

Certificate in Gerontology  
Requirements Worksheet  
2021-2022 Catalog

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade	Course Number & Title (units)	Need to Take	Prerequisites†
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**Complete ALL of the following courses:**

	GERN 492G: Internship in Gerontology (3)		consent of program director
	GERN 400: Perspectives on Gerontology* (3) <b>GE Area: F or UD D; Writing Intensive; HD</b>		GE foundations; upper division standing; GPE score of 11+ or portfolio course
	ANTH 454: Culture & Aging* (3)		none
	<b>ONE (1) of the following:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> GERN 401: Human Aging (3) <b>GE Area: UD B</b> <input type="checkbox"/> GERN 482: Health Assessment of the Aging Client (3)		<b>GERN 401:</b> GE foundations; upper division standing <b>GERN 482:</b> upper division standing
	<b>ONE (1) of the following:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> PSY 365: Development: Emerging Adulthood to Aging* (3) <input type="checkbox"/> HDEV 357: Approaches to Adulthood Through Aging* (3) <b>GE Area: F or UD D; HD</b>		<b>PSY 365:</b> PSY 100 <b>HDEV 357:</b> GE foundations; a 'C' or better in ANTH 120 or HDEV 180 or PSY 100 or SOC 100

**Complete 9 units from the following courses:**

	ANTH 319: Human Growth & Development (3)		none
	BIOL 301: Biology of Human Aging (3) <b>GE Area: UD B</b>		GE foundations; upper division standing
	CAFF 420/GERN 420: Personal Finance for the Aging (3)		upper division standing
	CAFF 429: Consumer Protection (3)		none
	CDFS 319: Family Stress & Coping (3) <b>GE Area: F or UD D; Writing Intensive; HD</b>		GE foundations; ANTH 120 or PSY 100 or SOC 100; upper division standing; completion of GEAR
	CDFS 412: Family Interaction (3)		<b>CDFS, FLE and HDEV majors only;</b> a 'C' or better in CDFS 312; upper division standing
	CRJU 450: Domestic Violence & the Criminal Justice System (3)		<b>CRJU majors only;</b> a 'C' or better in CRJU 101, 110, 301, 302, 304; upper division standing
	GERN 430: Aging & Dementia (3)		upper division standing
	GERN 439/NUTR 439: Nutrition & Aging (3)		BIOL 207 or BIOL 301 or GERN 400 or NUTR 132
	GERN 440: End of Life Issues for Older Adults & Their Families (3)		upper division standing
	GERN 469/REC 469: Disability, Culture, & Society: Issues & Intervention (3)		none
	GERN 474: Global Aging (3)		upper division standing
	GERN 475: Women & Aging: Lessons from the Golden Girls		upper division standing
	GERN 497: Directed Studies (3)		upper division standing; consent of program director
	GERN 499: Selected Topics in Gerontology (3)		upper division standing
	HCA 300: The Health Care System (3)		<b>HCA majors /certificates only;</b> none
	HDEV 300: Death & Dying (3)		GE foundations; upper division standing; ANTH 120 or HDEV 180 or PSY 100 or SOC 100
	HIST 402: Oral History Methods (3)		none
	HRM 463: Organizational Training & Development (3)		<b>HRM majors/minors only;</b> HRM 360 or 361; IS 301
	HRM 465: Staffing & Performance Management (3)		<b>HRM majors/minors only;</b> HRM 361; IS 301
	HSC 435: Health Promotion & Risk Reduction (3)		<b>HSC majors/minors only;</b> a 'C' or better in HSC 421; upper division standing
	KIN 364: Fitness for Adult Populations with Unique Health Considerations (3)		<b>KIN Fitness majors only;</b> KIN 301
	KIN 367: Fitness & the Aging Process (3)		<b>KIN Fitness &amp; Exercise Science majors only;</b> KIN 300, 301, 312, and 339
	KIN 387: Physical Activities for the Disabled (3)		<b>KIN Physical Education-Teacher Education majors only;</b> KIN 320; KIN 427 (corequisite)
	PHIL 403: Medical Ethics (3) <b>GE Area: F or UD C</b>		GE foundations
	REC 428: Principles of Nonprofit/Volunteer Management		none
	REC 473: Aging & Leisure (3)		none
	SOC 464: Aging & Society (3)		SOC 100 or SOC 142
	SW 331: Human Behavior & Social Environment: Young Adulthood through Old Age (3)		GE foundations

†Prerequisites are subject to change; consult the University Catalog ([www.csulb.edu/catalog](http://www.csulb.edu/catalog)) for the most recent updates

✓ Certificate advising worksheet is for undergraduate students only; graduate students should contact certificate faculty advisor

✓ Graduate level GERN courses may be taken and applied towards the certificate with certificate advisor or instructor permission

✓ A 'C' or better is required in all courses marked with an asterisk \*

✓ **Total units required for GERN certificate: 24**