

PDAC Family Child Care Credential Committee Telenet Minutes February 8, 2018 1:00 PM – 2:00 PM

Attendees:

Diana Rosenbrock* Julie Lindstrom Miranda Lin Sue Jackson
Faith Arnold Malia Owens Patricia Twymon Tami O'Daniel
Joni Scritchlow Melissa Johnson Sandra Cole*

*denotes co-chair

Welcome

Diana Rosenbrock welcomed attendees to the meeting.

Approval of November 9, 2017 Minutes

- Motion to approve made by Faith Arnold.
- Motion seconded by Miranda Lin.
- Motion passed and minutes approved.

Overview of Family Child Care Credentials Awarded

- Inclusive of pilot applicants, 320 FCC Credentials have been awarded.
 - o 189 Level 2
 - o 54 Level 3
 - o 58 Level 4
 - o 19 Level 5

Renewal Recommendation Update (Attachment A)

- The following recommendation for the renewal of the Family Child Care Credential was presented to the Qualifications and Credentials (QC) Committee on February 6, 2018. The recommendation was not approved.
 - Family Child Care Credential Levels 3 5:
 - Renewal of the Gateways to Opportunity specialization Family Child Care (FCC) Credential requires renewal of the foundational ECE or SAYD Credential, which requires 45 clock hours of training (or 3 semester hours of coursework) in ECE and/or School-Age. To renew the FCC Credential, it is recommended that 15 of those 45 clock hours be specific to family child care.
 - A combination of both college coursework and training hours may be utilized and completed within the last five years.
 - Current Registry Membership
 - o Family Child Care Credential Level 2:
 - In alignment to the renewal of the FCC Credential Levels 3 5, the FCC Credential Level 2 requires 45 clock hours of training (or 3 semester hours of coursework) in ECE and/or School-Age with 15 of those 45 clock hours specific to family child care.
 - A combination of both college coursework and training hours may be utilized and completed within the last five years.
 - Current Registry Membership

- The QC Committee discussed the need for consistency across the renewal requirements for all Gateways Credentials.
 - The QC Committee will be putting together a recommendation for renewal requirement guidelines. Points that will be discussed further at the next QC meeting included:
 - Goal to be consistent across all Credentials.
 - Credential renewal is every five years.
 - Credential renewal requires a minimum of 45 clock hours of professional development.
 - For example: If an individual has more than one Credential to be renewed, the QC Committee will decide a minimum threshold of clock hours of professional development specific to each Credential being renewed. Therefore, if an individual is renewing more than three Credentials, the minimum clock hours may exceed 45 hours of professional development.
- The Family Child Care Committee was in agreement with the findings from the QC Committee.

Entitled Route Pilot Schools Move to Competencies (Attachment B)

- Committee was asked to review the Entitled Route Application for Harper College.
 - Harper was a pilot institution for the FCC Credential and has submitted an application to align with the Competencies.
 - All sections of the application were reviewed for completion.
 - All competencies for Levels 2-4 have been met.
 - Assessment and types have been listed.
 - Courses on the program layout match the courses on the Competency Alignment Table (CAT).
 - Sufficient clinical hours are required.
 - Syllabi for all classes on CAT are provided.
 - Application for Harper College was approved.

Family Child Care Credential Committee sun-setting/next steps

- The Family Child Care Credential Ad-hoc Committee work is concluding, but committee members will still be a part of the overall Professional Development Advisory Council.
 - Members have the option of joining another committee. Some options are: Qualifications and Credentials, Workforce Development and Pathways, Financial Supports, and Information, Analysis, and Trends.
 - Thank you to all that have served on this Committee. Julie Lindstrom will be emailing more information to FCC Credential Committee members in the next four to five months.
 - Gateways Credentials are reviewed every five years. There will be a small group formed in early 2021 to review the requirements for the FCC Credential. Anyone interested in being contacted to help with this should contact Tami O'Daniel.

Announcements

 Sandra Cole has been named a recipient of the Teri Lynn Lokhoff National Child Care Teacher Award.

FY 18 Quarterly Telenets:

• 4th Quarter Thursday, June 14th, 2018 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM

Adjourn



