

# Minnesota State University Moorhead

## PSY 403: Adulthood and Aging

### A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

Credits: 3

Lecture Hours/Week: 3

Lab Hours/Week: 0

OJT Hours/Week: \*.\*

Prerequisites:

This course requires both of these prerequisites

PSY 113 - General Psychology

PSY 202 - Developmental Psychology

Corequisites: None

MnTC Goals: None

Discussion of some of the major theoretical approaches and current issues in human development from young adulthood through old age and death. Students must have earned six credits in psychology courses and have junior standing prior to enrolling in this class.

**B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES:** 06/01/1995 - Present

### C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

### D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)

1. Develop critical thinking skills to assist in being a consumer of psychological research.
2. Gain understanding of stages of development in adulthood.
3. Gain understanding of the aging process.
4. Gain understanding of the influences of cognitive, biological and social factors on individuals as they age and approach death.

### E. Minnesota Transfer Curriculum Goal Area(s) and Competencies

None

### F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT

As noted on course syllabus

### G. SPECIAL INFORMATION

None noted