

# Teacher's Development Plan



Select one or more of the options below to show how the individual qualifies to be considered for a Teacher Qualification (TQ) exception:

**480 hours** experience total with the age group they will be working with.

- Of the 480 hours, 320 must be at the facility where they are currently employed.
- 160 hours can be from any other licensed facility with the age group they will be working with, including RF.
- **For school age only: 240 hours of experience in the current program will be considered.**

One year full time experience OR 1500 hours total working with children. Examples may include: teaching experience, unlicensed ECCF experience, coaching, summer camps, church nurseries or Sunday school gym child care, recorded programs, volunteering with children, nanny experience, leader of a scout troop, high school experience working in preschool programs, RS providers, etc.

One year of RF experience can be counted as TQ experience RF compliance history will be considered on a case- by- case basis.

1500 hours of child care center experience but not in the same age group.

Completion of 10 credits (semester) or 15 credit (quarter system) in ECE or Education.

60 clock hours of ECE training and 320 hours of experience in the center where they are employed in any age group.

Be a step 6 in the Oregon Registry.

Prior to approval of an exception, at least 5 hours of child development training must be taken in the last month with at least 2 of 5 hours focusing on guidance and discipline. Here is the training that has been taken:

If the exception is approved, the individual is required to take 2 hours of child development training per month while the exception is in place (if in infant/toddler classrooms, training must be specific to infants and toddlers). Here is the plan of training that will be followed (specific courses should be identified):

You are entitled to language assistance services and other accommodations at no cost. If you need help in your language or other accommodations, please contact the Office of Child Care at 503-947-1400.