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CHANGES TO THE NC FAMILY CHILD CARE CREDENTIAL (NCFCCC) EDU 114 ADDED AS A COURSE TO EARN THE CREDENTIAL CERTIFICATE

Completion of EDU 114 at one of the 58 NC Community Colleges can now be used to qualify individuals for the NC Family Child Care Credential certificate. Please see below for a description of the course:

★ EDU 114 – Intro to Family Childcare

This course introduces the student to family child care home environments with emphasis on standards and developmentally effective approaches for supporting diverse children and families. Topics include standards for quality, curriculum for multiple age groups, authentic assessment methods, business practices, building positive family and community partnerships, and professionalism. Upon completion, students should be able to design a family child care handbook that reflects a healthy, respectful, supportive, and stimulating learning environment.

In order for someone to earn the NCFCCC certificate, they must have completed one of the following:

- ★ EDU 111 and EDU 113 OR
- ★ EDU 119 and EDU 113 OR
- ★ EDU 114

EDU 114 must have been completed after August, 2009 at a NC Community College with a grade of C or better to qualify for the NCFCCC certificate.

No other course has to be completed and combined with EDU 114 to earn the NCFCCC certificate.