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
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Springfield Technical Community College
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Lisa Fugiel<br>Director of Nursing<br>Springfield Technical Community College

5/5/2021
Date


Sam Foster
Vice President, iDesign On behalf of Salve Regina University

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# SALVE REGINA UNIVERSITY Degree Completion Program Plan - Nursing 



Reviewed and Approved by:

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Students must complete a minimum of 30 credits at RU.

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