





Paramedic Certificate to Associate or Bachelor Degree Programs Articulation Agreement

This articulation agreement, which is effective on the date of the final signature, provides transfer admission opportunities for graduates of Respond Right EMS Academy Paramedic (EMT-P) Program who are academically qualified and interested in completing an associate or bachelor's degree at St. Charles Community College. Students must complete all 11 transferrable modules and receive their EMT Paramedic Certificate to transfer a maximum of 30 credits to St. Charles Community College, depending on their chosen degree requirements. Students will then take a minimum of 30 credits at St. Charles Community College, as specified in the accompanying degree plan table for any degree. Other college transfer credits, in addition to these 11 modules, may be reviewed on an individual basis.

Terms of Agreement:

- 1. The Paramedic Program students (graduates) accepted to St. Charles Community College will receive a maximum of 30 transfer credits for the successful completion of their EMT-Paramedic Certificate deemed comparable (based on current course description information, course requirements, and agreement by the representatives of the respective programs) to current St. Charles Community College courses. See accompanying degree plan table for transfer equivalents.
- 2. Based on placement testing, the transfer student may be required to complete developmental courses in English or mathematics prior to enrolling in a program's graduation requirements in those disciplines. Also, the transfer student must complete all prerequisite courses for upper-level courses.
- 3. This agreement shall include those students who are currently enrolled in the Respond Right EMS Academy Paramedic Program Training Program commencing in August 2010 and thereafter. (Prior graduates may be admitted on an individual basis.)
- 4. This agreement will be reviewed annually and may be revised by mutual consent. In addition, Respond Right EMS Academy and St. Charles Community College agree to notify one another of program changes that might affect the transfer of students under this agreement.
- 5. Both organizations agree to the right to use each other's names in print and media advertising for the purpose of marketing the programs, described herein. All materials must be approved by the respective communications and/or marketing offices at the partner institution.
- 6. Respond Right EMS Academy agrees to provide to St. Charles Community College student information for the express purpose of contacting Respond Right EMS Academy graduates directly regarding the degree program between the two institutions described in this Articulation Agreement in compliance with all state and federal laws.
- 7. This agreement is predicated on the satisfactory, and continued, accreditation of Respond Right EMS Academy by the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP) upon the recommendation of the Committee on Accreditation of Educational Programs for the Emergency Medical Services Profession (CoAEMSP).

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Respond Right EMS Academy and St. Charles Community College, recognizing the importance of providing seamless coordination between the respective institutions, hereby enter into an Articulation Agreement.

We, the undersigned, as the representatives of Respond Right EMS Academy and St. Charles Community College, hereby demonstrate our commitment to full implementation of the Agreement.

Donna Weiss, Program Director Respond Right EMS Academy /

Date <u>November 18, 2010</u>

Date 8-/6-//

St. Charles Community College

Name and Title

Respond Right EMS Academy and St. Charles Community College Degree Plan Table for Articulation Agreement*

Respond Right EMS Academy Modules	College Credits Awarded	St. Charles Community College Courses	College Credits Awarded**
EMT Basic	8	Micro Computer Application	3
A&P w/ cadaver lab	4	Abnormal Psychology	3
Paramedic Course (see course breakdown below)	18	English Composition I	3
Module #1, #3		American History or Political Science	3
Module #1, #3, #7, #9		Literature (Any Lit Course)	3
Module #5, #10		Applied Math or Intermediate Algebra	3
Module #5		Ethics	3
Module #2, #6, #7, #8		Intro to Psychology	3
Modules #2 - #10		Introduction to Sociology	3
Module #6 (Cardiology)		Oral Communications	3
Module #7 (Pediatrics, Obstetrics, Gynecology)			
Module #9 (Medical Emergencies)			
Module #11 (Misc. Topics)	18		
otal from RREMSA	30 Credits Total	Total from SCCC	30 Credits Total

^{*}These transfer courses indicate the maximum number of credits depending on the student's selected Degree program

^{**} Credits evaluated by (Chris Breitmeyer, Dean Math, Science and Health)