

Middlesex County College (MCC) & La Salle University
Transfer Guide for Public Health (A.S.) at MCC
to Public Health (B.S.) at La Salle University

MCC COURSE	CRS.	LA SALLE UNIVERSITY COURSE AREA SATISFIED	CRS.
ENG 121 English Composition I	3	ENG 110 College Writing I: Persuasion	3
MAT 123 Statistics I	3	HSC 217 Statistics for Health Science Profession	3
CHM 107 Principles of General, Organic and Biochemistry	4	CHM 161 Chemistry of the Life Sciences	4
PSY 123 Introduction to Psychology	3	PSY 155 Intro to Psychology	3
PBH 101 Principles of Public Health	3	PHLT 101 Essentials of Public Health	3
ENG 122 English Composition II	3	ENG 210 College Writing II: Research	3
CSC 106 Intermediate PC Applications with Programming	3	Computer Science Elective Credit	3
MAT 124 Statistics II	3	PSY 310 or SOC 302 Statistics	3
SOC 121 Introduction to Sociology	3	SOC 150 Principles of Sociology	3
History Elective	3	Credit given depends on course taken	3
BIO 111 Human Anatomy and Physiology I	4	BIO 161 Anatomy and Physiology I	4
HCD 105 Basic Nutrition	3	Does not transfer	0
HED 150 Contemporary Health Issues	3	Does not transfer	0
Language Elective	3	Credit given depends on course taken	3
BIO 112 Human Anatomy and Physiology II	4	BIO 162 Anatomy and Physiology II	4
PHI 123 Ethics	3	PHL 152 Moral Inquiry and Moral Choice	3
Language Elective	3	Credit given depends on course taken	3
SPE 121 Fundamentals of Public Speaking	3	COM 150 Presentation Skills	3
HED 200 Human Sexuality and Family Life	3	Elective Credit	3
MINIMUM CREDITS NEEDED TO EARN A.S.	60		

Please **NOTE**: Students may complete the requirements for the bachelor's degree program within two years, although certain majors may require more than 20 courses, which could result in extended time at La Salle.

MCC-La Salle Dual Admission Students: Please refer to the Dual Admission application for eligibility requirements. Students interested in applying to La Salle through the Dual Admission Agreement must complete the online dual admission application before completing 45 college-level credits. The Dual Admission Agreement includes a **Core-to-Core component**. Under the Dual Admission agreement, La Salle University's Core will essentially be fulfilled by the Core at Middlesex County College. In order to meet the requirements of La Salle's Core, students must take one CORE "qualifier" at La Salle, REL 100: Religion Matters. This course must be taken at La Salle because there is no equivalent course offered at the community college.

Non-Dual Admission students who transfer to La Salle University will be required to complete the entire La Salle Core, which includes courses in a number of disciplines. Coursework can be taken at La Salle or prior to transfer. Seek advisement for course options and visit the La Salle website, www.lasalle.edu, to view the current course catalog.

** When equivalent courses are worth different credit amounts, the course will be satisfied and the amount of credit earned will transfer.*

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Admission Requirements for ALL Public Health Applicants:

- 1) Students are required to submit official transcripts after each semester in which additional coursework was earned. It is the students' responsibility to make sure that La Salle has their most recent and updated transcripts before starting classes. All final transcripts MUST be received before attending La Salle. Failure to comply will result in a hold on all future registration at La Salle.
- 2) Official transcripts must be sent from all previous colleges attended.
- 3) Students must submit two letters of recommendation.
- 4) Students must submit one essay or personal statement.

Notes for Dual Admission Applicants:

- 1) Dual Admission applications must be completed on La Salle University's website, www.lasalle.edu, before 45 college credits are earned. Applications are free.
- 2) MCC transcripts must be submitted at the time of admission review.
- 3) Final official transcripts must be sent as soon as the final semester is completed and associate's degree conferred.
- 4) Students must uphold a grade point average of 2.5 or higher to qualify for Dual Admission.
- 5) Dual Admission applicants for full-time day programs will be eligible for the Dual Admission Achievement Scholarship.

Additional Notes (for Dual Admission and regular transfer applicants):

- 1) Dual Admission is available for the Nutrition Didactic program only and not the Nutrition Coordinated program.
- 2) The maximum amount of transfer credits awarded cannot exceed 90.
- 3) Additional courses beyond the Associate degree can be taken at MCC to meet program requirements at La Salle.
- 4) At least half of the courses required by the major department (i.e., major requirements) must be completed at La Salle.
- 5) For the general Electives, please note that pre-college level courses do not meet this requirement. Please seek advisement on course selection and transferability.
- 6) All full-time day applicants will be eligible for the merit-based Founder's Scholarship. The award amount will depend on grade point average and quality of curriculum.
- 7) The Phi Theta Kappa Scholarship is offered to full-time day transfer applicants who are members of PTK with a 3.5 cumulative GPA or above. Proof of membership is required to qualify for this scholarship.
- 8) Non-Dual Admission students should seek advisement on General Education Elective courses that will satisfy the La Salle Core.
- 9) Students are strongly advised to use this guide with the assistance of transfer services at MCC. The information in this transfer guide is subject to change. Therefore, students are advised to check periodically with transfer services for up-to-date information and to contact the Assistant Dean at La Salle, listed below, for advisement on major requirements that can be taken at MCC. Following this guide does not guarantee the transfer of credit or admission to La Salle University.

Contact Information

La Salle University

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Middlesex County College

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Requirements for Completion of B.S. in Public Health, at La Salle University

Number of major courses required for graduation: 24 (plus Support Courses)

Total number of courses required for graduation: 41

Number of major credits required for graduation: 63

Total number of credits required for graduation: 123

Per the Dual Admission Agreement, the CORE is satisfied by the associate's degree earned, except for the following CORE Qualifier(s) that must be completed:

Course(s) at La Salle	Equivalent at Partner School	Notes
REL 100 Religion Matters	Not applicable	Must be taken at La Salle

The following courses are major requirements for graduation from La Salle. At least half of the courses required by the major department must be completed at La Salle.

Required Major & Support Courses at La Salle	Equivalent at Partner School	Notes
CHM 161 Chemistry for the Life Sciences	CHM 107 Prin of Gen, Org & Biochem	Required for A.S.
HSC 217 Statistics for the Health Science Prof	MAT 123 Statistics I	Required for A.S.
CSC 154 Health Care Informatics		
COM 150 Presentation Skills	SPE 121 Fund of Public Speaking	Required for A.S.
NUTR 165 Principles of Nutrition	HCD 247 Nutrition Fund for Nursing	Must be taught by a Registered Dietitian
BIO 161 Anatomy and Physiology I	BIO 111 Human Anat & Physiology I	Required for A.S.
BIO 162 Anatomy and Physiology II	BIO 112 Human Anat & Physiology II	Required for A.S.
PHLT 101 Essentials of Public Health	PBH 101 Principles of Public Health	Required for A.S.
PHLT 270 Community Nutrition		
PHLT 319 Epidemiology for Health Educators		
PHLT 301 Theories of Social Behavioral Change in Community Health Education		
PHLT 352 Program Planning and Health Educ		
PHLT 314 Unhealthy Urban Environments		
PHLT 420 Public Health Leadership & Mgmt		
PHLT 315 Violence Prevention and Control		
PHLT 356 Reproductive Health for Practitioners		
PHLT 410 Public Health Education Capstone I		
PHLT 411 Public Health Education Capstone II		
PHLT 451 Intro to Public Health Policy		
PHLT 408 Research Methods in Public Health		
PHLT 489 Race and Ethnicity in Public Health		
6 Approved Public Health Supporting Courses including, but not limited to, the following, which can be satisfied by coursework at most two-year colleges: PSY 210, SOC 150, BIO 163, SOC 151, PSY 220, PSY 225, PSY 250, SWK 160	SOC 121=SOC 150 Principles of Soc SOC 131=SOC 151; SOC 141= SWK 160; PSY 232=PSY 210; PSY 235=PSY 220; PSY 222=PSY 225; SCI 222, SCI 224=PHLT major/support elective	Required for A.S. Others can be taken as extra courses

Free Electives

In addition to the requirements listed above, students must take enough courses to fulfill graduation credit requirements for their School and major. The information in this transfer guide is subject to change. Therefore, students are advised to check periodically with transfer services for up-to-date information and to contact the Assistant Dean at La Salle for advisement on major requirements that can be taken at the two-year school. Following this guide does not guarantee the transfer of credit or admission to La Salle University.

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