

**ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
BRIDGEVALLEY COMMUNITY and TECHNICAL COLLEGE
AND
WEST VIRGINIA STATE UNIVERSITY**

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This agreement is to articulate the Two plus Two program between the Health Division Associate in Applied Science degree in Human Services and Rehabilitation Studies to the Bachelor of Science in Health Sciences-Leadership in Allied Health and Rehabilitation.

This Articulation Agreement is entered into by and between BridgeValley Community and Technical College (hereafter referred to as BVCTC) and West Virginia State University (hereafter referred to as WVSU).

WHEREAS, the parties desire to encourage and facilitate the establishment of specific articulation provisions between institutions, and

WHEREAS, the parties intend to promote the Two Plus Two concept of students' education experiences including a seamless transition from associate degree programs to baccalaureate degree programs to encourage the recognition of prior education efforts and students recognition of the importance of continuing their education, and

WHEREAS, the intent of this agreement is to facilitate the transfer of associate degree students from BVCTC to WVSU. The Two plus Two program will provide students who achieve an Associate of Applied Science degree in Human Services and Rehabilitation Studies at BVCTC, a process to transition into the Bachelors of Science in Health Sciences-Leadership in Allied Health and Rehabilitation program at WVSU.

NOW, THEREFORE, the parties agree to cooperate in articulating programs in accordance with the terms set forth herein.

This agreement commits WVSU to accept all 60 credits earned at BVCTC as delineated in the suggested courses that are a part of this agreement. All 60 credits will be accepted from any Associate of Applied Science degree in Human Service and Rehabilitation Studies program, as well as other related fields, thus only requiring an additional 60 credits to be taken at WVSU for students to earn a Bachelor of Science in Health Sciences: a. Leadership in Allied Health and Rehabilitation.

The agreement may be amended by mutual agreement of the colleges. It may be terminated by either party with one year's notice, provided obligations by either party to enrolled participating students are met. Such obligations are those normally incurred by the colleges to their clients for reasonable opportunity to complete programs of study.

The parties to this agreement shall review the relationship every two years to assess its effectiveness and usefulness. The parties to this agreement shall inform the other party promptly if the curricular requirements of the relevant programs change.

Both institutions will designate a contact person on their respective campuses to represent their interest and to carry out the program mutually agreed upon. These representatives will meet or otherwise communicate as needed to evaluate the program and propose changes.

Any minor changes, (course number, name, or designation), that are brought through the Academic Standards Committee or Education Policy Committee will not require review and reauthorization of this agreement only updates of the respective addendum. Major changes to program curriculums or course content changes will require notification to the impacted program leaders.

Any written notice under this agreement shall be addressed as follows:

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West Virginia State University
P. O. Box 1000
Institute, WV 25112-1000

Vice President of Academic Affairs
BridgeValley Community & Technical College
2001 Union Carbide Drive
South Charleston, WV 25303




Dr. Anthony L. Jenkins, President




Dr. Eunice Bellinger, President

April 6, 2017
Date

March 28, 2017
Date



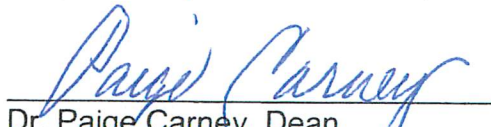
Dr. Kumara L. Jayasuriya, Provost
Academic Affairs, WVSU



Dr. Kristin Mallory, Provost
Academic Affairs, BVCTC

4/5/2017
Date

March 28, 2017
Date



Dr. Paige Carney, Dean
Professional Studies



Suzette E. Breeden, Dean
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