Core Courses (31 units)

- GER 500 Perspectives on a Changing Society: An Introduction to Aging Units: 4
- GER 501 Applied Legal and Regulatory Issues in Aging Units: 4
- GER 552 Human Resources and Aging Units: 4
- GER 574 Leadership and Management in Senior Living Units: 3
- GER 575 Marketing Senior Living Units: 3
- GER 576 Finance and Senior Living Units: 3
- GER 577 Food Service and Senior Living Units: 2
- GER 578 Revenue Management for Senior Living Units: 2
- GER 579 Senior Living and Brand Management Units: 2
- GER 589 Case Studies in Leadership and Change Management Units: 4

Elective Courses (12 units)

Students must select three electives (for a total of 12 units) of courses from the list below. Core courses may not double count as electives. Students may take any elective courses below with a few limitations:

1. GER 599 may be taken in consultation with the academic adviser
2. A maximum of two GER 400-level courses from the list below
3. A maximum of 4 units of GER 590
4. A maximum of 8 units of GER 591

- GER 494 Emotion-Cognition Interactions and Aging Units: 4
- GER 498 Nutrition, Genes, Longevity and Diseases Units: 4
- GER 502 Current Issues in Aging Services
- GER 504 Marketing and Shifts in Consumer Decision Making Units: 4
- GER 505 Housing and Community Policies and Programs Units: 4
- GER 506 Technological Innovations in Aging (Gerontechnology) Units: 4
- GER 507 End of Life Care Units: 4
- GER 508 The Mind and Body Connection through the Lifespan Units: 4
- GER 510 Physiology of Development and Aging Units: 4
- GER 520 Life Span Developmental Psychology Units: 2 or 4
- GER 522 Counseling Older Adults and Their Families Units: 2 or 4
- GER 530 Life Span Developmental Sociology Units: 4
- GER 540 Social Policy and Aging Units: 4
- GER 541 Health Care Delivery Models: Comparative Approaches Units: 4
- GER 543 Continuum of Care: Systems Perspective Units: 4
- GER 550 Administration and System Management in Programs for Older Adults Units: 4
- GERO 551 Applied Policy Skills in Aging Units: 4
- GERO 554 Evaluation: Incorporating Evidence-Based Practices Units: 4
- GERO 585 The Aging Family Units: 2 or 4
- GERO 590 Directed Research Units: 1-12
- GERO 591 Field Practicum Units: 1-12
- GERO 593 Research Methods Units: 4
- GERO 599 Special Topics Units: 2-4

**Total Elective Units: 12**

**Total Units: (31 Core plus 12 Electives) 43**

**Advanced Standing Option**

The Leonard Davis School offers an advanced standing option for students who have graduated with a Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration (BBA) or a Master of Business Administration (MBA) from an accredited college or university. To be eligible for the advanced standing option, students must have successfully completed their BBA with a minimum GPA of 3.00 for the last 60/90 units of undergraduate work or a 3.3 GPA for their MBA. A cumulative 3.5 GPA for all business courses with a grade of B or better is required for admission.

Students admitted to advanced standing will bypass 15 units of the MASLH program and be required to complete 20 units total of the following course work:

- GERO 500: Perspectives on an Aging Society: An Introduction to Aging 4 units
- GERO 501 Applied Legal and Regulatory Issues in Aging 4 units or
- GERO 552: Human Resources in Senior Living 4 units
- GERO 502: Marketing and Shifts in Consumer Decision Making 4 units
- GERO 504: Current Issues in Aging Services Management 4 units
- GERO 589: Case Studies in Leadership and Change Management 4 units

Plus two additional four unit elective courses from the suggested electives listed above for a total of 28 units.