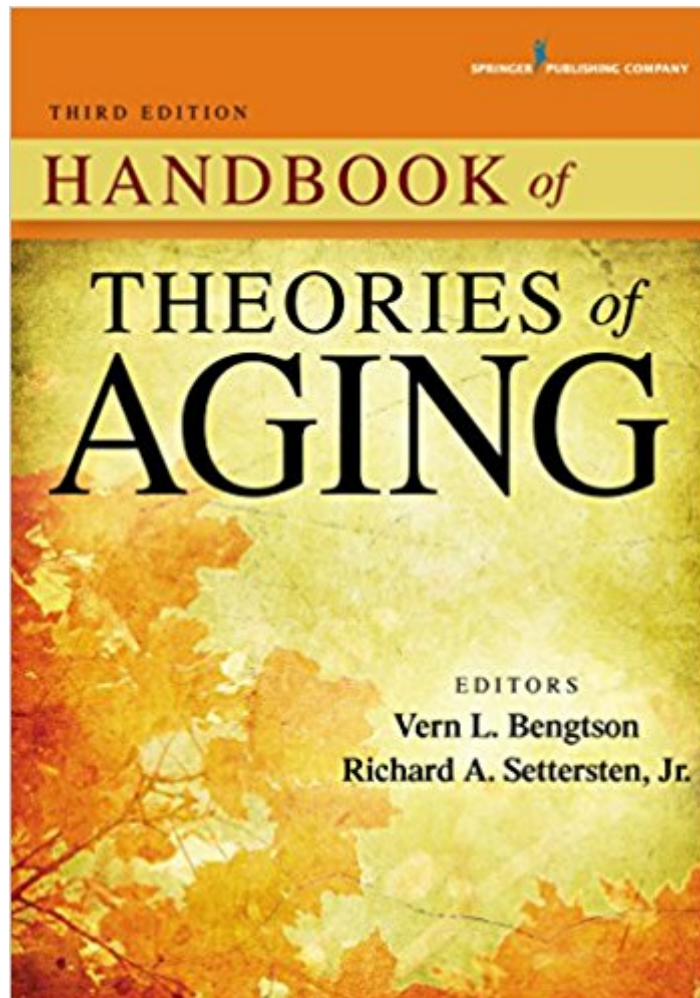




Ebook Directory
the best source of ebook

The book was found

Handbook Of Theories Of Aging, Third Edition



Synopsis

This state-of-the-art handbook will keep researchers and practitioners in gerontology abreast of the newest theories and models of aging. With virtually all new contributors and content, this edition contains 35 chapters by the most highly respected luminaries in the field. It addresses theories and concepts built on cumulative knowledge in four disciplinary areas—biology, psychology, social sciences, and policy and practice—as well as landmark advances in trans-disciplinary science. With its explicit focus on theory, the handbook is unique in providing essential knowledge about primary explanations for aging, spanning from cells to societies. The chapters in the third edition place a strong emphasis on the future of theory development, assessing the current state of theories and providing a roadmap for how theory can shape research, and vice versa, in years to come. Many chapters also address connections between theories and policy or practice. Each set of authors has been asked to consider how theories in their area address matters of diversity and inequalities in aging, and how theories might be revised or tested with these matters in mind. The third edition also contains a new section, "Standing on the Shoulders of Giants," which includes personal essays by senior gerontologists who share their perspectives on the history of ideas in their fields, and on their experiences with the process and prospects of developing good theory.

Hallmarks of the Third Edition: Highlights important gains in trans-disciplinary theories of aging

Emphasizes the future of theory development Provides insights on theory development from living legends in gerontology Examines what human diversity and inequality mean for aging theories

Emphasizes interconnections between theory, research, intervention, and policy Underscores international issues with greater representation of international authors Includes section introductions by the editors and associate editors that summarize theoretical developments

Key Features: Highlights variability and diversity in aging processes, from the cellular level of biological aging to the societal level of public policy Provides insights on theory development from living legends in gerontology

Book Information

Paperback: 752 pages

Publisher: Springer Publishing Company; 3 edition (May 19, 2016)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 0826129420

ISBN-13: 978-0826129420

Product Dimensions: 7 x 1.7 x 10 inches

Shipping Weight: 3 pounds (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: 5.0 out of 5 stars 2 customer reviews

Best Sellers Rank: #110,017 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #38 in Books > Textbooks > Medicine & Health Sciences > Medicine > Clinical > Geriatrics #51 in Books > Medical Books > Medicine > Internal Medicine > Geriatrics #60 in Books > Politics & Social Sciences > Social Sciences > Gerontology

Customer Reviews

Vern L. Bengtson, PhD, is AARP/university professor of gerontology emeritus and research professor, Edward R. Roybal Institute on Aging, School of Social Work, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, California. A senior statesman in gerontology, Bengtson is a world-recognized expert on the sociology of the life course, family sociology, social psychology, ethnicity and aging. He has been elected as president of the Gerontological Society of America and has been granted two MERIT awards for research from the National Institutes of Health. He has written or edited 17 books and published more than 260 research papers. Early in his career, Bengtson started the Longitudinal Study of Generations, a multigeneration and multidisciplinary investigation of families, aging, and social change, which now is in its 45th year of data collection from more than 350 multigenerational families. He has received research awards from the Gerontological Society of America, the American Sociological Association, the American Psychological Association, the National Council on Family Relations, and the Society for the Scientific Study of Religion. As the lead editor on the two prior editions of the Handbook of Theories of Aging, and coeditor of the book that preceded them, Emergent Theories of Aging, Dr. Bengtson has led the charge to transform gerontology into a field that is rich in both data and theories. Richard A. Settersten, Jr., PhD, is Professor of Social and Behavioral Health Sciences, Oregon State University, where he is also Endowed Director of the Hallie E. Ford Center for Healthy Children and Families and a member of the Center for Healthy Aging Research. Dr. Settersten is Editor of numerous books and journal issues. His research spans multiple periods of the life course (especially early adulthood and late life) and multiple levels of analysis (from genomics to demography). A fellow of the Gerontological Society of America, Dr. Settersten has played leadership roles in the GSA as well as the American Sociological Association. His recent co-edited book (with J. Angel), the Handbook of Sociology of Aging, won the 2012 Outstanding Publication Award of the American Sociological Association's Section on Aging and the Life Course. The MacArthur Foundation as well as multiple divisions of the National Institutes of Health have

supported his research. He has also participated in activities of the National Academy of Science/National Research Council/Institute on Medicine panels on the health and wellbeing of young adults, and on new directions in social demography, social epidemiology, and sociology of aging.

I loved this online preview option!Cheryl

Good book to read for class. The book that I received was just what I read in the description when purchasing it. Thank you.

[Download to continue reading...](#)

Anti Aging: The Best Anti Aging Beauty Products, Anti Aging Medicines and Anti Aging Skin Care Treatments to Make You Look and Feel Younger (Anti Aging, ... Secrets, Anti Aging Diet, Beauty Products) 10 Years Younger: Breakthrough Antioxidants That Reverse The Aging Process, Diminish Wrinkles And Help You Lose Weight For Good! (Anti-Aging, Anti Aging, ... Superfoods, Aging, Wrinkles, Anti Wrinkle) Handbook of Theories of Aging, Third Edition Anti Aging Essentials, Secrets and Tips: Your Midlife Encyclopedia, Improve Diet, Exercise, Skin (Look and Feel Younger, (Anti Aging Secrets, Anti Aging Diet) Third Eye: Third Eye Activation Mastery, Easy And Simple Guide To Activating Your Third Eye Within 24 Hours (Third Eye Awakening, Pineal Gland Activation, Opening the Third Eye) Handbook of Aging and the Social Sciences, Eighth Edition (Handbooks of Aging) Handbook of Theories of Aging Five Nights at Freddy's - The Theories Collection: Learn all of the secrets of Freddy Fazbear's Pizza, with dozens of theories and notes from FNAF experts! Theories of Personality (PSY 235 Theories of Personality) Personality Theories Workbook (PSY 235 Theories of Personality) Gauge Theories in Particle Physics, Vol. 2: Non-Abelian Gauge Theories: QCD and the Electroweak Theory (Volume 1) Nursing Theories and Nursing Practice (Parker, Nursing Theories and Nursing Practice) Philosophies And Theories For Advanced Nursing Practice (Butts, Philosophies and Theories for Advanced Nursing Practice) Middle Range Theories: Application to Nursing Research (Peterson, Middle Range Theories) Aging: Theories and Potential Therapies (New Biology) Aging Backwards: Reverse the Aging Process and Look 10 Years Younger in 30 Minutes a Day Take on Aging as a Sport: The Athletic Approach to Aging The Merck Manual of Health & Aging: The comprehensive guide to the changes and challenges of aging-for older adults and those who care for and about them Aging with Grace: What the Nun Study Teaches Us about Leading Longer, Healthier, and More Meaningful Lives [AGING W/GRACE] Pressure Ulcers in the Aging Population: A Guide for Clinicians (Aging Medicine)

Contact Us

DMCA

Privacy

FAQ & Help