

Week 8: Overview

Welcome to Week 8! This week we'll look at older adults. We'll examine issues that are unique to this population. In addition, we'll learn more about the programs that specifically serve older adults.

Outcomes

This week's learning outcomes are as follows:

- Summarize the role of developmental theory in the study of aging. (CLO 3)
- Identify the current issues related to the aging population. (CLO 4)
- Recognize the current challenges facing older adults. (CLO 1, 3, 4)
- Compare and contrast the major social programs currently serving older adults. (CLO 1)

The learning materials, activities, and assignments in this module will contribute to meeting the following course learning outcomes (CLO) as stated in the syllabus. Please refer to the Course Learning Outcomes and Alignment page for more details.

- CLO 1 - Analyze strategies that support client change.
- CLO 2 - Evaluate various Human Services (HS) careers and requirements for successful HS professionals.
- CLO 3 - Apply procedures for assessing needs of individuals, families and special populations seeking HS services.
- CLO 4 - Evaluate intrapersonal and systemic barriers that may inhibit optimal functioning for people receiving HS organization services.