



FHB Center
for Health & Human Rights
at Harvard University

2026-2027 CPC Program: Course Exception Petition Form

2026-2027 CPC Candidates are allowed to petition to allow a course that is not on the qualifying list to count towards the requirement of 12 credits of qualifying classes across three domains. Please note that filling out this form is not a guarantee that this petition will be accepted. You will be notified by the CPC staff as to the status and decision once your petition has been reviewed by the committee.

CPC Candidate Name: _____

Harvard Graduate School: _____

Please explain the extenuating circumstances that have lead you to request this exception:

Course you are requesting an exception for:

- Course Code (Letters/Numbers): _____ Instructor: _____
- Course Name: _____
- Course Description (from my.harvard):

- Which domain are you requesting this course count towards? (check one)

☐ Child Protection Systems	☐ Social Change and Family Strengthening
☐ Violence Against Children	☐ Child Protection Leadership Tools
☐ Justice for Children	

- Please explain why you believe this course is a viable alternative for the selected domain. If necessary, please elaborate on any class projects or papers and how these relate to the child protection requirements.

Have you already been granted an exception? Yes _____ No _____

If yes, please explain: