All Programs:

- Students will develop a gerontological perspective through knowledge and self-reflection
- Students will engage collaboratively with others to promote integrated approaches to aging
- Students will learn to promote life-long learning opportunities across the life span to enhance personal development, social inclusion, and quality of life

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- Students will learn to adhere to ethical principles to guide work with and on behalf of older persons
- Students will learn to recognize ethical standards and professional practices in all phases of work and research with and on behalf of older persons
- Students will engage in personal and public issues in aging through effective communication with older persons, their families, and the community
- Students will promote older persons’ strengths and adaptations to maximize well-being, health, and mental status
- Students will promote quality of life and positive social environment for older persons