

Articulation Agreement between Hudson Valley Community College
Community Health Navigation, A.A.S., and Health and Wellness
Studies, A.S. and Russell Sage College, Public Health, B.S.

Objective

This articulation agreement is intended to facilitate the transfer of qualified students currently enrolled in the Community Health Navigation, A.A.S., and Health and Wellness Studies, A.S. at Hudson Valley Community College (HVCC) into the applicable B.S. Public Health program at Russell Sage College (RSC). Counselors at Hudson Valley Community College should use the information in this agreement to advise current and future students as to which HVCC courses should be taken prior to application for transfer as they express an interest in the Public Health program at RSC.

Terms of Agreement

This articulation agreement once signed will be in effect immediately (April 15, 2021), and must be reviewed and re-approved in the same manner at least once every five years, in order to remain in effect (by April 15, 2026).

The procedures of review and re-approval shall be as follows:

RSC's Public Health program director in consultation with the Interdisciplinary Studies Department Chairperson reviews the latest available catalogs of the two institutions and prepares the revised draft. A final draft is signed by the department chairs of both institutions and by the appropriate administrator at both institutions.

All of the most-recently published rules for accepting transfer students into programs at RSC apply. This agreement supplements, but does not supersede or replace what was written in the most current RSC catalog.

RSC agrees to accept and transfer into the B.S. in Public Health (as itemized on the following pages) up to 66 credit hours by the student at HVCC. All of the HVCC course and proposed equivalent courses at RSC are listed below. Only courses of earned grades of C or better will transfer to RSC, and students who attain a combined Grade Point Average (GPA) of 2.5 in courses will automatically be admitted into the RSC program. This agreement only covers courses taken at HVCC. If students from HVCC have credits on their transcripts from other institutions, the published RSC rules for accepting transfer credit will apply to those credits. If students from HVCC wish to transfer without having completed all of the courses in this agreement, they are assured that the identified equivalent courses with a grade of C or better will transfer, but outright admission into the program will not be guaranteed. If admitted, and if 54 or more of the credits are transferred, junior status at RSC will be attained. All transfer students must meet with the appropriate RSC advisor to plan their courses and to determine how many additional semesters are required for degree completion.

Students interested in eventually transferring to RSC through this articulation agreement are encouraged to contact the Director of Transfer Admission (transfer@sage.edu) to discuss transferring to RSC.

Community Health Navigation A.A.S. (HVCC) to Public Health B.S. (RSC)

Russell Sage College		Hudson Valley Community College	
Core Courses	Credits	Core courses	Credits
PSY 101 – Introduction to Psychology	3	PSYC 100 General Psychology	3
HMN 420 - Medical Ethics	3	CMHL 115 Healthcare Ethics	3
MAT220 - Applied Statistics	3	MATH 135 Elementary Statistics	4
PBH201 – Health and Society: Survey of Public Health	3	CMHL 100 Introduction to Community & Public Health	3
POL 314 - Health Policy	3	CMHL 110 US Healthcare	3
SOC 01 – Intro to Sociology	3	SOCL 100 Sociology	3
Public health track courses (5 courses (15 – 18 credits) of focused study)		Suggested HVCC courses to use in PBH track as equivalency exists	
		CDEP 100 Intr to chemical dependency	3
		HUSV 100 Social service systems	3
		HUSV 115 Perspectives on disability	3
General education courses*			
WRT 101 Writing in the Community		ENGL 101 English Composition I	3
Liberal arts / General electives			
ASL-101 - American Sign Language / SPA-101 - Intro to Spanish	3	ASLN 100 American Sign Language and Deaf Culture 1 / SPAN 100 Spanish Language and Culture 1	3
BIO 134 Human biology / Biology elective / BIO-202 - Anatomy & Physiology II	3/3/4	BIOL 109 Biology of the Human Organism / BIOL 139 Anatomy and Physiology for Respiratory Care Studies / BIOL 271 Anatomy and Physiology II	4
COM-251 - Interpersonal Communications		ENGL 120 Communication / ENGL 125 Public Speaking	3
<i>PROPOSED – experiential education credit / community based research credit</i>		CMHL 201 Community Health Navigator Practicum	1
<i>PROPOSED – sociology elective / SOC 102 Social problems</i>		HUSV 125 Older Adults and The Social Environment / SOCL 110 Social Problems	3
<i>PROPOSED – sociology or health science electives</i>		HUSV 240 Professionalism in A Diverse Society Credits: 3	
POL-101 - US Government & Politics / SOC-208 - Race and Ethnic Relations	3/3	POLS 105 American National Government / SOCL 120 Cultural Diversity in American Society	3
PSY-203 - Childhood and Adolescence	3	PSYC 200 Child Psychology	3
ENG-ELCT - English Elective	3	ENGL 104 English Composition II: Writing About Literature	3
<i>PROPOSED – psychology or public health elective</i>		CMHL 200 Community health navigation	3
<i>PROPOSED – nursing or biology elective</i>		CMHL 205 Chronic diseases	3

Health and Wellness Studies A.S. (HVCC) to Public Health B.S. (RSC)

Russell Sage College		Hudson Valley Community College	
Public health major core courses			Credits
HMN 420 - Medical Ethics	3	(4) Restricted General Education Elective take CMHL 115 Healthcare ethics to meet RSC requirement	3
MAT220 - Applied Statistics (must be taken before taking PBH305 – Epidemiology)	3	(1) Restricted Mathematics Elective – students should take MATH 135 Elementary Statistics to meet RSC requirement	4
SOC 101 – Intro to Sociology	3	SOCL 100 Sociology	3
Public health track courses (5 courses (15 – 18 credits) of focused study)		Suggested HVCC courses to use in PBH track as equivalency exists	Credits
SCI-120 - Nutrition Science/ SCI-120 - Nutrition Science / SCI-235 - Sports Nutrition	3	BIOL 125/126/128 Nutrition	3 -4
BIO-201 - Anatomy & Physiology I	4	BIO 230/270 Anatomy & Physiology 1	4
BIO-202 - Anatomy & Physiology II	4	BIOL 234/271 Anatomy and Physiology II	4
HSC-ELCT - Health Science Elective	3	HLTH 140 Drug Studies: Intervention and Prevention	3
<i>PROPOSED – HSC or public health elective</i>		HLTH 210 Worksite Health Promotion	3
General education courses*			
WRT 101 Writing in the Community	3	ENGL 101 English Composition I	3
WRT 201 Researching in the community	3	ENGL 102 English Composition II	3
Humanities distribution	3	(2) Restricted American History Elective Suggest taking HIST 110/11/115 as they have established RSC equivalencies	3
Distribution elective (HST-109 / HST-110 / HST-245)	3	(3) Restricted Western Civilization Elective (recommend HIST 100 / HIST 101 / HIST 115 RSC equivalent exists and could be applied to the distribution elective)	
Liberal arts / General electives	Credits		Credits
LIB-ELCT - Liberal Arts Elective	1	FORM 102 College Forum	1
Liberal arts elective	3	ENGL 125 Public Speaking	3
<i>PROPOSED – HSC or PED elective</i>		EXER 100 Concepts of Exercise Training	3
ATH-215 - First Aid/CPR and Wellness	2	HLTH 152 First Aid	2
HSC-215 - Health/Wellness Across Lifespan	3	HLTH 160 Personal and Community Health C	3
<i>PROPOSED – HSC or PED elective</i>		HLTH 200 Foundations of Health Education	3
		HLTH/EXER Electives (under advisement students take classes that will transfer in an RSC requirements)	6
PED-ELCT - Physical Education Elective / SCI-240 - Pathology & Prevention Injury	1/3	(5) Restricted PHED Electives (all one credit options have a RSC equivalent and PHED 280 has a 3 credit equivalency)	3

*Recommendation: HVCC students may elect to take additional courses to bring their transfer total to up to 66 credits. *General education courses RSC101 and RSC201 are waived for transfer student with 15 or more or 54 or more credits respectively.*