



Child Life 101

Have you ever heard of a Certified Child Life Specialist (CCLS) or the field of child life? Would you be interested in learning more about the child life profession? Are you currently a student wondering if your degree program will allow you to become a child life specialist? If you answered yes to any of these questions, then this learning opportunity is for you!

Child life 101 is a half-day educational session designed by The Children's Hospital at OU Medical Center's Child Life Department to provide current students and prospective practicum and intern students a realistic view of the child life role in a hospital setting and in this region.

Scheduled Events*

This is approximate

7:30-7:45 a.m.	Registration/Breakfast
7:45-8:00 a.m.	Welcome and Child Life Foundation
8:00- 8:30 a.m.	Academics
8:30-9:15 a.m.	Play and Therapeutic Interventions
9:15-9:30 a.m.	Break
9:30-10:15 a.m.	Medical Play and Preparation
10:15-10:30 a.m.	Volunteer Services: The Children's Hospital at OU Medical Center
10:30-11:15 a.m.	Non-pharmacological Pain Management and Procedural Support
11:15-noon	Grief and Bereavement
Noon to 1 p.m.	Lunch and Panel

*Subject to change (**Breakfast, lunch, and drinks will be provided for Child Life101 and Child Life 201 if in person)

Requirements

To participate, all attendants must be at least a high school senior.

All participants must have completed the registration packet below, sent in contents and received confirmation of acceptance from our staff to attend Child Life 101.

Cost: FREE

Child Life 201
Date TBD
1 to 3 p.m. (approximately)

This will be a half-day event where you will go to four different “round tables” that include information on internships, practicums, resume/cover letters and interviews. Participants will be divided into small groups for more one-on-one interaction and an opportunity to get all questions answered.

Requirements

In order to apply for Child Life 201, you must be within two semesters of applying for a Child Life practicum or internship and have already attended Child Life 101 or taken a Child Life course taught by a Certified Child Life Specialist.

Please email us your cover letter and resume before the event as well as bringing it to the event.

Registration

Registration includes completed application to:

Child Life Program
Attn: Kristen Holmes
The Children’s Hospital at OU Medical Center
1200 Everett Drive
Mailbox #71
Oklahoma City, OK 73104

Or emailed to Kristen.davis@oumedicine.com

Confirmation of accepted registration packet will be emailed to you. More details regarding the event, including directions and parking information will be provided within one week prior to Child Life 101. Space is limited.

This session will be hosted at The Children’s Hospital at OU Medical Center in Oklahoma City. For questions regarding this educational session, please contact:

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