



New York City College of Technology  
City University of New York

## **ARTICULATION AGREEMENT**

### **A. Sending and Receiving Institutions**

**Sending College:** LaGuardia Community College (LGCC)

**Department:** Health Sciences

**Program:** Physical Therapy Assistant

**Degree:** Associate in Applied Science (AAS)

**Receiving College:** New York City College of Technology (NYCCT)

**Department:** Health and Human Services

**Program:** Health Services Administration (HSA)

**Degree:** Bachelor of Science (BS)

### **B. Admission Requirements for Senior College Program**

Admission requirements for Bachelor of Science in Health Services Administration:

An associate degree in a health science program of study with a minimum grade point average of 2.5, and appropriate Licensure or Certification in hand or pending;

OR

An associate degree from a program that has an articulation agreement with the NYCCT HSA program with a minimum grade point average of 2.5;

OR

An associate degree with a minimum grade point average of 2.5, and at least two years of alternative work experience in a health care setting or related field as determined by the HSA program coordinator.

Articulation with LaGuardia Community College’s AAS degree in Physical Therapy Assistant with the New York City College of Technology’s BS in Health Services Administration is based upon the following:

- Students wishing to transfer under this articulation agreement must have obtained their associate degree and met the minimum cumulative 2.5 GPA requirement.
- Transfer credits granted toward the baccalaureate degree via articulation is 60. Additional AAS credits are transferred under CUNY Tipps course equivalency protocols.
- Total credits required for the B.S degree in Health Services Administration is 120

### Course Equivalences and/or Transfer Credit Awarded

LaGuardia Community Collage’s Physical Therapy Assistant AAS: Transferred credits will be applied to the Baccalaureate degree as professional credits, course specific transfer credits and electives. Students will meet with a NYCCT advisor who will review their transcripts to ensure appropriate placement within the program.

CUNY Pathways Key:  
 RC= Required Core  
 FC = Flexible Core  
 CO = College Option

<i>LaGuardia Community College AAS Physical Therapy Assistant:</i>			Pathways Category:
<i>Required and Flexible Core:</i>		credits:	
ENG101	English Composition I	3	RC
ENG102	Writing through Literature	3	RC
MAT120	Elementary Statistics	3	RC(MQR)
SCB203	Anatomy & Physiology I	4	RC(LPS)
SCB204	Anatomy & Physiology II	4	FC(SW)
SCN195	Community Health	2	
SCO203	Functional Pathology	3	
SSY101	General Psychology	3	FC(SW)
SSY204	Developmental Psychology	3	
HUP102	Critical Thinking	3	
<i>Discipline related coursework:</i>			
SCT101	Introduction to Physical Therapy	2	
SCT102	Ethical Concepts for PTA's	2	
SCT203	Clinical Kinesiology	4	
SCT211	Therapeutic Procedures I	4	
SCT212	Therapeutic Procedures II	3	
SCT220	Mobility Skills in Physical Therapy	3	
SCT221	Functional Gait Training Skills	3	
SCT230	Orthopedic Therapeutic Exercises	4	
SCT231	Neuromuscular Rehabilitation	4	
SCT290	Physical Therapy Assistant Affiliation Level I	2	
SCT291	Physical Therapy Assistant Affiliation Level II	3	
SCT292	Physical Therapy Assistant Affiliation Level III	3	
		31	
		37	
		68	<b>Total Program Credits</b>

**C. Senior College Upper Division Courses Remaining for Baccalaureate Degree**

The New York City College of Technology will grant a Bachelor of Science degree upon satisfactory completion of 120 credits including all Pathways General Education, College Option and HSA specific degree requirements. Applying the transfer credits outline on page 2, NYCCT coursework will include:

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Additional coursework required for B S. in Health Services Administration degree:

		Credits:	
	Any approved Creative Expression	3	FC
	Any approved World Culture / Global Issues	3	FC
PSY2404	Personnel & Organizational Psychology	3	Req. Lib. Arts FC(I&S)
ECON 2403	Labor & Management Relations	3	Req. Lib. Arts FC(USED)
	Any approved interdisciplinary	3	CO
	Any approved Speech	3	CO
ECON 1101	Macro Economics	3	Req. Lib. Arts
PHIL 2203	Health Care Ethics	3	Req. Lib. Arts
HSA 3510	Health Services Management I	3	
HSA 3560	Legal Aspects of Health Care	3	
HSA 3602	Health Services Management II	3	
HSA 3630	Health Care Finance and Accounting Management	3	
HSA 4620	Health Care Information Systems	3	
HSA 4740	Health Care Research Mechanisms	3	
	Additional credits, of which at least 5 must be liberal arts (Up to an additional 8 credits from LCC Physical Therapy Assistant Core may be accepted toward this requirement)*	18	
		60	
		60	total

\* Students at New York City College of Technology must complete two courses designated Writing Intensive (WI) for the associate level, one from GenEd and one from the major; and two additional courses designated WI for the Baccalaureate level, one from GenEd and one from the major.

60 = Total Transfer credit

60 = Total additional required coursework for BS degree \*

120 Total

## D. Articulation Agreement Follow-up Procedures

### 1. Procedures for reviewing, up-dating, modifying or terminating this agreement:

When either of the programs undergo any changes, this articulation agreement will be reviewed and revised as necessary by one or two members of the faculty of each institution's department, selected by their respective Chairpersons, to represent them.

### 2. Procedures for evaluating agreement (i.e., tracking the number of students who transfer under the articulation agreement and their success):

Upon the request of LaGuardia Community College each year New York City College of Technology will provide the following information: a) the number of LCC graduates who applied to the program; b) the number of LCC students who were accepted into the program; c) the number of LCC students who enrolled to the program; d) the aggregate GPA of these enrolled students at NYCCT

At the end of semester the various representatives of each institution will review the performance of the transfer students to determine if adjustments to, or termination of the articulation agreement is warranted.

### 3. Sending and receiving college procedures for publicizing the agreement (e.g., college catalogs, transfer advisers, websites, etc.):

- This articulation agreement will be publicized on New York City College of Technology website, and the LaGuardia Community College website.
- Transfer advisers at LaGuardia Community College will promote this agreement with eligible students.

Effective Date: Spring 2016

For LaGuardia Community College:

  
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Chair, Health Sciences Department

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Provost & V.P. for Academic Affairs

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