

Core Comp, KCF & CDA Content Area Alignment

Core Comp	Knowledge & Competency Framework-All Versions	CDA Content Area
1. Child Growth & Development	Content Area 1: Child Development and Learning	Content Area 8: Principles of Child Development and Learning
2a. Creating the Learning Environment	Content Area 2a: Creating Positive Learning Experiences (General)	Content Area 2: Steps to advance children's physical and intellectual development
2d. Cognitive Development	Content Area 2b: Promoting Cognitive Development	Content Area 2: Steps to advance children's physical and intellectual development
2c. Language & Literacy	Content Area 2b: Promoting Cognitive Development	Content Area 2: Steps to advance children's physical and intellectual development
2e. Personal & Social Development	Content Area 2c: Promoting Social and Emotional Development	Content Area 3: Positive ways to support children' social and emotional development
4. Interactions with Children	Content Area 2c: Promoting Social and Emotional Development	Content Area 3: Positive ways to support children' social and emotional development
2b. Physical Development	Content Area 2d: Promoting Physical Development	Content Area 2: Steps to advance children's physical and intellectual development
2f. Creativity & the Arts	Content Area 2e: Promoting Creative Development	Content Area 2: Steps to advance children's physical and intellectual development
5. Families & Communities	Content Area 3: Relationships with Families	Content Area 4: Strategies to establish productive relationships with families
3. Assessment & Planning for Individual Needs	Content Area 4a: Observing, Recording and Assessing Development	Content Area 7: Observing and recording children's behavior
	Content Area 4b: Assessing and Using Information to Plan	
n/a	Content Area 5: Historical and Contemporary Development of Early Childhood Education	Content Area 6: Maintaining a commitment to professionalism
7. Program Planning & Evaluation	Content Area 4c: Assessing and Using Information to Enhance and Maintain Program Quality	Content Area 5: Strategies to manage effective program operation
8. Professional Development & Leadership	Content Area 6: Professionalism	Content Area 6: Maintaining a commitment to professionalism
6. Health, Safety & Nutrition	Content Area 7a: Establishing Healthy Practices	Content Area 1: Planning a safe, healthy learning environment
	Content Area 7b: Ensuring Safety	
	Content Area 7c: Providing Healthy Nutrition	
n/a	Content Area 8: Application through Clinical Experiences	n/a