

M.A. in Aging Studies

***OPEN TO ALL MAJORS: Start your GRADUATE MASTER'S DEGREE
while still finishing your undergraduate Bachelor's degree!***

Admissions Requirements:

Early Admission - to be eligible for the accelerated program students must have:

- A cumulative minimum undergraduate GPA of 3.25
- Completed at least 15 credit hours in any declared major
- Completed a minimum of 60 hours of undergraduate course credit

If you meet the criteria, and are interested in considering graduate study, contact:

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Shared Coursework: Students accepted into the Accelerated Program for the M.A. in Aging Studies may take the following courses as shared credit for up to **9 credit hours**. Note that prerequisites may need to be completed before enrolling in some courses. Please work with your academic advisor in course selection. The Accelerated Program in Aging Studies is open to **all majors** at EIU!

Shared Credit Course Options in Aging Studies - A maximum of 9 credit hours total from:

- HSL 4775 - Human Services Programs and Resource Management. Credits: 3
- HSL 4820 - Death and Dying. Credits: 3
- HSL 4845 - Family Stress and Resilience. Credits: 3
- HSL 4846 - Aging and the Family. Credits: 3
- HSL 5450 - Leadership and Administration in Human Services Programming Credits: 3
- HSL 5846 - Public Policy and Grant Writing for Human Services Programming Credits: 3
- HSL 5100 - Societal Theories of Aging. Credits: 3
- HSL 5900 - Research Methods in Family and Consumer Sciences. Credits: 3
- BIO 4834 or BIO 5434 - Neurobiology. Credits: 3
- BIO 4835 or BIO 5835– Advanced Neurobiology. Credits: 3
- CMN 5155 - Communication and Aging. Credits: 3
- EDF 5590 - Educational Response to Third Age Learning. Credits: 3
- HCM 4910 - Applied Health Communication. Credits: 3
- KSR 5225 - Physical Activity and Aging. Credits: 3
- PLS 4793 - Civic and Nonprofit Leadership. Credits: 3
- PLS 4873 - Human Resource Management in Public and Nonprofit Organizations. Credits: 3
- PLS 4893 - Budgeting in Government and Nonprofit Organizations. Credits: 3
- PSY 5540 - Psychological Processes in the Aged. Credits: 3
- PSY 5545 - Techniques for Geriatric Management Credits: 3
- PUBH 4770 - Health Services Administration. Credits: 3
- PUBH 4800 - Drugs and Society. Credits: 3
- PUBH 4810 - Community Resources and Chemical Dependency. Credits: 3
- PUBH 4830 - Perspectives on Health and Humor. Credits: 3
- PUBH 4890 - Health and Aging. Credits: 3
- PUBH 5600 – Essentials of International Health. Credits: 3
- PUBH 5700 - Theories and Principles of Health Behavior. Credits: 3
- PUBH 5750 - Health Program Planning and Evaluation. Credits: 3
- PUBH 5770 - Leadership and Ethics for Health Professionals. Credits: 3
- REC 4950 - Leisure and Aging Credits: 3