Career Opportunities with a Master’s Degree in Aging Studies
Eastern Illinois University

Quick M.A. in Aging Studies Facts

- 33 credit hours online (Ten classes and one independent study or internship or thesis in either three full-time semesters or a self-paced full- or part-time study plan)
- Graduate Assistantships offered – **FULL tuition waiver** for 3 semesters and **monthly salary** with 18-19 hours/week of professional experience

M.A. in Aging Studies Alumni – Where Are Some Now?

- Direct Services Coordinator – The Fellowship Center, Mattoon, IL
- Administrator – Signature Healthcare of Terre Haute, Terre Haute, IN
- Family Life Educator – University of Illinois Extension, Champaign, IL
- Service Coordinator – Prairieland Service Coordination, Decatur, IL
- Resident Director – Willowbrook Memory Care Residences, Effingham, IL
- Director of Aging Services – Cumberland Associates, Sullivan
- Marketing & Admissions Coordinator – Passages Hospice, Champaign-Urbana, IL
- Case Worker for Older Adult Protective Services – Care Horizon, Charleston, IL
- Director of Wellness and Recovery Services – Wellspring Resources, Jerseyville, IL
- Resident Service Concierge – Smith Village, Chicago
- Senior Day Center Supervisor – St. Paul’s Senior Services, San Diego

Achieve your professional career goals related to older adults and aging!

Careers Paths in Aging Studies

- Residential or Rehabilitative Long-Term Care Administrator
- National, State, or Local Government (e.g., Department of Aging, Office Health and Human Services, Extension)
- National, State, or Local Nonprofit Organization (e.g., Alzheimer’s Association, AARP, Area Agency on Aging)
- Senior Community or Healthcare Program Administrator or Coordinator
- Aging Research Institute or Grant Foundation
- Human Resources or Corporate Employee Assistance Program
- Geriatric Case Management
- Aging Policy Development/Advocacy
- Client Care Services Coordinator
- Senior Services Case Worker/Case Manager
- Health and Wellness Promotion Administrator or Coordinator

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