

**St. Louis Community College AAS Respiratory Care  
to Excelsior College B.S. Health Care Management**
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This program plan outlines how students may transfer from the St. Louis Community College AAS Respiratory Care program to the Excelsior College B.S. Health Care Management program. Upon completion of the AAS Respiratory Care, the following credits may apply for students enrolling in the B.S. Health Care Management program.

*This guide is only a sample scenario. Excelsior College reviews every student individually. Actual requirements will be dependent on the courses a student transfers and the application date with Excelsior.*

St. Louis Community College Credits	Semester Hours	Excelsior College Requirements	Semester Hours
BIO 207 Anatomy and Physiology I (MOTR LIFS 150LAP)	4	Natural Sciences Requirement	4
BIO 208 Anatomy and Physiology II	4	Natural Sciences/Mathematics Elective	4
RC 100 Foundations of Respiratory Care	3	Business and Health Care Electives	3
RC 110 Cardiopulmonary Anatomy and Physiology	3	Arts and Sciences Electives	3
RC 120 Respiratory Care Practices I	5	Business and Health Care Electives	5
RC 130 Patient Assessment	3	Business and Health Care Electives	3
RC 140 Respiratory Pharmacology	2	Business and Health Care Electives	2
RC 150 Fundamentals of Respiratory Care II	4	Business and Health Care Electives	4
RC 160 Mechanical Ventilation I	4	Business and Health Care Electives	4
RC 170 Respiratory Care Clinical Practice I	1	Business and Health Care Electives - Excess Credit	0
ENG 101 College Composition I (MOTR ENGL 100)	3	Written English Requirement	3
RC 180 Cardiopulmonary Diseases	3	Free Elective Requirement	3
RC 190 Respiratory Care Clinical Practice II	1	Free Elective Requirement	1
RC 200 Adult Critical Care	3	Business and Health Care Electives - Excess Credit	0
RC 210 Mechanical Ventilation II	4	Free Elective Requirement	4
RC 220 Neonatal and Pediatric Respiratory Care	3	Business and Health Care Electives - Excess Credit	0
RC 230 Respiratory Care Clinical Practice III	2	Business and Health Care Electives - Excess Credit	0
ENG 102 College Composition II (MOTR ENGL 200) or COM 117 Health Communication or COM 200 Communication Between Cultures (MOTR SBSC 101)	3	Humanities Requirement	3
RC 240 Respiratory Care Specialties	3	Business and Health Care Electives - Excess Credit	0
RC 250 Respiratory Care Capstone	4	Business and Health Care Electives - Excess Credit	0
RC 260 Respiratory Care Clinical Practice IV	2	Business and Health Care Electives - Excess Credit	0
PSY 200 General Psychology (MOTR PSYC 100)	3	Social Sciences/History Requirement	3
Social & Behavioral Sciences: Civics Requirement	3	Arts and Sciences Electives	3
<b>Total Credits Required for Associate</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>Total Credits Accepted from Associate</b>	<b>52</b>

**Credits Beyond The Associate That Can Be Transferred OR Taken At Excelsior**

St. Louis Community College Credits	Semester Hours	Excelsior College Requirements
PHL 104 Ethics (MOTR PHIL 102)	3	Ethics Requirement
Humanities Electives	3	Humanities Requirement
ECO 152 Principles of Microeconomics (MOTR ECON 102)	3	Microeconomics Requirement

ECO 151 Principles of Macroeconomics (MOTR ECON 101)	3	Macroeconomics Requirement
MTH 180 Introductory Statistics (MOTR MATH 110)	3	Statistics Requirement
Arts and Sciences Electives	18	Arts and Sciences Electives
HIT 101 Medical Terminology and Language	4	Medical Terminology Requirement
<b>Total Additional Credits</b>	<b>37</b>	

\* Applied Professional refers to Arts & Sciences as well as other degree level coursework (e.g., Business, Computer Science, Education, etc.).

<b>Credits To Be Taken At Excelsior *</b>	
<b>Excelsior College Requirements</b>	<b>Semester Hours</b>
INL 102: Information Literacy ( <i>MUST be completed with Excelsior</i> )	1
IND 301: Cornerstone B (Pathways) ( <i>MUST be completed with Excelsior</i> )	3
HSC 310: Writing and Communication in the Health Sciences Profession	3
HSC 302: Principles of Health Care Management	3
PSY 305: Research Methods	3
BUS 311: Organizational Behavior	3
HSC 414: Budget and Finance in Health Care Organizations	3
BUS 312: Managing Human Resources	3
HSC 431: Health Care Delivery Systems	3
HSC 450: Economics of Health Care	3
HSC 470: Health Care Management Capstone	3
<b>Total Additional Credits</b>	<b>31</b>

\*All coursework, except where noted, may be completed at Excelsior or transferred from another accredited institution.

<b>Evaluation Summary</b>	<b>Semester Hours</b>
Credits Accepted from Associate Degree	52
Additional Credits beyond the Associate Degree	37
Credits from Excelsior *	31
<b>Total Credits Required for Bachelor's Degree</b>	<b>120</b>

\* Students are required to take a minimum of **12.00 online course credits** from Excelsior to qualify for partner pricing.

## What are Arts and Sciences?

We offer the following definitions to help you make these determinations. Remember, however, that before you pay to take a course or examination you should always consult with your advisor to make sure that it will help meet your degree requirements.

### Humanities

Humanities subjects focus on developing knowledge and skills in critical reading, logical thought, and esthetic appreciation. Here are some subject areas typically classified as Humanities:

Art, Philosophy, Music, Foreign Language, Literature, Theater, Ethics, Speech, Religion, Communication

### Social Sciences and History

Social Sciences and History subjects focus on individuals and society and the processes individuals use to order their world. Here are some subject areas typically classified as Social Sciences and History:

Psychology, Economics, Sociology, Geography, Political Science, History, Anthropology

### Natural Sciences and Mathematics

Natural Sciences and Mathematics subjects focus on understanding the natural world and problem-solving processes. Here are some subject areas typically classified as Natural Sciences and Mathematics:

Anatomy and Physiology, College Algebra, Microbiology, Calculus, Chemistry, Genetics, Biology, Physics