



Course Name: Practicum in Children and Youth Mental Health

Course Number: HSE* E285

Credits: 3

Catalog description:

Practicum and field placement under the guidance and supervision of selected children and youth mental health, education, and youth service agencies in the region. The practicum is a process of experiential learning which integrates the knowledge, skills and attitudes concurrently being taught in the classroom.

Open only to students enrolled in the Children and Youth Mental Health Certificate program with permission of the instructor.

Prerequisite, Corequisite, or Parallel: Permission of the Instructor

General Education Competencies Satisfied:

HCC General Education Requirement Designated Competency Attribute Code(s):

None

Additional CSCU General Education Requirements for CSCU Transfer Degree Programs:

None

Embedded Competency(ies):

None

Discipline-Specific Attribute Code(s):

None

Course objectives:

General Education Goals and Outcomes:

None



Course Specific Objectives:

- Demonstrate the ability to integrate theory and practice through direct clinical experience in a facility treating the mental health needs of children and youth.
2. Demonstrate knowledge and intervention skills in assessment of emotional disorders in birth to three, preschool, latency, and adolescence
3. Demonstrate an understanding of effective service delivery models, systems and managed care issues in services for children and youth with emotional disorders
4. Integrate knowledge of the history, political, cultural aspects of theory and practice regarding mental health and emotional disorders of children and youth
5. Demonstrate an understanding of the key theorists and their contributions to the study and practice of children and youth mental health interventions, including how theory and research is applied in this area.
6. Demonstrate the ability to reflect and comment upon ethical issues associated with emotional disorders in children and youth,
7. Develop an understanding of developmental issues related to diversity in within and cross cultures in the arena of children and youth emotional disorders;
8. Demonstrate an understanding of how the application of theory apply and manifest in real-world home, school, and community settings.

Course Content:

This is a supervised field experience under the direction of College faculty and agency, clinical supervisors.

Date Course Created:



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