

**AN ARTICULATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN
THE VERMONT TECHNICAL COLLEGE
AND
BRISTOL COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

**Department of Dental Hygiene
AS-BS Program**

The objective of this Agreement is to promote transfer of the Bristol Community College 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 VTC). Vermont Technical College and the Bristol Community college (hereby referred to as BCC) agree to the following:

1. VTC 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 minimum of 2.5 GPA. 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. BCC students may be required to take an additional 2 credit mathematics course to complete the BSDH curriculum.
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 2010.
5. This agreement will be subject to review every two years between VTC and BCC with the date of inception beginning Fall 2010. VTC and BCC will inform one another of substantive changes in courses or degree requirements. Any changes in the courses will be reflected in the two-year review update on the Course Appendix (Appendix I).
6. VTC and BCC will incorporate a summary of this agreement in their official publications.
7. VTC and BCC will each establish a coordinator at each institution to assist in advising students regarding the requirements for this agreement.
8. To be eligible under the terms of this agreement, BCC students must initiate their degree program at VTC within five academic years following the completion of their BCC associate degree. VTC reserves the right to determine eligibility for the program.
9. BCC associate degree dental hygiene students will be held to all VTC policies in effect at the time they are admitted. These may include policies governing financial aid, academic status, and in-state/out-of-state student status.

10. VTC and BCC agree that all BCC students entering the VTC BS Dental Hygiene Degree Completion program will be eligible for in-state tuition rates.

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


- a) currently enrolled at VTC, or
- b) currently enrolled at BCC at the time of termination and have been accepted by VTC in writing as a participant in this Agreement.


VTC Dental Hygiene Program Director

Date 4/10/10


BCC Dental Hygiene Program Director


Date 2/25/10


VTC Academic Dean

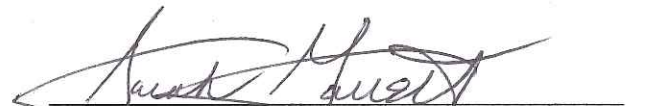
Date 5/6/10


BCC Academic Dean

Date 2/26/2010


VTC President

Date 5/5/10


BCC Vice President for Academic Affairs

Date 3/1/2010


BCC President

Date: 2 MAR 10

First Semester		Second Semester	
BIO 2011: Anatomy & Physiology I	4	BIO 2012: Anatomy & Physiology II	4
DHY 1011: Pre-Clinical Dental Hygiene	4	DHY 1012: Clinical Dental Hygiene I	5
DHY 1021: Oral Tissues I	3	DHY 1022: Oral Tissues II and Medical Emergencies	3
ENG: English Composition	3	DHY 1030: Dental Radiography	3
Nutrition	3	PSY 1010: Into to Psychology	3
TOTAL	17	TOTAL	18
Third Semester		Fourth Semester	
DHY 2010: Dental Materials	3	DHY 2210: Community Oral Health	3
DHY 2020: General Pathology and Clinical Dental Pharmacology	3	DHY 2220: Oral Pathology	3
DHY 2030: Periodontics	3	DHY 2722: Clinical Dental Hygiene III	6
DHY 2121: Clinical Dental Hygiene II	5	ELE XXX: Arts and Humanities	3
BIO 2120: Microbiology	4	MAT 1040: Math of Allied Health	2
TOTAL	18	TOTAL	19
TOTAL CREDITS = 72			

**Attach
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Attachment II Baccalaureate Degree Curriculum

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	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

Third Semester		Fourth Semester	
Arts & Humanities or Social Science Elective	3	Arts & Humanities or Social Science Elective (3XXX)	3
HUM 2020: Bioethics or PHIL 1040: Intro to Ethics	3	POS 1020: Intro to American Politics & Government	3
Mathematics/Critical Thinking Elective	3	DHY 3050: Dental Hygiene Practicum	6
DHY 3040: Advanced Community Oral Health	3		
TOTAL	12	TOTAL	12
TOTAL CREDITS = 48			