The University of Saint Francis and the Manchester University Articulation Agreement For the Manchester University Master of Science in Pharmacogenomics

This Agreement by and between Manchester University and the University of Saint Francis, Fort Wayne, IN (referred to here as "the Parties") memorializes the intent and commitment of the parties to jointly address the academic needs of students interested in pursuing a career in pharmacogenomics.

Manchester University will reserve four (4) seats in each annual cohort of students entering its oncampus Master of Science in Pharmacogenomics Program for qualified students of the University of Saint Francis. Qualified students must complete the application process for admission to Manchester University's Master of Science in Pharmacogenomics Program according to the established deadlines.

University of Saint Francis will advise its students of this opportunity, the minimum requirements for consideration, and the procedures and time frames for application and acceptance into Manchester University's Master of Science in Pharmacogenomics Program and articulation agreement.

It is mutually understood that:

- 1. To be considered for admission to Manchester University's Master of Science in Pharmacogenomics Program under the terms of this memorandum of understanding, qualified applicants will:
 - a. have completed or be in the process of completing
 - i. A bachelor's degree (chemistry, biology, medical technician, etc.); or a professional degree (physician assistant, etc.); or a master of arts/science degree in an appropriate field of study
 - ii. Have a 3.0 minimum cumulative GPA;
 - iii. Have a 2.7 minimum GPA in science courses;
 - iv. Complete the Manchester University Master of Science in Pharmacogenomics program application (PharmGRAD).
- 2. Qualified applicants from the University of Saint Francis will be ranked according to their application.
- 3. Offer of admission letter from the Master of Science in Pharmacogenomics Program will be sent by Manchester to eligible applicants within one to two weeks of receiving a verified PharmGRAD application.
- 4. If no qualified University of Saint Francis applicants apply by February 15th of each annual admissions cycle, the reserved four seats will be opened to be filled from our qualified applicant pool.
- 5. Applicants wishing to accept a position in the program must verify their acceptance of the offer by April 15th.

Cooperation Term

The term of this Agreement is three years. It will take effect from the date of signature by the representatives from both Parties. It may be altered, modified or extended only by mutual consent and written amendment signed by both Parties up to three months before the expiration. Either Party may terminate the agreement in advance of its normal expiration date by giving the other Party a sixty-day

prior written notice. The Parties agree to work together amicably to resolve any disputes or disagreements that may arise during the Parties' performance of this agreement.

The Parties hereto have executed this Agreement this <u>15</u> day of <u>April</u> 20<u>21</u>.

Other untouched issues, if there are any, should be addressed by both parties through consultation.

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