

Wilk: Sorrentino's Canadian Textbook for the Support Worker, 5th Edition

Chapter 31: Growth and Development

Objectives

After reading this chapter, the learner should be able to do the following:

- Understand the principles of growth and development.
- Explain Piaget's stages of cognitive development.
- Describe Erikson's developmental stages.
- Explain how understanding Maslow's hierarchy of needs applies to support work.
- Identify the stages of growth and development and the normal age ranges for each stage.
- Identify the developmental tasks for each age group.
- Describe the normal and typical growth and development for each age group.
- development/growth stage
- developmental task
- reflex
- puberty
- menarche
- menopause
- developmental tasks for each age group/infancy/toddlerhood/preschool/middle childhood/late childhood/adolescence/young adulthood/middle adulthood/late adulthood