

CDA Content Areas are automatically aligned to [MN's Knowledge and Competency Framework](#) (KCF) area(s) in the Develop system. Use the crosswalk below to see the alignment.

Knowledge and Competency Framework (KCF) Areas	CDA Content Areas
I: Child Development and Learning	8: Principles of Child Development and Learning
I.D: Cultural Responsibility and Practice	8: Principles of Child Development and Learning
II.A: Creating Positive Learning Experiences	2: Steps to advance children's physical and intellectual development
II.B: Promoting Cognitive Development	2: Steps to advance children's physical and intellectual development
II.C: Promoting Social and Emotional Development	3: Positive ways to support children's social emotional development
II.D: Promoting Physical Development	2: Steps to advance children's physical and intellectual development
II.E: Promoting Creative Development	2: Steps to advance children's physical and intellectual development
II.F: Cultural Responsibility and Practice	2: Steps to advance children's physical and intellectual development
III: Relationships with Families	4: Strategies to establish productive relationships with families
III.D: Cultural Responsibility and Practice	4: Strategies to establish productive relationships with families
IV.A: Observing, Recording and Assessing Development	7: Observing and recording children's behavior
IV.B: Assessing and Using Information to Plan	7: Observing and recording children's behavior
IV.C: Assessing and Using Information to Enhance and Maintain Program Quality	5: Strategies to manage effective program operation
V: Historical and Contemporary Development of Early Childhood Education	6: Maintaining a commitment to professionalism
VI: Professionalism	6: Maintaining a commitment to professionalism
VI.C: Cultural Responsibility and Practice	6: Maintaining a commitment to professionalism
VII.A: Establishing Healthy Practices	1: Planning a safe, healthy learning environment
VII.B: Ensuring Safety	1: Planning a safe, healthy learning environment
VII.C: Providing Healthy Nutrition	1: Planning a safe, healthy learning environment
VII.D: Cultural Responsibility and Practice	1: Planning a safe, healthy learning environment
VIII: Application through Clinical Experience	
IX: Trauma Informed Care	3: Positive ways to support children's social emotional development
X: Working with Multilingual Preschoolers and Their Families	4: Strategies to establish productive relationships with families