGE</b>	
Course Number	Course Name	Course Number	Course Name
BIO 1110/1120	Anatomy & Physiology I/Lab	BIO 165	Anatomy & Physiology I
BIO 1130/1140	Anatomy & Physiology II/Lab	BIO 166	Anatomy & Physiology II
MA 1810	Medical Terminology	MED 121	Medical Terminology
MAT 1500	College Mathematics I	MAT 121 Algebra/Trigonometry I OR MAT 171 Precalculus Algebra	
MAT 1510	College Mathematics II	MAT 143 Quantitative Literacy OR MAT 172 Precalculus Trigonometry	
ENG 1200	English Composition	ENG 111	Writing & Inquiry
ENG 1210	English Comp/Research	ENG 112	Writing & Research in the Discipline
HUM ELEC	Humanities Elective		Humanities Elective
PSY 1810	General Psychology	PSY 150	General Psychology
COM 1260	Effective Speaking	COM 231	Public Speaking