

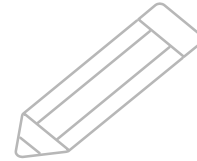
Infant Toddler Certificate

Undergraduate Early Childhood Studies Certificate
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Infant Toddler Certificate Overview (21 credits)



- ▶ ED 280 Infant & Toddler Development (3cr)
- ▶ ED 383 Infant Mental Health (3cr)
- ▶ ED 385 Infant Toddler Observation & Assessment (3cr)
- ▶ ED 419 Poverty, Young Children and their Families (3cr)
- ▶ ED 464 Family & Community Involvement in EC (3cr)
- ▶ ED 470 Home Visiting in Early Childhood (3cr)
- ▶ ED 472 Trauma Informed Practices in EC (3cr)

Rationale

- ▶ Documented statewide need of highly qualified infant toddler educators
- ▶ Influx of statewide funds (\$26.6m) to support the expansion of prenatal-5yr. programs & the training of providers
- ▶ Provides specialized training that will support early educators
- ▶ No other Infant Toddler Certificate at the undergraduate level in OR



Implementation



- ▶ No additional faculty FTE or resources are needed
- ▶ Advising information will be shared with students, prospective students (working with community partners), other programs, and students in other majors