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Health Care Assistant Patient Support Worker

To address staffing needs in long term care and assisted living services, the Government of B.C. has introduced the Health Career Access Program (HCAP), through which applicants may be hired in a health care support worker role.

The third intake will be just one cohort of 30 students and is expected to run as of January 5, 2022.

Questions about the program can be directed to admissions@okanagan.bc.ca.

Staff Updates

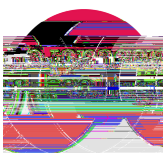
Jackie Smith, SOC, Rm 101, Revelstoke, BC, Canada, New Westminster, BC, Canada, WSV

Laureen's personal experiences and passion for education were driving forces behind her decision to apply to work at OC.



Laureen plans to focus on establishing relationships within the Salmon Arm and Revelstoke community while raising awareness of OC's programs.

Laureen would like to thank the staff she has already met, both in person and virtually, who have welcomed her with open arms.



2021-22 Tuition Fees

The tuition and fees for 2021-22 are now available on the web at www.okanagan.bc.ca/tuition and have been updated on the program pages. Please email Inga Wheeler at iwheeler@okanagan.bc.ca if anything does not look as it should.

OC Transfer Credit Search and BC Transfer Guide News

The Registrar's Office has launched a Transfer Credit Search tool which can be found at www.okanagan.bc.ca/transfercredit

This public-facing web service pulls and displays all transfer credit articulation agreements from the BC Transfer Guide system which mirrors what the Guide will show for OC's incoming articulations.

This new transfer tool allows prospective students, as well as advisors, chairs and faculty, to search for transfer equivalencies without having to leave the College's website. Admitted students can then apply for transfer credit towards studies at Okanagan College.

The BC Council on Admissions & Transfer (BCCAT) announced this week that the BC Transfer Guide now includes transfer equivalencies that OC, and other post-secondary institutions, have with post-secondary institutions (PSIs) across the world, in addition to transfer agreements among BC Transfer System members. As a result, students from across Canada and the globe can search the BC Transfer Guide to identify transfer credit they will receive from the onboarded BC PSIs for learning obtained outside of BC.

This BC Transfer Guide expansion will reduce barriers and promote pathways to access quality, post-secondary education in British Columbia.

Okanagan College is one of seven institutions that have already added their pan-Canadian and international course-to-course transfer agreements to the BC Transfer Guide. The new OC Transfer Credit Search tool takes full advantage of this by showing articulations from within Canada and around the world.

Check out the BC Transfer Guide Expansion Project Update for further details.

Orientation Plans for Fall 2021

