

**Affiliation – Articulation Agreement
between
Mount Aloysius College
And
Community College of Allegheny County**

Nuclear Medicine Technology

THIS AGREEMENT, is made and entered into as of the fourth day of October 2024 between Mount Aloysius College, hereinafter referred to as "COLLEGE" and the Community College of Allegheny County, hereinafter referred to as "CCAC".

WHEREAS, COLLEGE offers a three plus one program of study in nuclear medicine technology and grants the Bachelor of Science degree to individuals who complete said program.

WHEREAS, CCAC offers an accredited certification program in nuclear medicine technology.

WHEREAS, COLLEGE desires to affiliate with CCAC in making CCAC's program in nuclear medicine technology available for utilization by participants in the COLLEGE's nuclear medicine technology program.

NOW THEREFORE, intending to be legally bound, the parties hereto agree as follows:

I. DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE COLLEGE

- a. The COLLEGE will provide the educational prerequisites for admission to the accredited nuclear medicine technology program as established by the Joint Review Committee on Educational Programs in Nuclear Medicine Technology, (JRCNMT).
- b. The students will have successfully completed the educational prerequisites, a minimum of 107 semester hours prior to admission to CCAC's certificate program in nuclear medicine technology.
- c. The COLLEGE will confer a Bachelor of Science degree in Medical Imaging/Nuclear Medicine Technology on all qualified candidates who satisfactorily complete all of the degree requirements of the COLLEGE and who satisfactorily complete all certificate requirements of CCAC. The conferring of the degree will not be contingent upon a candidate having passed a nuclear medicine technology certification examination.
- d. The COLLEGE will grant academic credit for the successful completion of CCAC's Nuclear Medicine Technology certificate program. The amount of credit awarded will be 42 semester hours.

- e. The Department Chairperson for Radiation Sciences will function as the coordinator of the nuclear medicine technology program at the COLLEGE and perform the following duties.
 - 1. Assist students in planning a course of study
 - 2. Provide liaison with the CCAC program
 - 3. Communicate at least once annually and as needed with the Program Director at CCAC to review the affiliation agreement, curriculum, admission criteria, financial arrangements and other matters pertaining to the affiliation.

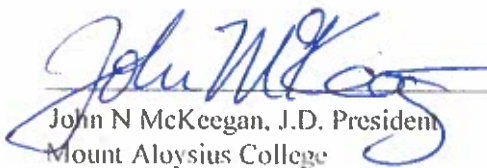
II. DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF CCAC

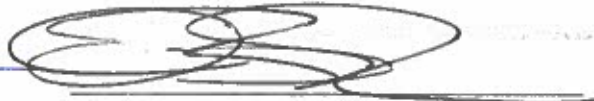
- a. CCAC will provide a nuclear medicine technology program which meets or exceeds the standards set by the JRCNMT. CCAC will inform the COLLEGE with a letter confirming the JRCNMT accreditation status and period to be covered when appropriate.
- b. There is no guarantee for a number of students admitted to the CCAC program from the COLLEGE. Preference, however, will be given to qualified students from affiliated colleges and universities.
- c. CCAC will admit students on the basis of transcript evaluation and application data. CCAC does not discriminate based upon race, color, religion, national origin, ancestry or place of birth, sex, gender identity or expression, sexual orientation, disability, use of a guide or support animal due to disability, marital status, familial status, genetic information, veteran status or age. Criteria for admission into CCAC's program will be published by CCAC.
- d. Students who are admitted to the certificate program will be informed by CCAC of applicable rules and regulations regarding their conduct and participation in the program. They will also be informed of consequences associated with failure to comply with rules and regulations and meet educational standards.
- e. CCAC will evaluate the students during the certificate program and present a certificate to students successfully completing the CCAC program. The CCAC Registrar will submit final grades to the COLLEGE within two weeks following the completion of each semester. All grade reports should be directed to the attention of the College Allied Health Coordinator.

III. MUTUAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- a. *Term of Agreement.* This Agreement shall be effective when executed by both parties for a period of one year and will be automatically renewed annually unless otherwise indicated by one of the parties.
- b. *Termination of Agreement.* The COLLEGE or CCAC may terminate this Agreement for any reason with ninety (90) days notice. Either party may terminate this Agreement in the event of a substantial breach. However, should CCAC terminate this Agreement prior to the completion of an academic semester, all students enrolled at that time may continue their educational experience until it would have been concluded absent the termination.
- c. *Nondiscrimination.* The parties agree to continue their respective policies of nondiscrimination based on Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 in regard to sex, age, race, color, creed, national origin, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 and other applicable laws, as well as the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act.
- d. *Interpretation of the Agreement.* The laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania shall govern this Agreement.
- e. *Modification of Agreement.* This Agreement shall only be modified in writing with the same formality as the original Agreement.
- f. *Entire Agreement.* This Agreement represents the entire understanding between the parties. No other prior or contemporaneous oral or written understandings or promises exist in regards to this relationship.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the authorized representatives of the parties have executed this Agreement as of the date previously indicated.


John N McKeegan, J.D. President
Mount Aloysius College


Dr. Quintin B Bullock, DDS, President
Community College of Allegheny County

Date

10/4/2024
Date