

Petition for Clinical Practice Credit While Teaching on Contract

DATE SUBMITTED _____

Please Print

Name _____
Last First Middle Maiden/Former

Address _____

Social Security Number _____ Birth date _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Work Phone _____ Email _____

You may only do one clinical practice under contract for one clinical practice experience; however, according to state standards, you must have two different teaching experiences. You will need to propose a plan for completion of both experiences for this petition to be considered. If your petition is approved, you must meet with the program coordinator to finalize your plan. All plan approvals are subject to the availability of appropriate placements and adequate supervision.

1. Currently Enrolled in Multiple Subject Single Subject Special Education Middle Level
For Multiple Subject ONLY, indicate cohort: _____

BCLAD: Spanish Emphasis, if applicable

2. Clinical Practice on Contract to begin: Spring _____ year (Application due **Nov. 1**)
 Fall _____ year (Application due **May 1**)

3. Clinical Practice on Contract will be complete for: Clinical Practice I
 Clinical Practice II

4. Before you submit this petition, please make sure you have met the eligibility requirements detailed on the back of this sheet and attached all the required documents. Check the following:

- Credential permit or receipt verification is attached
- Copy of contract from school district is attached
- School/district support plan is attached
- Plan for completion of both clinical practice experiences attached and signed by program coordinator
- Retained copy for your files of everything submitted
- Signed back of this petition

Do not write in spaces below on this page.

Signature below indicates approval of agreement

Date _____

Associate Dean

Program Coordinator

BCLAD Coordinator (if applicable)

APPROVED

DENIED

Comments

TO BE COMPLETED BY STUDENT SERVICES CENTER

Requirements for Clinical Practice on Contract

A check in the box indicates compliance or completion of the requirement.

The applicant has:

- BCLAD Emphasis Program: A minimum score of Advanced in both the written and oral sections of the Spanish language assessment and approval of the BCLAD faculty prior to clinical practice on contract. In order to be recommended for a credential with a BCLAD Emphasis, the student must receive a score of Advanced in both the written and oral sections of the Spanish language assessment.
- The GPA requirement for clinical practice on contract is higher than the requirement to be recommended for a credential. The minimum acceptable grade in all coursework in the professional education sequence is B or better. A 3.5 (B+) average in all professional education sequence coursework completed to date must be maintained.
- Passed appropriate CSET examination or Single Subject ONLY: verification that the subject matter waiver program has been completed and is on file with the Student Services Center.
- Passed CBEST examination.
- U.S. Constitution requirement completed.
- BA degree conferred: _____
- EL training requirement satisfied (EDUC 364 or EDMS 555 or EDSS 555 or EDMI 555).
- Qualified for Credential Permit. Permit applied for through the _____
_____ school district on _____ (date). Verification is attached.
- Attached a copy of contract or intent to hire from _____
school district attached.
The assignment must be in the same classroom of students for the 10 week period to be considered as clinical practice. For clinical practice under contract to meet credentialing requirements, the candidate must have two different grade level clinical practice experiences in compliance with state standards.
- Attached a letter detailing the support plan from the _____ school district is attached.
The plan must include the appointment of a person at the school site to perform the role equivalent to that of a cooperating teacher. This person will collaborate with the university supervisor in evaluating the candidate's teaching performance and recommending a grade for clinical practice. The cooperating teacher will directly supervise/consult with the teacher candidate a minimum of 4 hours per week.

- Attached plan for completing both clinical practice experiences. The plan must include a proposal for when and where the second clinical practice will take place. The plan will be finalized and approved at a meeting with the program coordinator.

In order to receive credit for Clinical Practice I while under contract proof of four successful classroom observations along with the Clinical Practice I Evaluation and TPEs from the University Supervisor must be submitted to the Director of Clinical Practice.

In order to receive credit for Clinical Practice II while under contract proof of four successful classroom observations along with the Clinical Practice II Evaluation and successful completion of the TPEs from the University Supervisor must be submitted to the Director of Clinical Practice.

For Teacher Candidate Signature

I agree to complete the requirements outlined in this application. My signature indicates my agreement and understanding of the procedures and criteria for earning clinical practice credit while under contract.

Signature of Teacher Candidate

cc: Candidate
Applicant File
Director of Clinical Practice