

Public Health & Aging - Spring'05

Images of Aging and Illness

CommuHealthSci 265 Tuesdays, 3-6pm CHS 71-257 E. Berkanovic, Ph.D.
Critically examines ways in which the aged are or have been imagined as well as the images the aged hold of themselves. Students will better understand the images of the aged they hold, the images that serve various professional and commercial interests in society, and the images the aged themselves use to make sense out of their experiences. More info at EBerkanovic@bgerber.com

Cardiovascular Epidemiology

Epi 240 Wednesdays, 12-2pm CHS 61-235 N. Wong, Ph.D.
Includes definition, pathogenesis, descriptive epidemiology, magnitude of risk factors, strategies for prevention, lipoprotein metabolism, and epidemiology of diabetes, hypertension, and chronic lung disease. More info at ndwong@uci.edu

Health Policy and the Elderly

CommuHlthSci 291 Wednesdays, Noon-3pm CHS 61-235 S. Wallace, Ph.D.
Examines current controversies involving health policy for older persons. Provides an analytic framework for examining the forces that propel and retard reform of the health care system and provides basic policy analysis tools. More info at Swallace@ucla.edu

Medicare Reform

HealthSvgs M252 Tuesdays, 9-noon PublPolicyBldg 4320B M. Peterson, Ph.D.
Analyzes problems with the Medicare program and develops specific options for reforming features of the program to accommodate coming pressures generated by the retirement of the baby-boom generation. More info at markap@ucla.edu