

**Erie Community College A.A.S. Dental Hygiene
to Excelsior College B.S. Health Sciences**
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This program plan outlines how students can transfer from the Erie **Community College A.A.S. Dental Hygiene** program to the **Excelsior College B.S. Health Sciences** program. Upon completion of the A.A.S., the following credits will apply for students enrolling in the **B.S. Health Sciences** program.

Erie Community College Credits	Semester Hours	Excelsior College Requirements	Semester Hours
DH 100: Oral Health Services I	5	Health Science Elective	5
DH 110: Head, Neck and Oral Anatomy	3	Health Science Elective	3
DH 120: Dental Radiography I	1	Health Science Elective	1
DH 121: Lab for DH 120	1	Health Science Elective	1
BI 150: Anatomy and Physiology	3	Natural Science Requirement	3
BI 151: Laboratory for BI 150	1.5	Natural Science Requirement	1.5
BI 230: Microbiology	3	Natural Science Requirement	3
BI 231: Lab for BI 230	1	Natural Science Requirement	1
DH 150: Oral Health Services II	4	Health Science Elective	4
DH 170: Dental Nutrition	2	Health Science Elective	2
DH 180: Dental Radiography II	1	Health Science Elective	1
DH 181: Lab for DH 180	1	Health Science Elective	1
DH 190: Periodontology	2	Health Science Elective	2
BI 152: Anatomy and Physiology II	3	Natural Science Requirement	3
BI 153: Laboratory for BI 152	1.5	Natural Science Requirement	1.5
EG 022: Medical Emergencies in the Dental Office	1	Health Science Elective	N/A*
SO 100: Introduction to Sociology	3	Social Science Requirement	3
DH 175: Oral Health Services III	3	Health Science Elective	3
DH 200: Oral Health Services IV	6	Health Science Elective	6
DH 220: Dental Materials	2	Health Science Elective	2
DH 221: Lab for DH 220	1	Health Science Elective	1
DH 230: Pathology	3	Health Science Elective	N/A*
EN 110: College Composition	3	Written English Requirement	3
DH 250: Oral Health Services V	5	Health Science Elective	N/A*
DH 260: Community Dental Health	2	Health Science Elective	N/A*
DH 270: Pharmacology	2	Health Science Elective	N/A*
PS 100: General Psychology	3	Social Science Requirement	3
EN 114: Public Speaking	3	Humanities Requirement	3
Total Credits Required for Associate	70	Total Credits Accepted From Associate	57

* Courses would be classified as Health Science electives, but exceeds the maximum allowable 32 credits in this area.

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

Erie Community College Credits	Semester Hours	Excelsior College Requirements
Statistics	3	Statistics Requirement
Written English	3	Written English Requirement
Ethics	2	Ethics Requirement
Any Humanities	4	Humanities Requirement
Any Social Science/History	3	Social Science Requirement

Any Humanities, Social Science, History, Math or Natural Science	20	Arts and Sciences Electives
Total Additional Credits	35	

Credits To Be Taken At Excelsior College *

Excelsior College Requirements	Semester Hours
INL 102: Information Literacy	1
HSC 310: Writing & 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
Emphasis (a prescribed three course sequence consisting of nine upper level credits): and Wellness *Health Education *Management *Public Health	*Health 9
HSC 464: Health Sciences Capstone* <i>NOTE: The Capstone MUST be completed at Excelsior</i>	3
Total Credits	28

* The above credits (with the exception of the **Capstone** course) may also be transferred in or taken at another 4-year regionally accredited institution.

Evaluation Summary	Semester Hours
Credits Accepted from Associate Degree	57
Additional Credits Beyond the Associate Degree	35
Credits from Excelsior *	28
Total Credits Required for Bachelor's Degree	120

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

NOTE: Excelsior College reviews every student individually and this guide is just a sample scenario. Actual requirements will be dependent on the courses a student transfers to Excelsior.

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