Association of Child Life Professionals Program Review and Development Service "Menu"

Comprehensive Program Review

(based on *Program Review Guidelines* publication, 2015)

- Guidelines and Procedures
- o Program Leadership
- Funding and Budgeting
- Staffing and Scope of Service
- Staff Development and Clinical Supervision
- Child Life Programming
- Interdisciplinary
 Collaboration and Education
- Volunteers
- Environment
- Documentation and Data Collection
- Research and Evidence-Based-Practice
- Clinical Preparation Program

Note: While the review is comprehensive in nature, and based upon the entire *Program Review Guidelines* (2015) selfassessment, goals and priorities are negotiated prior to the site visit considering hospital/program size, single versus multiple site settings, results of self-review, etc.

A la Carte Services

- New Child Life Program Start-Up
- Budget Review & Fund Development
- Strategic Planning & Goal Setting
- Accreditation Preparation (e.g., The Joint Commission or Accreditation Canada)
- Staffing (FTE distribution, growth strategies, staffing models, etc.)
- Staff Development (e.g., staff development/education planning, team development strategies, etc.)
- Clinical Supervision
- Clinical Competencies
- Clinical Advancement ("Ladder")
- Therapeutic Play Programming
- Special Events/Therapeutic Entertainment/CCTV Programming
- Creative Arts Programming/Creative Arts Therapy Services
- Clinical Preparation Program (Practicum and/or Internship)
- Integration of CL Services & Interdisciplinary Relations
- Volunteer Services Collaboration
- Environmental Design & Space Utilization (child/family friendly design elements, art, etc.)
- Child Life Services in specific clinical areas (e.g., Emergency Dept, PICU, NICU, etc.)
- Child Life Services in Palliative Care and/or Home Care

CL Staff Development/Education (PDUs)

- Competency Development Topics
 - Play and Healthcare Play
 - Preparation Skills
 - Child Life Assessment and Care Planning
 - Comfort Measures (e.g., comfort positioning for procedures, procedural support, etc.)
- Family-Centered Care in CL Practice

Child Life Team Development

Facilitated half-day or full-day staff "retreat"

Child Life Leader Development

Mentorship opportunity/consultation

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