



OAKLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE TRANSFER GUIDE

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING AND SCIENCE

PRE-HEALTH PROGRAMS

PRE-DENTAL, PRE-MEDICAL AND PRE-PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT

The following courses will transfer into Detroit Mercy to satisfy many of the course requirements for application to dental, medical, PA and other Pre-Health graduate/professional schools. Students may transfer a maximum of 63 credits toward a Bachelor's Degree. Course grades must be a C or better. Additional courses not on this guide may also transfer. **Students are encouraged to also obtain a Transfer Guide for their chosen undergraduate major** (many are available on Detroit Mercy's website – Biology, Chemistry/Biochemistry, etc).

Contact the Transfer Team if you have any questions: transferteam@udmercy.edu or 313-993-1940.

Students should review the admission requirements of their prospective dental, medical, PA and other Pre-Health graduate/professional schools for a complete list of required coursework. Note: many dental and medical school admission committees prefer science courses be taken at a four-year institution.

Courses which fulfill Detroit Mercy Core Curriculum Knowledge Area Requirements

Oakland Community College Courses			Detroit Mercy Equivalencies			Core
COM	1600	Fundamentals of Speech	CST	1010	Fundamentals of Speech	A1
ENG	1520	Composition II	ENL	1310	Academic Writing	A2
Satisfied by program requirement			Quant/Symbolic Reasoning course			B1
Satisfied by program requirement; see the Transfer Guide for your intended undergraduate program			Statistical/Probabilistic Reasoning			B2
Satisfied by program requirement			Physical Sciences course			C1
Strongly recommended: PSY 2510 or SOC 2510			Choose 1 Social Sciences course			C2
PHI	1510	Introduction to Philosophy	PHL	1000	Introduction to Philosophy	D1
HUM	1710, 2720		Choose 1 Religious Knowledge course			D2
HUM	1710, 2720; PHI	1520, 1710*, 2710	Choose 1 PHL/RELS Elective course			D3
HIS	1510, 1520, 1550, 2510,	2520*, 2610*, 2620*	Choose 1 Historical Experiences course			E1
ENG	1610, 1710, 1720, 2510-2570,	2750-2770	Choose 1 Literary Experiences course			E2
ART	1540, 1560, 2240, 2250, 2600; FSH	1500; HUM 1510, 1520, 1900, 2100 -2109, 2900; MUS	Choose 1 Aesthetic Experiences course			E3
PHO	1550; THE	1561, 1571				
MDA	1350; PHIL	1610	Choose 1 Ethics course			F1
<i>For Pre-PA, MDA 1350 Medical Law & Ethics is required</i>						

***Highlighted courses within the Knowledge Areas also fulfill an Integrating Theme (IT) requirement; see IT options.**

MTA Students only: Transfer students who satisfy the **Michigan Transfer Agreement** (MTA) will have the Core Knowledge Area requirements met. Fulfilling the Core Integrating Themes is still necessary. Students should select courses that meet both the MTA and program specific requirements.

To learn more about fulfilling the **Integrating Themes requirements in our Core Curriculum**, please see the Detroit Mercy Transfer Guide for your intended undergraduate program (Biology, Chemistry/Biochem, etc).

These courses fulfill requirements for Pre-Dental, Pre-Medical, Pre-PA and other Pre-Health Programs:
Biology and Chemistry courses - *students may be encouraged to retake at Detroit Mercy (four-year institution) for pre-dental/pre-medical*

Oakland Community College Courses			Detroit Mercy Equivalencies		
BIO	1530	Biology I: Molecular & Cellular	BIO	1200/1210	General Biology I/Lab
BIO	1560	Biology II: Biodiversity & Ecology	BIO	1220/1230	General Biology II/Lab
CHE	1510	General Chemistry I	CHM	1070/1100	General Chemistry I/Lab
CHE	1520	General Chemistry II	CHM	1080/1120	General Chemistry II/Lab
CHE	2610	Organic Chemistry I	CHM	2270	Organic Chemistry I
CHE	2620	Organic Chemistry II	CHM	2290	Organic Chemistry II
CHE	2650	Organic Chemistry Lab	CHM	2250/2260	Organic Chemistry Labs I & II

Mathematics courses – *MTH 1400 at Detroit Mercy is the minimum requirement for Biology majors, however all students are encouraged to take Calculus.*

Oakland Community College Courses			Detroit Mercy Equivalencies		
MAT	1560 or MAT 1630		MTH	1400	Elementary Functions
MAT	1730	Calculus I	MTH	1410	Analytic Geometry & Calculus I
MAT	1740	Calculus II	MTH	1420	Analytic Geometry & Calculus II
MAT	2740	Calculus III	MTH	2410	Analytic Geometry & Calculus III

Physics courses - *students may be encouraged to retake at Detroit Mercy (four-year institution) for pre-dental/pre-medical*

Oakland Community College Courses			Detroit Mercy Equivalencies		
B.S. Biology, B.A. Chemistry, B.S. Biochemistry:			B.S. Biology, B.A. Chemistry, B.S. Biochemistry:		
PHY	1610	College Physics I	PHY	1300/1310	General Physics I/Lab
PHY	1620	College Physics II	PHY	1320/1330	General Physics II/Lab
B.S. Chemistry:			B.S. Chemistry:		
PHY	2400	Engineering Physics I	PHY	1600/1610	General Physics I/Lab
PHY	2500	Engineering Physics II	PHY	1620/1630	General Physics II/Lab

Strongly Recommended for Pre-Health Programs

Oakland Community College Courses			Detroit Mercy Equivalencies		
PSY	2510	Intro to Psychology	PYC	1000	Introduction to Psychology
SOC	2510	Sociology	SOC	1000	Introduction to Sociology

Requirements for Detroit Mercy's PA Program

Oakland Community College Courses			Detroit Mercy Equivalencies		
HEA	1510	Nutrition	BIO	2040	Applied Nutrition
MDA	1350	Medical Law & Ethics	ETH	3580	Health Care Ethics
PSY	2710	Hum Development Across the Lifespan	PYC	2500	Developmental Psychology

ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS:

- Minimum 2.50 GPA based on 24 or more credits earned at OCC (and/or other accredited institutions)
- If less than 24 credits have been earned, a student's high school transcript is required
- Apply for admission to Detroit Mercy at udmercy.edu/apply; the application is free