





Transfer Guide
Pueblo Community College Behavioral Health AAS Students
Transferring to: Colorado State University Pueblo
Effective starting 2022

This guide is intended for students who hold a two-year AAS, AGS, or AS degree with a major or concentration in an allied health field. Students may get upper division escrow credit for certifications or licenses in their allied health field.

I. General Education Courses

	Credit Hours	Pueblo Community College Course Number and Title or gtPathways Category	CSU Pueblo Course (credits)
Written Communication	3	ENG 121/1021: English Composition I (GT-CO1)	ENG 101, 3 credits
Mathematics	3	One gtPathways Math course (GT-MA1)	3 credits
Social & Behavioral Sciences	3	One gtPathways Social and Behavior Sciences course (GT-SS1, GT-SS2, or GT-SS3)	3 credits
Total credits	9		9

II. Required Courses

Credit Hours	PCC Course Number and Title	CSU Pueblo Course (credits)
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AAS, AGS, or AA degree required with at least 1 gtPathways course in each of the following areas: Written Communication, Mathematics, Arts & Humanities, Social and Behavioral Sciences, Natural & Physical Sciences with Lab. Students can complete the Arts & Humanities and Natural and Physical Sciences with Lab courses at CSU Pueblo. See the courses that will be completed at CSU Pueblo below.

Student may receive additional escrow credit up to 10 credits for any current allied health license and/or certificate the student holds and the preparation for the license. Transfer and escrow evaluation can be requested though CSU Pueblo Online.

64	TOTAL ASSOCIATE DEGREE CREDITS THAT CAN BE TRANSFERRED
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GUARANTEES & LIMITATIONS

1. Completion of Associate's Degree: This transfer guide identifies the courses a student needs to complete (with a C-or higher) to earn an AAS, AGS, or AS degree at a Colorado community/junior college in order to be able to finish the designated baccalaureate degree in no more than 60 credits. Per Colorado Commission on Higher Education (CCHE) Policy I, L, students who complete an AAS, AGS or AS degree at a Colorado community/junior college and who are admitted to a Colorado public baccalaureate institution are guaranteed the following: the full transfer and application of a minimum of 60 credits toward the baccalaureate degree requirements at the Colorado institution of higher education;

and junior standing. Course credit may be applied to major, elective or other requirements at the receiving institution's discretion. If more than 60 college-level credits are taken or the student gets lower than a C- in one or more courses at the community/junior college, then some loss of transfer credit may occur, and students may not be able to complete this baccalaureate degree in 120 credits.

2. Transfer Before Completing the Associate's Degree: If the student intends to transfer prior to completing an AAS, AGS or AS degree, this transfer guide should still be used to identify the courses that can most effectively prepare them for efficiently completing the designated major at the baccalaureate institution to which they are transferring. While not completing the required associate's degree eliminates the guarantees described here, gtPathways general education courses identified in Section I are guaranteed to transfer and apply to the receiving institution's gtPathways lower division general education requirements. Students are strongly encouraged to finish course sequences (such as English Comp I & II or Calculus I, II & III) before transferring.

For additional information on CCHE transfer policies and gtPathways guaranteed transfer of general education credit, visit https://cdhe.colorado.gov/guaranteed-transfer-gt-pathways-general-education-curriculum

To file a transfer-related complaint with the Colorado Department of Higher Education, visit https://cdhe.colorado.gov/students/how-do-i/filing-a-student-complaint

The chart shown below illustrates the remaining requirements to complete the BAS in Health Science and Administration after transferring to CSU Pueblo. 64 semester credits are the maximum amount of transfer credit allowed from two-year institutions. Therefore, the credits shown below *MUST* be completed at CSU Pueblo.

Additional Major Core Course Requirements in addition to AAS, AGS or AA degree					
Course Prefix (CSUP)	Course Name	Credits			
HS 320	Evaluation of Health Issues	3			
HS 325	Public Health Communication	3			
HS 330	Epidemiology and Disease Prevention	3			
HS 335	Public Health and the Environment	3			
HS 336	Community and Global Health	3			
HS 492	Research	2			
HS 494	Field Experience	4			
SOC 310 OR SOC 404	Social and Cultural Theory or Poverty	3			
Electives (may include Social Work courses to prepare for MSW*)	Courses to fulfill 120-hours (at least 6-16 UD)	15-25			
Escrow for license/certificate	License/certificate	Up to 10			
Natural Science with Lab	General Education Science	4			
Humanities	General Education Humanities (world language)	3			
Total Transfer Credit Applied Tow	64				
Total Additional Credit Required for	56				
Total BS Degree Requirements	120				

^{*}students who are interested in the Master of Social Work should take SW 201, SW 202, SW 230, SW 350

The AAS Behavioral Health Degree will result in 31 initial transfer hours and 33 petitioned transfer hours and potential 10 upper division hours for the CAC I and CAC II or 5 hours per piece. Students may alternatively receive 5 escrow hours for the Behavioral Health Technician certification. There is a maximum of 10 upper division escrow hours for license or certification. The resulting transfer, petition and escrow hours could be as high as 64 credits. Final credits awarded are pending individual transcript evaluation by CSU Pueblo Online advisor.