# Florida Department of Education

# Statewide Articulation Agreement

Industry Certification to AAS/AS Degree Program

| AAS/AS Degree Name:     | Medical Laboratory Technology  |             |     |             |  |
|-------------------------|--|-------------|-----|-------------|--|
| CIP Number(s):          | AAS:   | 0351100405* | AS: | 1351100405* |  |
| Industry Certification: | Registered Phlebotomy Technician (RPT) Code: AMEDT005  |             |     | AMEDT005    |  |
| College Credit:         | This Gold Standard Career Pathways Statewide Articulation Agreement guarantees the minimum award of course credits or a block of credit toward the above AAS/AS program is <u>3</u> hours of credit. |             |     |             |  |
|                         | This agreement does not preclude the awarding of additional credits by any college through local agreements.   |             |     |             |  |

#### Validation Mechanism:

To be eligible for articulation, the student must show evidence of their current <u>Registered Phlebotomy</u> <u>Technician (RPT)</u> certification and it must have been issued within three (3) years prior to their enrollment in the program.

## Rationale/Justification:

The <u>Registered Phlebotomy Technician (RPT)</u> certification represents industry acknowledgement of technical skill attainment of competencies in the <u>Medical Laboratory Technology</u> program.

## Applicability:

Florida College System institution administrators, program deans and faculty were consulted and agreed that the "<u>Registered Phlebotomy Technician (RPT)</u>" certification shall articulate <u>three (3)</u> college credit hours the AAS/AS Degree in <u>Medical Laboratory Technology</u>.

| Date Presented to ACC | ACC Recommendation | Date Submitted to SBE | SBE Status |
|-----------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|------------|
| December 8, 2011      | Approved           | January 24, 2012      | Approved   |

\* Certified programs may not have an AS/AAS degree available.