

The Gerontology Practitioner Certificate
WVU School of Social Work, Office of Professional & Community Education

The following Summer Institute on Aging 2016 sessions have been approved as qualifying towards the Gerontology Practitioner Certificate:

June 7, 2016

9:15-10:30 am Opening Keynote

Living Better and Longer in the Face of Alzheimer's Disease (1.0 hours: *Physiological Processes & Health in Older Adults*)

10:45am-12:15pm Concurrent Workshops

T1 A "How To" of Practical Evidenced-Based Strategies for Living Better, Living Longer, Living Life (1.5 hours: *Physiological Processes & Health in Older Adults*)

T2 Health Reform and Long-Term Care: New Challenges and Opportunities (1.5 hours: *Social Policy & Aging*)

T3 What's Love Got to Do with It? Felt Obligation and Conflict (1.5 hours – *Psychosocial Processes & Mental Health in Older Adults OR Communication*)

T4 Offering Chronic Disease Self-Management Education in Rural Areas (1.5 hours – *Aspects of Rural Aging OR Social Policy and Aging OR Case Management*)

2:00-3:30pm Concurrent Workshops

T5 Advanced Directives: Completing and Using Them (1.5 hours - *Ethics & Aging*)

T6 All for One: Fighting Financial Exploitation Together (Part One) (1.5 hours - *Assessment Or Ethics & Aging*)

T7 Living Longer. Living Better? (Part One) (1.5 hours –*Aspects of Rural Aging OR Case Management OR Social Policy and Aging*)

T8 Living and Dying Together: Providing Care for Parents in Their Last Five Years (Part One)
(1.5 hours – *Physiological Processes & Health in Older Adults Or Case Management OR Psychosocial Processes, Ethics and Aging and Communication*)

T9 Sexuality and Relationships after Sixty (1.5 hours – *Psychosocial Processes & Mental Health in Older Adults*)

3:45pm-5:15pm Concurrent Workshops

T10 An Overview of Adult Protective Services (1.5 hours - *Ethics & Aging*)

T11 All for One: Fighting Financial Exploitation Together (Part Two)(1.5 hours - *Assessment Or Ethics & Aging*)

T12 Living Longer. Living Better? (Part Two) (1.5 hours –*Aspects of Rural Aging OR Case Management*)

T13 Living and Dying Together, A Family Caregiver, Providing Care Over the Last Five Years of Their Lives (Part Two) (1.5 hours – *Physiological Processes & Health in Older Adults Or Case Management*)

T14 Caring for the Elderly Veteran (1.5 hours *Social Policy & Aging OR Psychosocial Processes & Mental Health in Older Adults OR Case Management*)

June 8, 2016

8:30am-10:00am Concurrent Workshops

W1 Medicare- The Basics (1.5 hours – *Social Policy and Aging*)

W2 It Takes a Village (1.5 hours –*Aspects of Rural Aging OR Management*)

W3 Montessori -Moments in Time. A Memory Care Program (1.5 hours – *Assessment OR Case Management*)

W4 Incarceration and Aging (1.5 hours –*Psychosocial Processes and Mental Health in Older Adults OR Social Policy and Aging*)

10:30-12:00pm Keynote Presentation

The Elder Justice Act: Its Impact on Adult Protective Services and Elder Abuse Victims (1.5 hours – *Social Policy & Aging OR Ethics & Aging*)

1:15-2:45pm Concurrent Workshops

W5 Medicare - A More In-Depth Knowledge (1.5 hours – *Social Policy and Aging*)

W6 Diabetes Prevention and Management for a Longer, Healthier Life (Part One) (1.5 hours – *Physiological Processes & Health in Older Adults*)

W7 Don't Be Caught Dead: Plan Instead (Part One) (1.5 hour –*Ethics & Aging*)

W8 Promising Practices to Identify, Remedy and Prevent Elder and Vulnerable Adult Abuse (1.5 hour –*Ethics & Aging*)

W9 Don't Let Them Tell You "You Can't" (1.5 hours - *Psychosocial Processes & Mental Health in Older Adults OR Assessment*)

3:00-4:30pm Concurrent Workshops

W10 Recognizing and Reporting Healthcare Fraud and Financial Exploitation (1.5 hour – *Ethics & Aging*)

W11 Diabetes Prevention and Management for a Longer, Healthier Life (Part Two) (1.5 hours – *Physiological Processes & Health in Older Adults*)

W12 Don't Be Caught Dead: Plan Instead (Part Two) (1.5 hour –*Ethics & Aging*)

W13 Photo Voice and Photography in Gerontological Practice (1.5 hours – *Counseling/Interviewing*)

4:45-6:45pm Evening Keynote Presentation

Movie Night Featuring "Alive Inside" (1.75 hours –*Counseling/Interviewing OR Social Policy and Aging*)

June 9, 2016

8:30-10:00am Concurrent Workshops

TH1 Paper Collage: A Therapeutic Form of Articulation (1.5 hours –*Psychosocial Processes & Mental Health in Older Adults OR Communication*)

TH2 What You See Isn't Always What You Get: Unique Issues of Transgender Older Adults (Part One) (1.5 hours – *Psychosocial Processes & Mental Health in Older Adults*)

TH3 Writing an Effective Letter to the Editor (1.5 hours - *Social Policy and Aging OR Communication*)

TH4 Ethical Decision Making in End of Life Care (Part One) (1.5 hour –*Ethics & Aging*)

TH5 Seeing Alzheimer's Through A Son's Eyes (1.5 hours – *Psychosocial Processes and Mental Health in Older Adults OR Communication*)

10:15-11:45am Concurrent Workshops

TH6 Drawing: From Basic Scribbles to Serious Images (1.5 hours –*Psychosocial Processes & Mental Health in Older Adults OR Communication*)

TH7 What You See Isn't Always What You Get: Unique Issues of Transgender Older Adults (Part Two) (1.5 hours – *Psychosocial Processes & Mental Health in Older Adults*)

TH8 Geriatric Substance Abuse: Discussing the Silent Epidemic (1.5 hours – *Psychosocial Processes & Mental Health in Older Adults OR Physiological Processes and Health*)

TH9 Ethical Decision Making in End of Life Care (Part Two) (1.5 hour –*Ethics & Aging*)

TH10 Rural Healthcare Planning: Bottom Up or Top Down? What Works for You? (1.5 hours –*Aspects of Rural Aging OR Management*)

12:00-1:15pm Box Lunch (Optional CE offering)

Creating Model Communities for Elders in West Virginia (1.0 hours - *Social Policy and Aging OR Management*)

1:30-3:00pm Concurrent Workshops

TH11 Lets Discuss the Vision for Model Senior Communities (1.5 hours - *Social Policy and Aging OR Management*)

TH12 Are You Dementia Ready? (1.5 hours – *Psychosocial Processes & Mental Health in Older Adults*)

TH13 Access to Recreation: An Important Part of Living a Healthy Life (1.5 hours - *Physiological Processes & Health in Older Adults OR Psychosocial Processes & Mental Health in Older Adults OR Social Policy and Aging and Assessment*)

TH14 Photo Voice and Photography in Gerontological Practice (1.5 hours – *Counseling/Interviewing*)

3:15-4:15pm Closing Presentation

Living a Brain Healthy Lifestyle (1 hours - *Physiological Processes & Health in Older Adults OR Psychosocial Processes & Mental Health in Older Adults*)

Approved for a total of up to 19.75 GPC hours

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