



Early Childhood Education:

Child Care Health Advocate

Online & On-campus

Spring 2010



Health Advocates are early childhood practitioners (directors, lead teachers, family child care providers) who see to it that their program integrates best practices in health, safety and nutrition. Northampton Community College offers a credit course intended to prepare the child care practitioner to function in the role of a child care health advocate (CCHA).

Course Information

Child Care Practitioners are prepared to function in the role of a Child Care Health Advocate (CCHA). Participants will learn to assess, identify, and prioritize health and safety needs of children and staff, and to collaborate with a registered nurse child care health consultant. The course provides 15 health and safety modules and involves participants in learning experiences that can be used at their facility. The course is open to all early childhood staff including directors, teachers, and assistant teachers who will be identified at their site as the CCHA. EARL 160 serves as an elective in the Early Childhood Associate Degree.

- Format:** Online or on campus at the Fowler Family Southside Center
- Course Code:** EARL160
- Dates:** January 19 - May 10, 2010
- Time:** 6-9PM

Interested participants can call 610-332-6585 or email che@northampton.edu for more information.

Tuition and Fees

Early Childhood Education: Child Care Health Advocate is a three credit course.

Northampton County	\$318
Out of County Residents	\$390
<i>(additional resource fee of \$30)</i>	

Current students may enroll for this course through spartan net. New students must complete an application to the college prior to registering. Applications may be obtained at the Student Enrollment Center. Please reference course code EARL160 when registering.

Contact Information

For questions, comments , please call 610-332-6585 or email che@northampton.edu.

