Partners in Education

University of Mary and Des Moines Area Community College



Complete Your Bachelor's Degree Respiratory Therapy

The University of Mary and Des Moines Area Community College have partnered to support you as you work toward your bachelor's degree. Through this partnership, it's even easier to make the step from an RRRT program to finishing a bachelor's degree.

Our partnership allows you to easily transfer course credits earned at Des Moines Area Community College and use them toward earning a bachelor's degree from the University of Mary. Using the guide on the back, you can plan in advance to complete the all appropriate coursework required to earn your bachelor's degree — meaning you'll be well prepared for success as you pursue a bachelor's degree.

The University of Mary is dedicated to supporting students like you — those answering the call to serve in their communities and meet their regional workforce needs. While each student comes to us with distinct circumstances, experiences, and perspectives, our faculty, advisors, and staff will ensure that you graduate with the tools you need to succeed — in your career and in your life.





Des Moines Area Community College Degree Requirements by Course Listing

DMACC Course Name and Number	University of Mary Course
MAT 121 College Algebra (4 cr)	MAT 103
BIO 168 Anatomy Physiology I (4 cr)	BIO 207
BIO 173 Anatomy Physiology II (4 cr)	BIO 208
SDV 108 The College Experience (1 cr)	LIB 125
RCP 110 Respiratory Care Introduction (4 cr)	RTH 125
RCP 250 Cardio/Pulmonary Therapeutics (4 cr)	RTH 225
ENG 105 Composition I (3 cr)	ENG 111
CHM 122 Intro to General Chemistry (4 cr)	CHE 109
HSC 300 Med Term for Health Sciences (2 cr)	KIN 206
RCP 360 Cardio/Pulmonary Therapeutics (4 cr)	RTH 225
RCP 401 Airway Pharmacology (2 cr)	RTH 225
RCP 701 Respiratory Care Clinic I (3 cr)	RTH 225
SOC 110 Introduction to Sociology (3 cr)	SOC 107
RCP 500 Advanced Respiratory Therapy (5 cr)	RTH 225
RCP 702 Respiratory Care Clinic II (4 cr)	RTH 225
RCP 605 Neo/Peds Respiratory Care (3 cr)	RTH 225
RCP 703 Respiratory Care Clinic III (6 cr)	N/A - Transfer Limit
BIO 186 Microbiology (4 cr)	BIO 209
RCP 405 Respiratory Care Diagnostics (2 cr)	N/A - Transfer Limit
RCP 704 Respiratory Clinic (8 cr)	N/A - Transfer Limit
RCP 805 Comprehensive Respiratory Care (2 cr)	N/A - Transfer Limit
PSY 111 Introduction to Psychology (3 cr)	PSY 201

Total Transfer Credits to UMary: 62

Maximum of 62 DMACC credits can be transferred to the University of Mary.

If student is pursuing a program other than Respiratory Therapy at DMACC, different elective courses may be required to fulfill those requirements. Meet with your advisor to adapt your course plan.

Students may choose to complete electives at DMACC other than those recommended above. Contact University of Mary Admissions if you have questions regarding transfer equivalencies for different courses, in order to ensure the selected courses will apply toward your University of Mary program of study.

The following courses to be completed at the University of Mary

FYE 322

Transition Seminar (1 cr)

ENG 121

Composition II (3 cr)

CTH/THE 234

Benedict: Yesterday & Today (3 cr)

PHI 308

Ethics (3 cr)

RTH 330

Advanced Cardiopulmonary Pharmacology (3 cr)

RTH 340

Advanced Cardiopulmonary Physiology (3 cr)

RTH 421

Leadership & Managements (3 cr)

RTH 435

Advanced Critical Respiratory Care (3 cr)

RTH 440

Advanced Cardiopulmonary Assessment (3 cr)

RTH 455

Health Promotion (3 cr)

RTH 470

Research and Evidence Based Practice (3 cr)

RTH 480

Respiratory Therapy Seminary (3 cr)

RTH 490

Respiratory Therapy Speciality Capstone (3 cr)

Choose Two:

BUS 350, BUS 351, BUS 407, or BUS 408 (6 cr)

HUM 499

Senior Competency Testing (0 credits)

RTH 497

Prior Learning Credit (12credits)

Additional Liberal Arts Electives (7 credits)

Total: 124 semester credits required for graduation