The University of Western Ontario School of Health Studies Health Sciences 4721B-001 AGING & MARGINALIZED POPULATIONS

Fall 2017

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Course Materials

Course materials are available on OWL.

Session: Date 1: Sept. 7	Readings/Assignments Course overview Understanding Marginalization through the Life Course Perspective Vasas, E.B. (2005). Examining the margins: A concept analysis of marginalization. <i>Advances in Nursing Science</i> . 28(3), 194-202. Aging Prisoners
	Documentary: Prisoners of Age Maschi, T. M., Viola, D., & Sun, F. (2012). The high cost of the international aging prisoner crisis: Well-being as the common denominator for action. Gerontologist, 1-12.
2: Sept. 12	Aging Prisoners Documentary: Prisoners of Age (con't) Annual Report of the Office of the Correctional Investigator, 2010-2011. <i>Special Focus on Elderly Prisoners</i> . (Read pages 20-25 only) Discussion: Should aging prisoners be placed elsewhere?
3: Sept. 14	 Health of LGB Elders Discussion: Questionnaire about gay and lesbian elders (Download/Print the questionnaire from OWL/Sakai) Fredriksen-Goldsen, K. I., Emlet, C. A., Kim, H., Muraco, A., Erosheva, E. A., Goldsen, J., & Hoy-Ellis, C. P. (2013). The physical and mental health of lesbian, gay male, and bisexual (LGB) older adults: The role of key health indicators and risk and protective factors. <i>The Gerontologist</i>, <i>53</i>(4): 664-675. doi: 10.1093/geront/gns123 Film: If These Walls Could Talk II (35 min excerpt)
4: Sept. 19	Health care and LGBT Elders Brotman, S., Ryan, B., & Cormier, R. (2003). The health and social service needs of gay and lesbian elders and their families in Canada. <i>The</i> <i>Gerontologist, 43</i> (2), 192-202.
5: Sept. 21	Caregiving and LGBT Elders Brotman, S., Ryan, B., Collins, S., Chamberland, L., Cormier, R., Julien, D., Richard, B. (2007). Coming out to care: Caregivers of gay and lesbian seniors in Canada. <i>The Gerontologist</i> , <i>47</i> (4), 490-503. Discussion: LGBT Elders: Case study analysis LGBT Elders in nursing home: Case study analysis
6: Sept. 26	Health of Transgendered Older Adults Fredriksen-Goldsen, K. I., Cook-Daniels, L., Kim, H., Erosheva, E. A., Emlet, C. A., Hoy-Ellis, C. P., Muraco, A. (2013). Physical and mental health of transgender older adults: An at-risk and underserved population.

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