

Sample textbooks for Social Gerontology (Sociology)

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Wallace, H. (1999). Elder abuse. Family violence: Legal, medical, and social perspectives (pp.237-257). Boston: Allyn and Bacon.

Sample Syllabi and Other Instructional Materials

Families in Mid and Later Life, Edited by M. Elise Radina. Syllabi, lesson plans, assignments, and book/media resources. Available by contacting (319)273-2401 or elise.radina@uni.edu

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