

April 26, 2021

In order to reduce the cost of continuing educational opportunities among its Nursing Students, Springfield Technical Community College ("STCC") enters into an agreement with Salve Regina University ("Salve Regina") and its partner, iDesignEDU, LLC ("iDesign").

Salve Regina is committed to creating the most cost-effective and flexible nursing degree programs in the region, while delivering the highest quality nursing education backed by CCNE accreditation. Salve Regina now proudly offers an online RN to BSN, an online Master of Science in Nursing – Family Nurse Practitioner, and an online Doctor of Nursing Practice (collectively, "online nursing programs").

With this agreement, Salve Regina will offer a preferred tuition rate to nursing students from STCC who are admitted to one of the online nursing programs. The preferred tuition rate will also be extended to family members of STCC students who hold a valid nursing license and are admitted to one of the online nursing programs at Salve Regina. This partnership underscores STCC's commitment to the professional growth and development of its nursing students and is a benefit to all students.

STCC will take no part in the application or admissions process of the online nursing programs, which will solely be the domain of Salve Regina. Additionally, STCC will not be party to the financial or academic relationship between an admitted or enrolled student and Salve Regina regardless of whether that person is a STCC student or family member of a STCC student. This agreement simply extends the opportunity for a preferred tuition rate to STCC nursing students or family members of employees.

To facilitate access to, and interest in, Salve Regina's online nursing programs, STCC agrees to communicate this new partnership internally to students via email. In addition, Salve Regina representatives can reach out to the Director of Nursing's clerical assistant to request to come to the STCC campus to meet prospective students face to face to share information and answer questions. In person days to meet prospective students can be scheduled. In addition, Salve Regina representatives can forward information about virtual information sessions to the Director of Nursing's clerical assistant to forward to current STCC Nursing Students via email.

Upon confirmation of internal communication of the program and partnership, students and family members of STCC students will have access to the preferred tuition rates listed below. The term of this agreement shall be for one (1) year and shall automatically renew for successive periods of one (1) year, until terminated by either party, with or without cause, upon sixty (60) days prior written notice. Termination of this agreement will not affect the admission status of currently enrolled students.

## Salve Regina Online Nursing Programs

• RN to BSN Program

\$7,000 for Core Nursing Curriculum (30 credit hours @ \$233.33 per credit hour)
\$330\* per credit hour for General Education courses

\*if needed

• MSN-FNP Program

\$34,000 for Core Nursing Curriculum (48 credit hours @ \$708.33 per credit hour)

• DNP Program

\$20,500 for Core Nursing Curriculum (30 credit hours @ \$683.33 per credit hour)

Geraldine deBerly
VP of Academic Affairs
Springfield Technical Community College

5-6-21

Date

05/06/21

Date

Sam Foster

Vice President, iDesign

On behalf of Salve Regina University

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Dean, School of Health & Patient Simulation Springfield Technical Community College

Date.

Lisa Fugiel

Director of Nursing

Springfield Technical Community College

5/5/2021

Date

## SALVE REGINA UNIVERSITY Degree Completion Program Plan – Nursing

Degree Completion Program Plan – Nursing						
Course No.	Course Name	Credit	Completed in STCC Nursing Curriculum	Additional STCC Equivalency Options		
	REQUIRED - MUST BE TAK	EN AT SR	U – 9 CREDITS			
UNV 102A	University Seminar II	3				
RTS 225A	Quest for the Ultimate	3	1			
PHL 225A	Quest for the Good Life	3				
eqi	ivalent to the SRU offering. Social Sciences MUST in Faith and Reason and Exploring the			·		
ENG216A	Literature – Literature and Medicine	3		Any 200 level ENG		
RTS337A	2 <sup>nd</sup> Religion – Biomedical Ethics	3				
STA173A	Statistics	3		MAT 115		
	Natural Sciences (A&P I)	4	BIO 231	-		
HIS313A	History -American Immigrant Experience	3		Any HIST		
PHL125A	Philosophy - Philosophy of the Human Person	3		Any PHL		
	Social Sciences (PSYCH)	3	PSY 101	-		
SOA249A	Sociology – Global Health	3	SOC 101	-		
THE261A	Visual & Performing Arts - Public Speaking	3		Any ART, MUS,		

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THE261A	Visual & Performing Arts – Public Speaking	3		Any ART, MUS,		
				THR or ENG105		
REQUIRED COURSES FOR MAJOR – 30 CREDITS						
NUR148A	Introduction to Professional Nursing	3				
NUR216A	Health care Informatics	3				
NUR 332A	Holistic Health Assessment & Promotion	3				
NUR 336A	Research & Evidence-based Practice	3				
NUR 436A	Families in Transition: Aging & End of Life	3				
NUR 437A	Experiential Learning: Aging & End of Life	3	-			
NUR 444A	Public Health and Disaster Response	3				
NUR475A	Experiential Learning: Public Health and	3				
	Disaster Response					

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## \*Unless articulation with transferring school

Leadership & Management

The Nursing Capstone Experience

Total Minimum Credits	125
Minus RN Block Credit	(58)
Minus Transfer Credit	, , ,
Minus SRU Credit	
Waived	
Elective	
Total Credits remaining at SRU	

Reviewed and Approved by:

**NUR 446A** 

NUR 451A

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Debra A. Cherubini, PhD, RN Chair, Department of Nursing, Salve Regina University Students must complete a minimum of 30 credits at SRU.