

**281—79.11(256) Diversity standard.** The environment and experiences provided practitioner candidates shall support candidate growth in knowledge, skills, and dispositions to help all students learn in accordance with the following provisions.

**79.11(1)** The institution and unit maintain a climate that supports diversity.

**79.11(2)** The institution and unit document their efforts in maintaining and increasing a diverse faculty and include teacher education candidates in plans, policies, and practices as required by the Higher Learning Commission.

**79.11(3)** Practitioner candidates experience clinical practices in settings that include diverse populations and students of different grade levels and of diverse learning needs.