



The On-line Graduate Certificate in **Elder Law** is offered by The University of Toledo's Department of Undergraduate Legal Specialties in the College of Health Science and Human Service.

This certificate is offered in cooperation with the Department of Public Health and Homeland Security in UT's College of Medicine, and with UT's Center for Successful Aging.

UT's Center for Successful Aging is committed to providing quality educational and research services to older adults and their families. To learn more about the Center for Successful Aging go to: www.hsc.utoledo.edu/csa. To explore creating an Elder Law *Track* within the Center's Graduate Certificate in Contemporary Gerontological Practice, contact:

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Do you...

- Want a better understanding of the unique legal rights and responsibilities related to older adults?
 - Have a desire to increase your knowledge about elder health law and ethical issues?
 - Aspire to enhance your current credentials or develop expertise in gerontological practice?
 - Have an active life and find it difficult to take traditional, on-campus graduate courses?
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If you answered yes to any of these questions, the on-line Graduate Certificate in **Elder Law** at The University of Toledo may be for you!

The Graduate Certificate in **Elder Law** at The University of Toledo covers contemporary legal issues in gerontology and geriatrics. The certificate will prepare individuals for working with older adults and their families in today's health care environment.

A unique feature of the Graduate Certificate in **Elder Law** is the delivery system. Recognizing that individuals continually balance personal and professional responsibilities, the **Elder Law** Certificate can be completed in just two semesters.

The five course sequence is offered totally online. Courses are accessible "24/7" through distance education methods over the Internet. At the end of the program, a guided study will provide an opportunity to concentrate on Elder Law topics that the student would like to further explore. In conjunction with faculty, the student will decide the topic of the guided study; and will develop working objectives and a timeline.

Requirements

Students are admitted for the Summer semester. Application deadline is April 30 for Summer admission. To be considered for admission into the program, a candidate must:

- Hold a bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university with a minimum 3.0 undergraduate grade point average. Official transcripts are required,
- Submit two letters of recommendation, and
- Submit a completed online application form and the accompanying application fee.

Students who are currently enrolled in a graduate program at The University of Toledo may apply for entrance to the e-learning Graduate Certificate program by:

- Submitting an online application form and two letters of recommendation.
- The student must be in good standing in his or her current degree program.

For more information, go to the Elder Law website at:

<http://www.utoledo.edu/dl/programs/gerontology/elder-law.html>

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COURSE TITLE CREDIT HOURS

Semester I – Summer	
Legal Issues for the Elderly (LGL:6100) (Summer Session I)	3
Elder Health Law and Ethical Issues (LGL:6200) (Summer Session II)	3
Guided Study in Elder Law Topics (LGL:6980) (Summer Session III) (also offered in Fall and Spring semesters)	3
Semester II – Fall	
Health and Aging (GERO: 540)	3
Issues in Contemporary Gerontological Practice (GERO: 541)	3

2009 Summer Sessions:

*Summer Session I - May 18 to June 26, 2009
(6 weeks)*

*Summer Session II - June 29 to August 7, 2009
(6 weeks)*

*Summer Session III - June 15 to August 7, 2009
(8 weeks)*

2009 Fall Semester:

*August 24 to December 18, 2009
(15 weeks)*