Contract No.: 11-122

# TRANSFER AGREEMENT BETWEEN COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF DENVER AND MESA STATE COLLEGE

THIS TRANSFER AGREEMENT (Agreement) is entered into by and between the State of Colorado, Department of Higher Education, by the State Board for Community Colleges and Occupational Education for the use and benefit of the Community College of Denver (CCD) and Mesa State College (MSC) to co-develop and adopt public policy statements governing transfer between the Associate of Applied Science degree in Radiologic Technology offered at CCD and the Bachelor of Applied Science in Radiologic Technology degree offered at MSC. This Agreement follows established Colorado Commission on Higher Education (CCHE) policy on the acceptance of Colorado state guaranteed transfer general education courses. Additional course acceptance determination is depicted in Section II. Students applying under this Agreement will still need to meet minimum MSC application requirements and will follow all application procedures as outlined in the MSC catalog. Any additional requirements specific to the degree program here listed will be addressed in the agreement. All MSC academic policies will apply.

### SECTION I: ADMISSIONS CRITERIA AND PROCEDURES

### A. MSC Admission Standards and Criteria

Applicants who apply for the MSC baccalaureate major and concentration program as outlined in this Agreement must have completed the CCD Associate of Applied Science (A.A.S.) degree and must have followed the CCD degree/graduation plan included as Appendix A.

- The Bachelor of Applied Science (BAS) in Radiologic Technology degree program offers a concentration in Radiologic Technology having its own specific requirements. This Agreement the requirements appearing as part of the tables in Appendix B.
- 2. Applicants who have not followed the A.A.S. program as it appears in Appendix A and/or have not been awarded the A.A.S. degree are not covered under this Agreement.
- Once accepted into the baccalaureate program, students must receive a grade of 'C' or better in each required course and must maintain a 2.0 grade point average (GPA) overall in order to proceed to graduation.

### B. Treatment of GPA Earned at CCD

The letter grades on courses from CCD accepted for transfer by MSC will appear on MSC transcript as transfer grades. The GPA earned at CCD shall be used solely for the purpose of admission to MSC and to the baccalaureate program. Only the grades and credits awarded at MSC will be used in calculating a student's GPA for graduation.

### C. Admission of CCD Students with Prior Transfer Credits

Use by CCD of credit hours earned at a school other than CCD will not affect the admissibility of the student. Usage of these courses at MSC may fall under conditions depicted in Section II of this Agreement.

### SECTION II: TRANSFER OF CREDIT

### A. <u>Admissibility of Prior Transfer Credit Courses</u>

Students who receive the A.A.S. degree from CCD but fulfilled some of the credit hours at a school outside of the Colorado Community College System (CCCS) are subject to the following conditions:

- 1. Transfer courses accepted by CCD toward general education are acceptable to the MSC baccalaureate degree as long as the transfer institution is regionally accredited.
  - 2. MSC will reserve the right to evaluate on a course-by-course basis any CCD-accepted transfer courses for use toward portions of the baccalaureate degree requirements other than the general education courses approved through the Colorado statewide guaranteed transfer program.

### B. MSC Treatment of AP Exams, CLEP Scores and Other Non-Traditional Credit in Transfer

Non-traditional credits awarded by CCD may include high school Advanced Placement (AP) exams, College Level Examination Program (CLEP) subject examinations and military credit. Credit awarded by CCD through these means must follow MSC established non-traditional credit policies before receiving credit toward the baccalaureate degree. The total combination of any non-traditional credit toward any MSC baccalaureate degree cannot exceed thirty (30) semester credits.

### C. Number of Credit Hours Accepted in Transfer by MSC

MSC will accept thirty six (36) CCD A.A.S. Radiologic Technology program credit hours towards the BAS degree. General education prerequisites and foundation courses for the BAS Radiologic Technology degree completed at CCD will also transfer as noted in Appendix B.

- Because of the nature of the A.A.S. degree (a technical degree not necessarily designed for transfer) and the use of CCD courses by MSC as substitute courses and not as equivalent courses, the graduation credit hours needed to complete the baccalaureate degree will exceed 120 credits.
- Students who may have taken CCD courses which do not apply to the A.A.S. degree program may request that additional courses be considered on a course-by-course basis.
  - Additional lower division transfer courses can sometimes be considered for students who declare a minor.
  - Students wishing to use transfer courses to meet MSC graduation requirements for Degree Distinction and/or Kinesiology should consult an advisor. See also Section III-A.
- 3. All courses considered for transfer must have been awarded a minimum letter grade of "C" or better

#### SECTION III: DEGREE/PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

## A. MSC Policies Governing General Education, Human Performance and Wellness, and Other Degree Requirements

 All baccalaureate level degrees at MSC require a minimum of thirty one (31) semester credit hours of General Education as outlined in the MSC catalog, as well as three (3) credit hours in Applied Studies also specified in the MSC catalog.

- 2. The Kinesiology graduation requirement consists of three (3) one-credit hour courses and is required in all baccalaureate degree programs.
- 3. The BAS degree foundation courses are required for graduation. These courses do not have to be completed prior to applying for the BAS Radiologic Technology Program.

### B. MSC Requirements for the Bachelor of Applied Science in Radiologic Technology Degree Program

Full requirements for this degree program and are contained in the table in Appendix B.

### C. <u>Special Considerations and Uses of CCD Courses by MSC Toward the Bachelor of Applied Science in Radiologic Technology Degree Program</u>

CCD courses outside of Colorado state guaranteed transfer courses will be transferred as substituting for the MSC courses according to the tables in Appendix B. Course transfer acceptance decisions for courses other than Colorado state guaranteed transfer courses are restricted to this Agreement and apply only to the BAS in Radiologic Technology at MSC.

### SECTION IV: GOVERNMENTAL IMMUNITY

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement to the contrary, no term or condition of this Agreement shall be construed or interpreted as a waiver, express or implied, of any of the immunities, rights, benefits, protection, or other provisions of the Governmental Immunity Act. CCD and MSC understand and agree that liability for claims for injuries to persons or property arising out of negligence of either CCD or MSC, its departments, institutions, agencies, boards, officials and employees is controlled and limited by the provisions of sections 24-10-101, et. seq., C.R.S., as now or hereafter amended and the risk management statutes, sections 24-30-1501, et seq., C.R.S., as now or hereafter amended.

### SECTION IV: TERM

This Agreement shall become effective upon its signing by the Presidents of CCD and MSC and shall remain in force for a period of five (5) years or until such time as institutional policies require modification of the Agreement.

#### SECTION V: NOTICES

The point of contact at each institution will be the respective program directors.

### THE PARTIES HERETO HAVE EXECUTED THIS AGREEMENT

Mesa State College	STATE OF COLORADO: JOHN W. HICKENLOOPER, GOVERNOR Department of Higher Education, by the State Board for Community Colleges and Occupational Education, for the use and benefit of the Community College of Denver
Signature of Authorized Officer	Muane F. Risso  McCliff Richardson, Interim President
<u>Timothy Foster, President</u> Print Name & Title of Authorized Officer	
7/13/11 Date	7.21. <sub>//</sub> Date

### **APPENDIX A**

### ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE DEGREE Radiology Technology Program (RTE) Educational Planning Guide 2010 – 2011

Name:	Student ID#:
16. A. C.	
Phone #:	

COURSE NUMBER	COURSE TITLE	SEMESTER HOURS	TERM ENROLLED	CREDIT HOURS RECEIVED	APPROVED SUBSTITUTION
GENERAL EDUC	ATION COURSES REQUIRED FOR ADMISS	ION			
Math	Math 099, 121 or higher	3-4			
PSY 101	General Psychology I OR	3			
PSY 235	Psychology of Growth & Development OR	3			
SOC 101	Introduction to Sociology I	3	"		
ENG 121	English Composition	3	TANA MAN		
BIO 201	Anatomy and Physiology I AND	4			
BIO 202	Anatomy and Physiology II OR	4			
BIO106/120/ 175	Basic of Anatomy and Physiology	4			
HPR 178	Medical Terminology	1-2			
RTE 101	Introduction to Radiography	2			
Total		16 – 22			
FALL SEMESTER	-FIRST YEAR				-
RTE 111	Patient Care	3			
RTE 121	Radiologic Procedures I	3			
RTE 141	Radiographic Equipment/Imaging I	3			
RTE 181	Radiographic Clinical Internship I	5			
Total		14			
SPRING SEMEST	ER-FIRST YEAR				
RTE 122	Radiologic Procedures II	3			
RTE 131	Radiologic Pathology I	1.5		1	
RTE 132	Radiologic Pathology II	1.5			
RTE 142	Radiographic Equipment/Imaging II	3			•
RTE 182	Radiographic Clinical Internship II	5			
Total		14			

COURSE NUMBER	COURSE TITLE	SEMESTER HOURS	TERM ENROLLED	CREDIT HOURS RECEIVED	APPROVED SUBSTITUTION
SUMMER SEMESTER-FIRST YEAR					
RTE 183	Radiographic Clinical Internship III	7			
Total		7			
FALL SEMESTE	R-SECOND YEAR	•		·	
RTE 221	Advanced Medical Imaging	3			
RTE 231	Radiation Biology/Protection	2			*******
RTE 281	Radiographic Clinical Internship IV	8	, ,		
Total		13	1.0		***************************************
SPRING SEMES	TER-SECOND YEAR	1E-11			
RTE 282	Radiographic Capstone	8			
RTE 289	Radiographic Clinical Internship IV	3			
Total		11			
Program Total		75 – 81			
Student Signature	¥		_ Date: _		
Advisor Signature	5.		Date:		

### Appendix B

Mesa State College Requirements for BAS in Radiologic Technology	Community College of Denver Requirements for AAS in Radiologic Technology	Remaining credits to take to meet requirements for BAS in Radiologic Technology
	GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS	
ENGL 111 English Composition I ENGL 112 English Composition II	ENG 121 English Composition I	ENGL 112 English Composition II (3 credits)
Math 110 or higher (4 credits)	Math 121 or higher (Math 099 will not transfer) (3-4 credits)	
Humanities General Education (3 credits)		Humanities General Education (3 credits)
Social Behavioral Sciences General Education (6 credits)	PSY 101, 235 or SOC 101 (3 credits)	Social Behavioral Sciences General Education course (3 credits)
Natural Sciences General Education (3 credits)	10.00	Natural Sciences General Education (3 credits)
Natural Sciences General Education with Lab (4 credits)		Natural Sciences General Education with Lab (4 credits)
History General Education (3 credits)		History General Education (3 credits)
Fine Arts General Education (3 credits)		Fine Arts General Education (3 credits)
	OTHER LOWER DIVISION REQUIREMENTS	<b>3</b>
Kinesiology (3 credits) KINE 100 and 2 KINA Activity Courses		Kinesiology (3 credits) KINE 100 and 2 KINA Activity Courses
Applied Studies (3 credits)		Applied Studies (3 credits)
	FOUNDATION COURSES	
STAT 200 Probability and Statistics (3 credits)		STAT 200 Probability and Statistics (3 credits)
BIOL 210/210L Anatomy and Physiology II and Lab (4 credits)	BIO 202 Anatomy and Physiology II (4 credits) NOTE: BIO 106, 120 and 175 would not transfer)	
BIOL 241 Pathophysiology (4 credits)	500	BIOL 241 Pathophysiology (4 credits)
	BAS RAD TECH MAJOR REQUIREMENTS	
Core Courses (13 credits) RTEC 320, 365, 460, 494 AND NURS 415		Core Courses (13 credits) RTEC 320, 365, 460, 494 AND NURS 415
Specialty Courses (5 credits)		Specialty Courses (5 credits)
Clinical Courses (6 credits)		Clinical Courses (6 credits)
Elective credit (12 credits; 9 must be upper division)	BIO 201 Anatomy and Physiology I (4 credits)	Elective credit (9 upper division credits)
BACHELOR OF APPLIED SCIENCE CORE (36 credits)	All RTE courses (101, 111, 121, 141, 181, 122, 131, 132, 142, 182, 183, 221, 231, 281, 282, 289) (61 credits)	