September 28, 2017

Articulation Agreement

Offered collaboratively by

MONTANA TECH

And

GREAT FALLS COLLEGE MONTANA STATE UNIVERSITY

Bachelor of Science Nursing Completion Degree For
Registered Nurses

I. Scope of Program

Montana Tech and Great Falls College - University of Montana hereby establish an articulation agreement leading to a Bachelor's of Science Degree for Registered Nurses. The degree will be conferred by Montana Tech.

II. Length of Agreement

This agreement will begin in the fall semester of 2018. The parties commit to a review every other year. The next review will be fall 2020.

III. Course Articulation

RN Nursing students completing the Associate of Science degree in Registered Nursing at Great Falls College and licensed in the State of Montana will be granted 72 semester credits. Graduation from Montana Tech in nursing requires completion of 15 credits of general education courses, some of which may be part of the 72 credits transferred from Great Falls College. The student must earn a total of 120 credits in order to graduate from Montana Tech. Upon completion of the program courses and the meeting of all graduation requirements including the general education requirements, a Bachelor of Science degree in Registered Nursing will be awarded.

The Montana Tech BSN-Completion Program, is accredited through the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE). For more information, http://www.mtech.edu/academics/clsps/nursing.



ARTICULATION AGREEMENT APPROVAL SHEET

Participating Institutions:

Great Falls College Montana State University

And

Montana Tech

Articulated Program:

Registered Nursing

Degree/Credential:

Bachelor of Science

Effective Dates:

Start: Fall 2018

Renew: Fall 2020

New Agreement Renewal/Revised

The undersigned have read and concur with the applicable policies and procedures for the attached articulation agreement.

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BSN COMPLETION PROGRAM Articulation Agreement

Nursing General Education Requirements								
Program Requirement		Credits	Substitute Equivalence Great Falls College		Credits			
STAT 216	Intro to Statistics	3	STAT 216	Intro to Statistics	3			
			170	Intro to Philosophy &				
PHL 325	Professional Ethics	3	PHL 221	Biomedical Ethics	3			
PSYX 230	Developmental Psych.	3	PSYX 230	Developmental Psych.	3			
WRIT 201	College Writing II	3	WRIT 201	College Writing II	3			
HUMN	Elective	3	HUMN	Elective	3			
Total Credits		15	Total Credits		15			

Fall Semester Course Layout - All nursing courses must be taken at Montana Tech				
Course #	Title	Credits		
NRSG 361	Global Nursing	3		
NRSG 324	Nursing Research & Evidence Based Practice	3		
NRSG 325	Advanced Health Assessment	3		
STAT 216	Intro to Statistics	3		
WRIT 322	Advanced Business Writing	3		
ETHICS 325	Professional Ethics	3		
Total Credits		18		

Spring Semester Course – All nursing courses must be taken at Montana Tech				
Course #	Title	Credits		
NRSG 326	Complex Health Care Needs	3		
NRSG 344	Family Nursing	3		
NRSG 320	Nursing Informatics	3		
NRSG 322	Health Promotion & Education	3		
PSYX 230	Developmental Psychology	3		
Total Credits		15		

Summer Session Courses— All nursing courses must be taken at Montana Tech					
Course # Title		Credits	Clinical		
NRSG 301	Community Health Nursing	5			
NRSG 302	Community Health Clinical	1	45 hrs.		
NRSG 363	Nursing Leadership and Management	5			
NRSG 364	Nursing Leadership and Management Clinical	1	45 hrs.		
HUMN	Humanities Elective	3			
Total Credits/Clinical		15	90		

All Montana Tech courses are online.

For more information call the Montana Tech Nursing Department at 406-496-4390 or visit online at www.mtech.edu/academics/clsps/nursing.