Northwood Technical College

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61-544-2 DEMENTIA CARE CERTIFICATE
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2022-23 PROGRAM CURRICULUM CHECKLIST
NORTHWOOD TECHNICAL COLLEGE
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OUTREACH CENTERS: BALSAM LAKE*, HAYWARD*, LADYSMITH*
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CATALOG NUMBER	COURSE TITLE	HOURS PER WEEK	CREDITS	DEMENTIA CARE CERTIFICATE	GERONTOLOGY FOR HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS CERTIFICATE	GERONTOLOGY-AGING SERVICES PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATE DEGREE (Financial Aid Eligible)
	FALL (FIRST and THIRD TERM)					
	1st 8 Weeks					
10520103	Ethics in Human Services # (online; also offered Spring Term)	6 hours per week	3 credits			Gerontology - Aging Services Professional
10544101	Social Gerontology (Your Choice)	6 hours per week	3 credits		Gerontology for Healthcare Professionals	Gerontology - Aging Services Professional
10544105	Alzheimer's and Dementia (Your Choice)	6 hours per week	3 credits	Dementia Care	Gerontology for Healthcare Professionals	Gerontology - Aging Services Professional
	1st 8 Weeks Total		9 credits	**3 Credits** Dementia Care	**6 Credits** Gerontology for Healthcare Professionals	**9 Credits** Gerontology - Aging Services Professional
	2nd 8 Weeks					
10544100	Communication of Aging (online)	6 hours per week	3 credits	Dementia Care	Gerontology for Healthcare Professionals	Gerontology - Aging Services Professional
10544102	Psychological Aspects of Aging (Your Choice)	6 hours per week	3 credits			Gerontology - Aging Services Professional
10544108	Developing the Gerontology Professional # (Your Choice-also offered spring) Prerequisite: Successful completion of 15 credits of 105201XX or 105441XX coursework	6 hours per week	3 credits			Gerontology - Aging Services Professional
10544110	Programs of Aging Services (online)	6 hours per week	3 credits		Gerontology for Healthcare Professionals	Gerontology - Aging Services Professional
	2nd 8 Weeks Total		12 credits	**3 Credits** Dementia Care	**6 Credits** Gerontology for Healthcare Professionals	**12 Credits** Gerontology - Aging Services Professional

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	SPRING (SECOND and FOURTH TERM)					
	16 Weeks					
10544112	Gerontology Fieldwork #^ (Your Choice; also offered fall) Prerequisites: 10520103 Ethics in Human Services, 10544108 Developing the Gerontology Professional and Corequisite: Successful completion or co-enrollment in all other core program courses.	5 hours per week	3 credits			Gerontology - Aging Services Professional
10XXXXXX	Elective (May be taken at any time) Recommended electives: 10809195 Economics, 10520101 Introduction to Human Services, 101961XX course, or 10520111 Psychopharmacology	3 hours per week	3 credits			Gerontology - Aging Services Professional
	1st 8 Weeks					
10520112	Family Systems (online; also offered Fall Term)	6 hours per week	3 credits			Gerontology - Aging Services Professional
10544104	Physical Aspects of Aging (Your Choice)	6 hours per week	3 credits			Gerontology - Aging Services Professional
10544111	Legal and Financial Issues of Aging (Your Choice)	6 hours per week	3 credits	Dementia Care		Gerontology - Aging Services Professional
	1st 8 Weeks Total		15 credits	**3 Credits** **Dementia Care**		**15 Credits** **Gerontology - Aging Services Professional**
	2nd 8 Weeks					
10544106	Healthy Aging (online)	6 hours per week	3 credits			Gerontology - Aging Services Professional
10544107	Death and Dying (Your Choice)	6 hours per week	3 credits	Dementia Care		Gerontology - Aging Services Professional
	2nd 8 Weeks Total		6 credits	**3 Credits** **Dementia Care**		**6 Credits** **Gerontology - Aging Services Professional**

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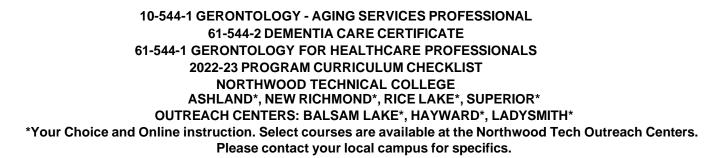# OUTREACH CENTERS: BALSAM LAKE*, HAYWARD*, LADYSMITH*
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	GENERAL STUDIES (may be taken at any time; variety of instructional formats are available)					
10801136	English Composition 1	3 hours per week	3 credits			Gerontology - Aging Services Professional
10801198 OR 10801196	Speech OR Oral/Interpersonal Communication	3 hours per week	3 credits			Gerontology - Aging Services Professional
10806198 OR 10806177	Human Biology OR General Anatomy and Physiology NOTE: Successful completion of a chemistry course within in the last five years is highly recommended.	5 hours per week	4 credits			Gerontology - Aging Services Professional
10809198	Introduction to Psychology	3 hours per week	3 credits			Gerontology - Aging Services Professional
10809159	Abnormal Psychology Prerequisite: 10809198 Introduction to Psychology	3 hours per week	3 credits			Gerontology - Aging Services Professional
10809172	Introduction to Diversity Studies	3 hours per week	3 credits			Gerontology - Aging Services Professional
	Total General Studies	20 hours per week	19 credits			**19 Credits** Gerontology - Aging Services Professional
	PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS			**12 Credits** Dementia Care	**12 Credits** Gerontology for Healthcare Professionals	**61 Credits** Gerontology - Aging Services Professional

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Select the curriculum checklist based on the academic year you begin enrollment in your program.
105XX1XX course offerings are listed by the term they will be offered. Course availability is dependent on demand and enrollment in additional terms may be required
to complete graduation requirements.

Please be advised that low enrollment class sections may be cancelled. You will be contacted by Student Services with information on other class sections available in alternate formats.

\# Credit for Prior Learning not applicable for these courses

^ All students must earn a minimum of 135 hours of fieldwork hours. These hours are completed during 10544112 Gerontology Fieldwork.

NORTHWOOD TECH GENERAL STUDIES COURSE OPTIONS FOR NORTHWOOD TECH ASSOCIATE DEGREE PROGRAMS
Co-enrollment in 99831900 Writing Essentials may be recommended in addition to English Composition 1.
Specific General Studies courses are scheduled as requirements for this program. If you have completed General Studies coursework at another Wisconsin technical college, please refer to
the Acceptable Transfer Course document at the following link (find your program) to see if your previous coursework will transfer
https://www.NorthwoodTech.edu/academic-programs/degree-programs-and-certificates/general-studies-courses/courses
If you have completed General Studies coursework at Northwood Tech in a prior term, the same options will apply for your program requirements.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS: Although your academic advisor can provide guidance, you are ultimately responsible for selecting courses that meet a program's graduation requirements
If you do not take courses in the recommended sequence above, it may delay your completion of graduation requirements. A program plan GPA of 2.0 in a 4.0 grade system is required to graduate
A grade point of 2.0 or better is needed in all required 105XXXXX courses.

*Certificate courses are scheduled on an ongoing basis.
CERTIFICATE REQUIREMENTS: Although your academic advisor can provide guidance, you are ultimately responsible for selecting courses that meet a certificate's completion requirements.
This certificate requires a GPA of 2.0 in a 4.0 grade system to complete. A grade point of 2.0 or better is needed in all required 10544XXX courses.

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