



Department of Human Development and Family Science Graduate Program **Gerontology Certificate (online only)**

A certificate in gerontology is ideal for professionals in a variety of aging-related fields. Areas include senior-services organizations like centers on aging; senior centers; nursing homes; assisted, independent, and aging-in-place living facilities; non-profit organizations; faith-based groups; and extension educators.

Required (6 credits)

HDFS 7252: Adult Development (3)
HDFS 8251: Perspectives in Gerontology (3)

Suggested Electives* (9 credits):

HDFS 7233: Basic Grant Development and Management (1)
HDFS 7235: Administration and Program Management (3)
HDFS 7255: Economics, Public Policy, & Aging (3)
HDFS 7256: Environments and Aging (3)
HDFS 7257: Aging in the Family (3)
HDFS 7259: Mental Health & Aging (3)
HDFS 7260: Women and Aging (3)
HDFS 7261: Biological Principles of Aging (3)
HDFS 7261: Long-term Care Administration (3)
HDFS 8238: Program Design, Implementation, and Evaluation (3)
HDFS 8253: Physical Health in Aging (3)
HDFS 8254: Gerontology Research Methods and Program Evaluation (3)
HDFS 8258: Professional Seminar in Gerontology (3)

*Or Any Adviser-Approved Course