# Washtenaw Community College Comprehensive Report

# PSY 206 Life Span Developmental Psychology Effective Term: Spring/Summer 2020

# **Course Cover**

Division: Humanities, Social and Behavioral Sciences

**Department:** Behavioral Sciences

**Discipline:** Psychology Course Number: 206 Org Number: 11220

Full Course Title: Life Span Developmental Psychology

Transcript Title: Life Span Developmental Psych

Is Consultation with other department(s) required: No

**Publish in the Following:** College Catalog, Time Schedule, Web Page **Reason for Submission:** Three Year Review / Assessment Report

**Change Information:** 

Consultation with all departments affected by this course is required.

Rationale: Update course as a result of assessment.

**Proposed Start Semester:** Winter 2020

Course Description: In this course, students are provided with an overview of the biological, cognitive, social and affective domains of human growth and development from the prenatal period until death. The course emphasizes the relationship of growth and development to behavior through the life span. Major theories of human development, as well as research methods, are reviewed and contrasted. The course is especially constructed and taught to be of value to those entering the fields of social work, elementary or secondary education, or nursing and various allied health fields.

### **Course Credit Hours**

Variable hours: No

Credits: 4

**Lecture Hours: Instructor:** 60 **Student:** 60

**Lab: Instructor:** 0 **Student:** 0 **Clinical: Instructor:** 0 **Student:** 0

**Total Contact Hours: Instructor: 60 Student: 60** 

Repeatable for Credit: NO Grading Methods: Letter Grades

Audit

Are lectures, labs, or clinicals offered as separate sections?: NO (same sections)

# **College-Level Reading and Writing**

College-level Reading & Writing

# **College-Level Math**

# **Requisites**

### **General Education**

**MACRAO** 

MACRAO Social Science

### **General Education Area 5 - Social and Behavioral Science**

Assoc in Applied Sci - Area 5 Assoc in Science - Area 5 Assoc in Arts - Area 5

# Michigan Transfer Agreement - MTA

MTA Social Science

# **Request Course Transfer**

# **Proposed For:**

Eastern Michigan University University of Michigan

# **Student Learning Outcomes**

1. Identify the biological, cognitive and social changes and growth patterns that occur in each stage of development from prenatal until death.

#### **Assessment 1**

Assessment Tool: Multiple-choice tests

Assessment Date: Fall 2022

Assessment Cycle: Every Three Years

Course section(s)/other population: All sections Number students to be assessed: All students

How the assessment will be scored: Item analysis for multiple-choice tests

Standard of success to be used for this assessment: 70% of students will score 70% or better on

the multiple-choice tests.

Who will score and analyze the data: Departmental faculty

2. Apply the biological, cognitive and social changes and growth patterns that occur in each stage of development from prenatal until death.

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3. Create a research design used to study physical, cognitive and social changes in life span development.

### **Assessment 1**

Assessment Tool: Research design form and presentation

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Assessment Cycle: Every Three Years

Course section(s)/other population: All sections

Number students to be assessed: Random sample of 20% of all students with a minimum of one

full section

How the assessment will be scored: Review with rubric for research form and presentation Standard of success to be used for this assessment: 70% of the students will score 70% or higher on the research form and presentation.

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# **Course Objectives**

- 1. Describe major development tasks for each of the various domains of the life span including biological, social, cognitive, moral and psychological components.
- 2. Analyze several major theories of human development including those of Freud, Watson, Erikson, Piaget, Vygotsky and Kohlberg.
- 3. Recall important developmental concepts.
- 4. Apply developmental concepts to one's own development and that of others.
- 5. Identify important developmental terms, concepts, processes and stages that apply to the normal aspects and stages of human development.
- 6. Describe major differences in the influence of heredity and environment on human growth and development.
- 7. Describe the major concepts and principles related to human genetics, prenatal development and birth.
- 8. Analyze the important interplay between the biological, social and psychological elements in the first two years of life as the infant engages in key developmental tasks.
- 9. Describe and analyze the key developmental elements associated with infancy, childhood and adolescence.
- 10. Describe and analyze the stages of adulthood and the most salient developmental aspects of this period of life.
- 11. Describe and analyze the stages of death and dying.
- 12. Explain and analyze various research designs used to study topics in Life Span Development.

### **New Resources for Course**

### **Course Textbooks/Resources**

**Textbooks** 

Feldman, Robert. *Development Across the Life Span*, 6th ed. New York: Prentice Hall, 2011, ISBN: 9780205805914.

Manuals

Periodicals

Software

# **Equipment/Facilities**

Level III classroom Off-Campus Sites

Reviewer	Action	<u>Date</u>
Faculty Preparer:		
Starr Burke	Faculty Preparer	Oct 22, 2019
Department Chair/Area Director:		
Starr Burke	Recommend Approval	Oct 22, 2019
Dean:		
Scott Britten	Recommend Approval	Oct 23, 2019
Curriculum Committee Chair:		
Lisa Veasey	Recommend Approval	Nov 12, 2019
<b>Assessment Committee Chair:</b>		
Shawn Deron	Recommend Approval	Nov 15, 2019
Vice President for Instruction:		
Kimberly Hurns	Approve	Nov 19, 2019

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Course description
Outcomes/Assessment

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**Assessment Tool:** Essays and multiple choice tests

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**Assessment Cycle:** Every Three Years

Course section(s)/other population: All sections

Number students to be assessed: Random sample of 20% of all students with a

minimum of one full section.

How the assessment will be scored: Item analysis for multiple choice Review

with rubric for essay questions.

Standard of success to be used for this assessment: 70% of students will score

70% or better on the multiple choice exam and the essay exam(each).

Who will score and analyze the data: Departmental faculty.

2. Explain the biological, cognitive and social changes and growth patterns that occur in each stage of development from prenatal until death.

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- 5. Identify important developmental terms, concepts, processes and stages that apply to the normal aspects and stages of human development.

#### **Matched Outcomes**

- 2. Explain the biological, cognitive and social changes and growth patterns that occur in each stage of development from prenatal until death.
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Dena Blair	Recommend Approval	Jan 16, 2015
Vice President for Instruction:		
Bill Abernethy	Approve	Feb 16, 2015