Application Requirements for UC San Diego Health
Child Life Practicum

- Completed Practicum Application
- Unofficial Transcripts from all degree programs completed or in process
- Documentation of volunteer hours with children (100 minimum)
- Completion of at least two courses in the following areas:
  - Child Life course taught by a certified child life specialist
  - Child Development
  - Family Systems
  - Play
  - Grief/Loss/Bereavement or Death/Dying
  - Research Methods (in related field)
- Resume
- Two Letters of Recommendation:
  One academic and one professional reference of the student’s choice. Letters must be sealed and not photocopied. All references must be willing to be contacted and must have experience with the applicant within the last three years.
- Please read and complete ALL requirements carefully. Please do not staple or fold any application materials. Incomplete or incorrect applications will not be considered. All materials must be mailed without staples or bindings.

All materials to be mailed to:
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