Modification of Educational Mobility Agreement Between
Framingham State College and
Mount Wachusett Community College

The Massachusetts Commonwealth Transfer Compact promotes collaboration between the State and Community Colleges and allows for both educational and professional mobility. To facilitate the educational mobility of nursing majors, Framingham State College (FSC) and Mount Wachusett Community College (Mt. Wachusett CC) have established this educational mobility agreement.

Upon admission, Framingham State College agrees to award 28 nursing credit hours (7 course credits) to qualified matriculants. The qualifications are:

1. graduation from the Mt. Wachusett CC Associate Degree Nursing Program
2. a cumulative grade point average comparable to the FRSC quality point average (QPA) of 2.0
3. evidence of current registered nurse licensure in Massachusetts

Graduates of the Mt. Wachusett CC Associate Degree Nursing Program who meet these qualifications will be exempted from the NLN Accelerated Challenge Examination II (ACE II) and The Clinical Practice Examination. The qualified matriculants will be provisionally accepted to the FSC Nursing Major pending successful completion of the remaining prerequisites. Any additional completed course work will receive a transfer evaluation by the FSC Admissions Department.

In order to receive a Bachelor of Science Degree with a major in Nursing, graduates of the Mt. Wachusett CC Associate Degree Nursing Program will complete all remaining baccalaureate requirements and be subject to all standards and policies applicable to FSC nursing majors.

This agreement shall become effective on _________________ and continue in effect until modified by written notice from Framingham State College Nursing Department.

Continuation of this agreement is contingent upon continues accreditation of Mt. Wachusett CC by the National League for Nursing Accrediting Commission (NLNAC).

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, under the authority of the governing bodies, the parties hereto have set their hands and seals the day and year written above.

For: Framingham State College

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