Reverse Transfer Agreements

The purpose of reverse transfer agreements is to encourage students who transferred to U-M from a community college without receiving an associate’s degree or certificate to use U-M coursework to complete the requirements for a community college credential. These transfer students can apply their U-M coursework to complete your community college degree.

The Office of the Registrar contacts students who transferred from participating community colleges in February and October to invite the U-M transfer students to complete a reverse transfer transcript release form. The form authorizes the release of the student's academic transcript to the previously attended community college. The community college evaluates the student's U-M coursework to determine if it satisfies the remaining credential requirements. If so, the community college credential (degree, certificate, etc.) is awarded. There are no negative consequences.

The University of Michigan has a formal reverse transfer agreement with the following community colleges.

- Delta College
- Grand Rapids Community College
- Henry Ford College
- Jackson College
- Kalamazoo Valley Community College
- Lake Michigan College
- Macomb Community College
- Northwestern Michigan College
- Schoolcraft College
- Washtenaw Community College

Students can contact the Office of the Registrar (ro.records.staff@umich.edu, 734-763-6280) or Associate Registrar Brad Maki (bmaki@umich.edu, 734-763-4294) with any questions.