

Transfer Guide between College America AZ and Grand Canyon University



Associate of Occupational Studies in Medical Assisting – Bachelor of Science in Health Science in Professional Development and Advanced Patient Care

General Education requirements, excluding University Foundations and Christian Worldview, will be considered fulfilled in the event a student has completed one of the following Associate degrees:

- Associate of Arts (AA)
- Associate of Science (AS)
- Associate in Business (ABUS)
- Associate General Education Curriculum (AGEC – A, B or S)

In the event a student has not earned one of the aforementioned Associate level degrees, all general education coursework will be required to complete GCU's Baccalaureate degree.

The following table outlines the requirements needed to receive an Associate of Occupational Studies in Medical Specialties from College America AZ. Within the tables below are preferred courses from College America AZ that are applicable towards Grand Canyon University's transfer-oriented Bachelor of Science degree programs. The General Education courses outlined below are not course to course equivalencies, however they will fulfill the requirements for each competency. If the General Education GCU course has a (+) symbol, it indicates that the transferring course must be a direct course equivalency. All Program Major Transferrable Courses must be a direct course equivalency.

College America AZ– Associate of Occupational Studies in Medical Specialties	Credits	Grand Canyon University – Bachelor of Science in Health Science in Professional Development and Advanced Patient Care	GCU Applied Semester Credits
General Education Requirements			
Effective Communication (9 - 12 Credits)			
		+ ENG-105: English Composition	
ENG-105: English Writing Fundamentals	5	Effective Communication	3.33
CMN-205: Communication & Public Speaking	5	Effective Communication	3.33
Critical Thinking (11 – 12 Credits)			
		+ MAT-144: College Mathematics	
MAT-120: Healthcare Calculations & Accounting	5	Critical Thinking	3.33
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Global Awareness (6 - 8 Credits)			
CSS-105: Psychology of Motivation	5	Global Awareness	3.33
PSY-255: Psychology & Emotional Intelligence	5	Global Awareness	3.33

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Additional College America AZ Requirements			
APP-110: Business Computer Fundamentals	5	Elective Credit	3.33
CSS-295: Professional Development	5	Elective Credit	3.33
EXT-101: Externship	5	Elective Credit	3.33
LBT-280: Medical Laboratory Processes	3	Elective Credit	2
LBT-295: Phlebotomy & Laboratory Procedures	3	Elective Credit	2
MED-100: Medical Terminology, Law, & Ethics	4	Elective Credit	2.67
MED-102: Medical Aseptic Procedures	3	Elective Credit	2
MED-103: Cardiopulmonary / ECG	3	Elective Credit	2
MED-105: Microbiology & Clinical Procedures	3	Elective Credit	2
MED-106: Vital Signs & Emergencies	3	Elective Credit	2
MED-109: Medical Records & Communication	3	Elective Credit	2
MED-116: Medical Billing & Computerized Administration	3.5	Elective Credit	2.33
MED-210: Professional Medical Coding	3	Elective Credit	2
MED-211: Insurance Specialist	3	Elective Credit	2
MED-280: Skeletal & Muscular Systems	4	Elective Credit	2.67
MED-281: Cardiac & Respiratory Systems	4	Elective Credit	2.67
MED-282: Lymphatic, Immune, & Endocrine Systems	4	Elective Credit	2.67

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MED-283: Digestive, Reproductive, & urinary Systems	4	Elective Credit	2.67
PHR-150: Pharmacology	3.5	Elective Credit	2.33

Bachelor of Science in Health Science in Professional Development and Advanced Patient Care: Program Major Transferrable Courses

Credits completed at College America AZ may exceed 60 if students choose to take all courses listed above.

Total Semester Credit Hours Needed to Complete Associate of Occupational Studies in Medical Specialties	62.67 Credits
Total Semester Credit Hours applied to Bachelor of Science in Health Science in Professional Development and Advanced Patient Care at Grand Canyon University	62 Credits

All students must meet 36 Upper Division credit requirement, as well as 30 GCU credits to meet residency requirement. Students must meet Upper Division credit requirement even if content of an Upper Division course requirement is met with a Lower Division course.

Symbol Key	
+	Symbol indicates the College America AZ course must meet specific content requirements (or higher) in order to fulfill GCU's course.
^	Symbol indicates the College America AZ course meets the content requirement but does not fulfill GCU's upper division requirements.

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Course #	Bachelor of Science	Semester Credits
Non-transferable GCU General Education: 8 Credits		
UNV-303	University Success	4
CWV-301	Christian Worldview	4
General Education Requirements		
+ ENG-105	English Composition	4
+ MAT-144	College Mathematics	4
	Critical Thinking	4
Bachelor of Science in Health Science in Professional Development and Advanced Patient Care: Program Major		
HLT-307V	Professional Dynamics	3
HLT-308V	Risk Management and Health Care Regulations	3
HLT-313V	Safety, Quality, and Interdisciplinary Approaches to Care	3
HLT-310V	Spirituality in Health Care	3
HLT-418V	Trends and Issues in Health Care	3
HLT-317V	Communication and Application of Research in Practice	3
AMP-450V	Leadership and Vocation	3
HLT-362V	Applied Statistics for Health Care Professionals	3
HLT-324V	Transcultural Health Care	3
HLT-314V	Health Care Systems	3
HLT-312V	Ethics for Health Care Professionals	3
HLT-490V	Professional Capstone Project	3
Total Semester Credit Hours Needed to Complete an Associate of Occupational Studies in Medical Specialties – College America AZ		62.67 Credits
Credits Completed at Grand Canyon University		58 Credits
Credits completed at Grand Canyon University may fluctuate contingent upon coursework successfully completed at the transferring institution. Courses are not listed twice on the transfer guide, so any courses not completed at the transferring institution will still be required as part of the GCU program. Students are required to complete a minimum of 120 credits to earn the Bachelor of Science degree. If the student completes additional courses at the transferring institution, credits may not apply to their GCU program.		
Remaining open elective credits needed to earn Bachelor of Science degree at Grand Canyon University varies based on program major requirements.		
Total Credit Hours Needed to Complete Bachelor of Science in Health Science in Professional Development and Advanced Patient Care at Grand Canyon University		120 Credits

For additional graduation requirements, please see the <https://www.gcu.edu/sites/default/files/media/Documents/Academic-Catalog/University-Policy-Handbook.pdf>. Students with transfer credit that applies to this program will shorten the time to completion from that stated on this transfer guide. Please contact your Counselor for more information. <https://www.gcu.edu/sites/default/files/media/Documents/Academic-Catalog/University-Policy-Handbook.pdf>

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