

Florida Department of Education

Statewide Articulation Agreement Industry Certification to AAS/AS Degree Program

AAS/AS Degree Name:	Biotechnology		
CIP Number(s):	AAS: 0626061600	AS: 1626061600	
Industry Certification:	Biotechnician Assistant	Code: CERHB001	
College Credit:	<p>The minimum award of course credits or a block of credit toward the above AAS/AS program is 3 hours of credit.</p> <p>This agreement does not preclude the awarding of additional credits by any college through local agreements.</p>		
Admission Requirements			
<p>Students entering the above Associate in Applied Science and or the Associate in Science Program must have a standard high school diploma or its equivalent, or a CPT Eligible Certificate of Completion, and must meet the requirements of State Board Rule 6A-10.0315(3), FAC (College preparatory testing, placement, and instruction). Students earning scores less than those listed shall enroll in college preparatory communication and computation instruction.</p>			
Validation Mechanism:			
<p>To be eligible for articulation, the student must show evidence of their current <u>Biotechnician Assistant</u> certification at the time of request for award of credit.</p>			
Rationale/Justification:			
<p>The <u>Biotechnician Assistant</u> certification represents industry acknowledgement of technical skill attainment of competencies in the <u>Biotechnology</u> program.</p>			
Applicability:			
<p>Florida College System institution administrators, program deans and faculty were consulted and agreed that the "<u>Biotechnician Assistant</u>" certification shall articulate three (3) college credit hours the AAS/AS Degree in <u>Biotechnology</u>.</p>			
Date Presented to ACC	ACC Recommendation	Date Submitted to SBE	SBE Status
December 8, 2011	Approved / Denial	January 24, 2012	Approved / Denied
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