AN ARTICULATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE VERMONT TECHNICAL COLLEGE AND CAPE COD COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Department of Dental Hygiene AS - BS Program

The objective of this Agreement is to promote transfer of Cape Cod Community College's Associate Degree dental hygiene students into the Vermont Technical College's Baccalaureate Degree Completion program. This articulation agreement refers to the BS portion of Vermont Technical College's dental hygiene program (hereby referred to as Vermont Tech). Vermont Technical College and Cape Cod Community College (hereby referred to as CCCC) agree to the following:

- 1. Vermont Tech will accept, into the undergraduate program in the Department of Dental Hygiene students who have completed the two-year Associate Degree in Dental Hygiene with a minimum of 72 semester hours of credit and a minimum of 2.5 GPA and hold a current license to practice dental hygiene. The transferable courses that comprise the 72 semester hours of credit are limited to those on the attached course appendix (Attachment I).
- 2. The minimum number of transferable credits is 72 and the maximum number is 90. The last 30 of 39 credits must be taken at VTC. Based on a review of CCCC's current curriculum most students will transfer 77 credits into the VTC BSDH curriculum. CCCC SOC 106 and CCCC COM 103 will transfer as a VTC AH/SS electives; CCCC CHM 151 or CHM 109 will transfer as VTC CHEM 1020. As the CCCC Dental Hygiene program does not require any math courses CCCC students will be required to take two math courses equivalent to VTC's MAT 1040 and/or MAT 1221 or MAT 2021 (MAT150 and MAT165 at CCCC will satisfy those requirements or a student may take them with Vermont Tech).
- 3. After admission into the program, students will complete the requirements for the Bachelor of Science degree as specified in Attachment II.
- 4. This agreement shall be in effect for students seeking admission to the Vermont Technical College, Department of Dental Hygiene as of Fall 2017.
- 5. This agreement will be subject to review every four years between Vermont Tech and CCCC with the date of inception beginning Fall 2017. Vermont Tech and CCCC will inform one another of substantive changes in courses or degree requirements.
- 6. Vermont Tech and CCCC agree that all CCCC students entering the VERMONT TECH BS Dental Hygiene program will be eligible for the online instate tuition rates.
- 7. Vermont Tech and CCCC will incorporate a summary of this agreement in their official publications.
- 8. Vermont Tech and CCCC will each establish a coordinator at each institution to assist in advising students regarding the requirements for this agreement.

- To be eligible under the terms of this agreement, CCCC students must initiate their degree 9. program at Vermont Tech within five academic years following the completion of their CCCC associate degree. Vermont Tech reserves the right to determine eligibility for the program.
- CCCC associate degree dental hygiene students will be held to all Vermont Tech policies in effect at 10. the time they are admitted. These may include policies governing financial aid, academic status, graduation standards and in-state/out-of-state student status.

This Agreement may be terminated by either party with one year's notice. Provisions will be made for those students who are:

a) are currently enrolled at Vermont Tech, or

b) are currently enrolled at CCCC at the time of termination and have been accepted by Vermont Tech in writing as a participant in this Agreement.

Vermont Technical College Approval

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Attachment I VTC Associate Degree Curriculum

BIO 2011: Anatomy & Physiology I	4	BIO 2012: Anatomy & Physiology II	4
DHY 1011: Pre-Clinical Dental Hygiene	5	DHY 1012: Clinical Dental Hygiene I	5
DHY 1021: Oral Tissues I	3	DHY 1022: Oral Tissues II and Medical Emergencies	3
ENG 1061: English Composition	3	DHY 1030: Dental Radiography	3
BIO 1030: Nutrition	3	PSY 1010: Into to Psychology	3
DHY 2010: Dental Materials	3	DHY 2210: Community Oral Health I	2
BIO 2120: Microbiology	4	DHY 2211 Community Oral Heatlh II	1
DHY 2020: General Pathology and Clinical Dental Pharmacology	3	DHY 2220: Oral Pathology	3
DHY 2030: Periodontics	3	DHY 3822: Clinical Dental Hygiene III	6
DHY 3821: Clinical Dental Hygiene II	5	ELE XXX: Arts and Humanities	3
		MAT 1040: Math of Allied Health	2
		ENG 2080: Technical Communications	3
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Attachment II

First Semester		Second Semester	
PSY 1050: Human Growth and Development	3	Information Technology Elective	2
DHY 3015: Contemporary Issues in Dental Hygiene	3	CHEM 1020: Intro to Chemistry	4
Arts & Humanities or Social Science Elective (1XXX)	3	DHY 3020: Advanced Periodontics	3
DHY 3010: Evidence Based Decision Making in Dental Hygiene	3	DHY 3030: Dental Hygiene Educational Methodology/Leadership	3
TOTAL	12	TOTAL	12

Humanities or Social Science 3 (3XXX)
20. Later to American P. Living
20: Intro to American Politics & ment
213: Practice Management in 3 Hygiene
237: Research Methods in Dental e
TOTAL 12
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