

The National Council on Family Relations has been serving family professionals for fifty years. The following programs/services are available to its multidisciplinary membership:

Journal of Marriage and the Family: A forum for the publication of original theory, research interpretation and critical discussion of materials related to marriage and the family. Published quarterly.

Family Relations: An applied journal directed toward family practitioners. Emphasis is placed on relationships across the life cycle with implications for intervention, education and public policy. Published quarterly.

Annual Conference: The 1988 conference, with the theme "Families and Addictions" will be held in Philadelphia from November 12-18.

Family Resources Database: An international computerized bibliographic service providing access to information, programs and services in the family field. The FRD also produces the *Inventory of Marriage and Family Literature (IMFL)*, in a printed format.



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BECOME A CERTIFIED FAMILY LIFE EDUCATOR (CFLE)

The National Council on Family Relations sponsors the only national program to certify family life educators. The Certified Family Life Educator (CFLE) program encourages applications from all professionals with experience in family life education (formal teaching, community education, or curriculum and resource development).

NCFR's current family life education professionals include:

- child & human development specialists
- extension specialists
- family social scientists
- family therapists
- health care professionals
- home economists
- parent educators
- pastoral educators
- psychologists
- sex educators
- social workers
- sociologists
- vocational educators

There are three application processes. The EXPERIENCE RECOGNITION PROGRAM is designed for those professionals with five or more years experience. It is a time-limited, streamlined application process which acknowledges the contribution and competence of long-time family life educators.

The STANDARD APPLICATION PROCESS is designed for family life educators with less than five years experience. The PROVISIONAL CERTIFICATION PROGRAM is available for entry-level professionals and students.

To apply, you must complete an application form by **September 1, 1988**. Get your application materials early by sending in the attached request form.

BENEFITS OF CERTIFICATION

To you: certification provides numerous benefits to the family life educator. Certification provides:

- an avenue for communicating with other family life educators, both locally and nationally
- a means for recognition of your expertise
- an opportunity for advancement in your profession
- a chance for you to be a role model to your students and/or staff

To your employer: Certification documents your knowledge and competence, and may be used as a criteria in annual reviews and/or salary increases.

To your clients: certification validates your experience and competence ... increasing your credibility and enhancing your reputation. It may generate increased client interest.

To your profession: certification provides a means for regulating and monitoring professional activities.

To your colleagues: your name will be entered, along with your colleagues who are also certified, in the Certified Family Life Educators Listing.

Family-Life Education Poster

This colorful 24" x 36" wall poster based on the CFLE framework describes family life education by specifying major content and learning concepts for family life education programs over the life span. The framework is ideal for curriculum design, program development, continuing education, classroom instruction, career development, and program assessment. Order your framework by marking the appropriate space on your order form and sending it in. **Don't wait, quantities are limited.**

APPLICATION DEADLINE IS SEPTEMBER 1

___ YES, send me ___ packets containing application materials for the *Experience Recognition Program*, *Standard Certification Program*, and *Provisional Certification Program* @ \$3.50 each.

___ YES, send me ___ copies of the Family Life Education Poster @ \$6.45 each.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State/Province _____

Zip/Postal Code _____

Phone Number () _____

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All orders must include a check or money order in the amount of \$3.50/packet or \$6.45/poster payable to NCFR. (U.S. Funds)

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