



Confirmation of Child Life Practicum In-progress

IMPORTANT NOTES for STUDENTS:

- This form is for internship application purposes only.
- Please check with each clinical internship site to verify whether this form is accepted.
 - This form may NOT be used to establish eligibility for the certification exam.

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Child Life Council Standards (please see <https://childlife.org/StudentsInternsEducators/PracticumStudents.cfm> for more detailed description)

- Standard #1: The child life practicum is largely an observational experience
- Standard #2: The child life practicum student will be supervised by a Certified Child Life Specialist (CCLS) who has achieved a minimum of 2,000 hours of paid work experience.
- Standard #3: The child life practicum encompasses a minimum of 100 supervised hours. The child life practicum may include a combination of practicum hours being completed in no more than two practicum experience
- Standard #4: Child life practicum hours should be completed in an appropriate setting: hospitals/medical centers; therapeutic, medical or health related camp settings; hospice, grief, or support centers; and/or rehabilitation settings.
- Standard #5: The child life practicum includes observation opportunities for students to explore: child life assessments, developmental theory integration, therapeutic play interventions, and rapport building.
- Standard #6: The child life practicum learning experiences includes activities and assignments such as; journaling; educational in-services and discussions; and specific and structured readings.

Student is currently in good standing in this practicum and anticipated to complete their hours.

Yes No

Total practicum hours earned (current) : _____

Total practicum hours anticipated (final) : _____

Date practicum is to be completed _____

Student Name _____

CCLS Instructor Name _____

Certification # _____

CCLS Instructor Signature _____ Date _____