

**Community College of Vermont A.A.S. Medical Assisting
to Excelsior College B.S. Health Sciences**
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This program plan outlines how students may transfer from the **Community College of Vermont A.A.S. Medical Assisting** program to the **Excelsior College B.S. Health Sciences** program. Upon completion of the **A.A.S. Medical Assisting** degree, the following credits may apply for students enrolling in the **B.S. Health Sciences** program.

This guide is only a sample scenario. Excelsior College reviews every student individually. Actual requirements will be dependent on the courses a student transfers and the application date with Excelsior.

Community College of Vermont Credits	Semester Hours	Excelsior College Requirements	Semester Hours
INT 1050: Dimensions of Self & Society	3	Social Sciences / History Requirement	3
CIS 1041: Computer Applications	3	N/A	0
COM 1030: Intercultural Communication	3	Humanities Requirement	3
ENG 1061: English Composition	3	Written English Requirement	3
MAT 2021: Statistics	3	Statistics Requirement	3
ENG 1062: English Composition II	3	Written English Requirement	3
BIO 1140: Human Biology	3	Natural Sciences Requirement	3
HUM 2010: Seminar in Educational Inquiry	3	Arts & Sciences Requirement	3
AHS 1205: Medical Terminology	3	Health Sciences Elective	3
AHS 1410: Introduction to Phlebotomy	3	Health Sciences Elective	3
AHS 2121: Medical Billing & Coding I	3	Health Sciences Elective	3
AHS 2200: Administrative Medical Assisting	3	Health Sciences Elective	3
AHS 1810: Administrative Medical Assisting Internship	3	Health Sciences Elective	3
AHS 2470: Fundamentals of Pharmacology	3	Health Sciences Elective	3
AHS 2070: Clinical Medical Assisting	3	Health Sciences Elective	3
AHS 2820: Clinical Medical Assisting Internship	3	Health Sciences Elective	3
HUM 2020: Bioethics	3	Ethics Requirement	3
PSY 1060: Intro to Health Psychology OR AHS 2120: Wellness for Life	3	Health Sciences Elective	3
"Electives Recommend Arts & Sciences"	6	Arts & Sciences Electives	6
Total Credits Required for Associate	60	Total Credits Accepted from Associate	57

* Courses would be classified as Health Sciences electives, but the total number of credits exceeds the maximum allowable 29 in this area.

Credits Beyond The Associate That Can Be Transferred OR Taken At Excelsior

Community College of Vermont Credits	Semester Hours	Excelsior College Requirements
Humanities Electives	3	Humanities Requirement
Social Sciences/History Electives	6	Social Sciences/History Requirement
Natural Sciences/Mathematics Electives	3	Natural Sciences/Mathematics Requirement
Arts & Sciences Electives	18	Arts & Sciences Requirement
Health Sciences Electives	2	Health Sciences Electives Requirement
Total Additional Credits	32	

Credits To Be Taken At Excelsior College *

Excelsior College Requirements	Semester Hours
INL 102: Information Literacy (<i>MUST be completed with Excelsior</i>)	1
IND 101: Cornerstone A (Foundations) OR IND 301: Cornerstone B (Pathways) (<i>MUST be completed with Excelsior</i>)	3
HSC 310: Writing and Communication in the Health Science Professions	3
HSC 320: Health Care Issues in Culturally Diverse Populations	3
HSC 365: Research for Evidence-Based Practice	3
HSC 431: Introduction to Health Care Delivery Systems	3
HSC 445: Introduction to Health Care Informatics	3
Upper Level Health Sciences Electives Choose ONE area of emphasis	9
HSC 464: Health Sciences Capstone (<i>MUST be completed with Excelsior</i>)	3
Total Credits	31

Evaluation Summary	Semester Hours
Credits Accepted from Associate Degree	57
Additional Credits beyond the Associate Degree *	32
Credits from Excelsior **	31
Total Credits Required for Bachelor's Degree	120

* Students can take these courses at Excelsior College or another degree granting institution. Students should contact Excelsior College for approval before registering to ensure the transferability of this credit.

Students are required to take a minimum of **12.00 online course credits from Excelsior to qualify for partner pricing.

What are Arts and Sciences?

We offer the following definitions to help you make these determinations. Remember, however, that before you pay to take a course or examination you should always consult with your advisor to make sure that it will help meet your degree requirements.

Humanities

Humanities subjects focus on developing knowledge and skills in critical reading, logical thought, and esthetic appreciation. Here are some subject areas typically classified as Humanities:

Art, Philosophy, Music, Foreign Language, Literature, Theater, Ethics, Speech, Religion, Communication

Social Sciences and History

Social Sciences and History subjects focus on individuals and society and the processes individuals use to order their world. Here are some subject areas typically classified as Social Sciences and History:

Psychology, Economics, Sociology, Geography, Political Science, History, Anthropology

Natural Sciences and Mathematics

Natural Sciences and Mathematics subjects focus on understanding the natural world and problem-solving processes. Here are some subject areas typically classified as Natural Sciences and Mathematics:

Anatomy and Physiology, College Algebra, Microbiology, Calculus, Chemistry, Genetics, Biology, Physics