

## FCC Curriculum Pathway

The Curriculum Pathway provides full-time students with a suggested guide for completing an Associate degree in two years (four semesters). Students who choose to take less than 15 credits per semester or who require Developmental English and/or Math will need additional semesters to complete their degrees. Taking classes in the Summer and/or January terms allow students to catch up and stay on target. **It is recommended all students meet with an Advisor each semester to carefully select and sequence courses based on their specific interests and needs.** Using the Curriculum Pathway along with the PeopleSoft Degree Plan allows students to track their progress towards graduation.

**Major: Medical Assistant AAS Fall Cohort \* (day)**

**Catalog Year: 2016-2017**

Course Number	Course	Credit	Complete
<b>First Year – First Semester (fall)</b>			
EN 101	English Composition	3	
MDA 109	Medical Terminology	3	
MDA 110	Pharmacology for Medical Office Practice	3	
CIS 101	Information Systems and Technology	3	
MDA 112 or MDA 115	Medical/Administrative Office Applications or Phlebotomy Skills	3	
	Minimum Semester Total Credits:	<b>15</b>	
<b>First Year – Second Semester (spring)</b>			
MDA 222	Introduction to Federal healthcare Programs and Laws	3	
XXXX	Gen Ed Science	3	
XXXX	Gen Ed Arts and Humanities	3	
XXXX	Gen Ed Wellness	3	
XXXX	Gen Ed Social Science	3	
	Minimum Semester Total Credits:	<b>15</b>	
<b>Second Year – First Semester (fall)</b>			
MAXX	Gen Ed Math	3/4	
MDA 101	Foundations of Medical Assisting I *	3	
MDA 102	Foundations of Medical Assisting II *	3	
MDA 220	Electronic Health Records	3	
BU 273	Business Communications	3	
	Minimum Semester Total Credits:	<b>15/16</b>	
<b>Jan Term</b>			
<b>MDA 104</b>	<b>Medical Assisting Clinical I *</b>	<b>1</b>	
<b>Second Year – Second Semester (spring)</b>			
MDA 201	Medical Assisting Laboratory Procedures *	3	
MDA 202	Medical Assisting Clinical Skills *	3	
MDA 204	Medical Assisting Clinical II *	2	
MDA 216	Medical Coding Basics	3	
MDA 218	Insurance Billing and Reimbursement	3	
	Minimum Semester Total Credits:	<b>14</b>	
<b>Total Credits:</b>		<b>60</b>	

Students must complete their credit English and Mathematics within the first 24 credits.

General Education Electives can be taken in the semester that works best for the student's schedule.

Students are strongly recommended to consult an FCC advisor and to use ARTSYS, the Maryland Articulation System, <http://artsys.usmd.edu/> to select elective courses needed for transfer based on their intended major at their four-year college/university.

Developmental courses must be completed prior to enrolling into college-level courses in the major. See an advisor for further information, if needed.

\_\_\_\_\_ Reading: EN51; EN52  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Writing: EN50; EN61  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Math: MA80, MA81, MA82 or MA85  
 \_\_\_\_\_ English as a Second Language: ESL 95, 98, 99