Minor in Aging Studies

Program Requirements

The minor in aging studies consists of at least 12 credit hours of aging studies courses. Students are required to complete PHS 100, as the foundational course for the minor.

Course	Title	Hours
PHS 100	Introduction to Aging Studies [1]	3
Elective Courses		
Select at least 9 credit hours from the list of classes below		9
PHS 404	Psychology of Aging	
PHS 405	Sociology of Aging	
PHS 518	Healthcare Coordination	
PHS 520	Family and Aging	
PHS 525	Living with Death: Understanding Loss and Legacy	
PHS 543	Aging and Public Policy	
PHS 560	Care Networks and Services	
PHS 562	Senior Living Operations	
PHS 565	The Medicare System	
PHS 575A-Z	Advanced Special Topics	
PHS 623	Public Health and Communication in Aging	
PHS 626	Hospitality and Enrichment in Aging Communities	
PHS 710	Perspectives on an Aging Society	
Accelerated Bachelor's to Master's in Aging Studies Courses [2]		
500+ level PHS Aging Studies courses		
Total Credit Hours		**12**

1. Required.
2. For students admitted to the Aging Studies Accelerated program (http://catalog.wichita.edu/undergraduate/health-professions/health-sciences/public-health-sciences/accelerated-bachelors-degree-master-aging-studies/), up to 9 credit hours of graduate level aging studies coursework (500+) can count for dual credit towards the Master of Arts in aging studies (http://catalog.wichita.edu/graduate/health-professions/health-sciences/public-health-sciences/ma-in-aging-studies-age/). Students should consult with their undergraduate advisor and the aging studies graduate advisor to select the 9 credit hours.

Please note: If planning to enter the MA in aging studies program, courses taken for undergraduate credit cannot be applied to or retaken for graduate credit. Please speak with your undergraduate adviser and an aging studies graduate advisor when choosing classes.