

MERCER COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE  
DIVISION OF SCIENCE AND ALLIED HEALTH  
DEPARTMENT OF NURSING  
DAY STUDENT SPRING 2007  
NURSING 202: DAY CARE CENTER OBSERVATION

OBJECTIVES:

1. Review of normal growth and development
2. Utilize effective and age appropriate communication to teach a common health care issue appropriate to the preschool child

NAME: Lakeview Child Center

4 Hamilton Health Place, Hamilton, NJ 08690

LOCATION: When facing Robert Wood Johnson at Hamilton go into main entrance of hospital driveway, bear right. Child Center is off to right in building #4

PHONE: 609-890-1442

DAY CARE ADMINISTRATOR: Patti Jo Shaffer

TIME: arrive at 8:00 AM

preconference with instructor to review the plan for presentation and troubleshoot problems

teaching plan presentation: 8:30 AM to 8:40 or 8:45 AM

summary postconference: instructor will define time.

Leave around 12:30 PM

ACTIVITIES:

1. Present teaching plan in preschool areas for 5-10 minutes
2. After presenting your teaching plan you will break into groups of 2 and rotate through each classroom so that you observe in all the age groups.
3. Observe the children eating lunch. You will have post conference after this to summarize your experience

PREPARATION:

On the development form, complete the form prior to the visit based on the textbook's expected behaviors. If this form is not completed prior to your arrival at the Day Care Center you will receive an unsatisfactory on the evaluation tool

When you are observing the children fill in what you observed and how it compares to the expected textbook behaviors.

Refer to the content outline for further guidelines

TEACHING PLAN:

1. You can choose any topic that is related to the health and safety of the preschooler. Get your topic approved by your instructor
2. You can use puppets, props, poster board. You can act, sing.
3. When you finish preparing your idea, review it with the instructor/day care administrator.
4. Please do not bring stickers, balloons or pencils at the request of the day care center.
5. Summarize verbally in post conference your teaching based on the following criteria
  - The theme of the teaching
  - Two to three teaching objectives

- How the group presented the teaching concept
  - If the objectives were met and how you know that they were met
6. Nothing in writing is expected for this assignment

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Reviewed 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2009