CDEV 325: ETHICS AND ADMINISTRATION 2

Credit Hours: #3

Scheduled hours per week

Lecture: 3 Lab: 0

Field Experience: 10 hours of field experience total for the semester

Catalog Course Description:

Background and ethics issues related to administering early childhood programs. Emphasizes managing operations and budget, meeting state regulations, and licensing requirements and building programs.

Prerequisites: Admission to the CDEV BAS Program

Corequisites: 10 hours of field experience must be completed to successfully complete the course.

Course Learning Outcomes

- 1. Identify standards related to administrating a childcare center. (NAEYC Standards 6b, 6c) (WV Standards 7.1, 7.2, 7.5)
- 2. Demonstrate procedures to set up an early childhood program. (NAEYC Standards 1d, 6c) (WV Standards 7.3, 7.5, 7.6)
- 3. Identify ways staffing requirements effect early childhood programs. (NAEYC Standards 6a, 6b) (WV Standards 7.1)
- 4. Examine the role of the administrator as a mentor. (NAEYC Standards 6c, 6d,6e) (WV Standards 6.5e)
- 5. Apply appropriate ethical practices in administering an early childhood program. (NAEYC Standards 6.a, 6.b, 6.e) (WV Standards 6.1)
- 6. Plan a physical environment that is appropriate for an identified age group. (NAEYC Standards 1d, 4c) (WV Standards 4.1-4.6)

CLO Assessment Methods: Written assignments, scenarios, journals, interviews, quizzes, reflective assignments, and projects.

Topics to be studied:

- Licensing laws and procedures for early childhood programs, both state and national levels
- Human resources management and aspects of managing personnel
- Setting up centers to meet needs of diverse children
- Ethical issues in early childhood programs
- Community Relationships and Events
- Designing physical space
- Developing and designing new programs

Relationship of course to program or Discipline Learning Outcomes:

BAS 1 Early childhood educators will make recommendations based on a child's unique development. (NAEYC 1)

BAS 2 Early childhood educators will develop a plan for building partnerships with families and the community. (NAEYC 2)

BAS 3 Early childhood educators will create effective assessment plan for young children. BAS 4 Early childhood educators will develop effective lesson plans for young children using a variety of appropriate teaching strategies to meet the needs of diverse children. (NAEYC 4) BAS 5 Early childhood educators will create a plan to guide young children through developmentally appropriate curriculum. (NAEYC 5)

BAS 6 Early childhood educators will explain methods for showing professional commitment to children, families, co-workers, administrators, and their community. (NAEYC 6)

Check if approved as: ☐ Foundational Learning Course ☐ Reinforcement Learning Course

Special projects or requirements of the course:

Director's Tools Kit Portfolio

Additional information: NA

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