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Linking Gerontology & Geriatrics:

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Dear Friends and Colleagues,

We are honored to host two events focused on aging rural Oklahoman's needs. You are invited to attend these two evidence-based activities.

Workshop

Grandparent Rearing Grandchildren: Expectations and Experiences

February 18, 2012 • 8:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.

432 Human Sciences, Oklahoma State University
Stillwater, OK

Conference

Addressing, Ethics, Disaster & Well-Being in Rural Communities

June 1, 2012 • 8 a.m. – 6 p.m. (reception following)

June 2, 2012 • 7:30 a.m. – 6 p.m.

Wes Watkins Center, Oklahoma State University
Stillwater, OK

Target Audiences: These events are focused on rural health care providers and other professionals working with older adults. These events are open to the public.

Learning Objectives: Participants will be able to (a) identify the links between Gerontology and Geriatrics; and (b) apply evidence-based information to enhance the best practices or fill professional practice gaps of individuals working with older adults.

Your support and positive feedback from the June 25, 2011 Conference, *Linking Gerontology & Geriatrics: Focusing on Rural Communities* helped us to design the 2012 activities. Thank you.

Join us this year and spread the word!



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Additionally, we also include free online resources for your references. Please use hyperlinks below.

Resources for Grandparents

[Alaska Grandparents Visitation Rights](#)

[Grandparent Visitation Rights](#)

[Grandparents Rearing Grandchildren \(GRG\)](#)

Resources for Disaster Preparedness

[Checklist for Disaster Preparedness](#)

[Disaster Series for Older Adults, Part 1](#)

[Disaster Series for Older Adults, Part 2](#)

OKGEC Webinars

[Kathy Thomas](#)

[Brenda Phillips](#)

[Tammy Henderson](#)

NOTE: All links should bring you directly to each document in PDF format or as online videos.

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