Record Nr. UNINA9910828012103321 Autore Youdin Robert Titolo Clinical gerontological social work practice / / Robert Youdin; acquisitions editor, Sheri W. Sussman; production editor, Shelby Peak Pubbl/distr/stampa New York, New York: ,: Springer Publishing Company, , 2014 ©2014 **ISBN** 0-8261-2992-7 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (45 p.) Disciplina 362.6 Soggetti Social work with older people - United States Older people - Mental health services - United States Mental illness - United States Older people - Care - United States Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Description based upon print version of record. Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di contenuto Part I. Overview of theories, assessment techniques, and treatment approaches to the older adult client -- Part II. Specialized problems and orientations in gerontological social work practice. Sommario/riassunto Written by an expert in gerontological social work and curriculum development, this book provides a wealth of clinical information for social workers and other health care professionals who counsel older adults. It describes a strengths-based, empowerment approach to treatment that integrates theory, technique, advocacy, and social policy, and encompasses the tenets of human rights. The book's content has been tested in the classroom setting for a three-year period with advanced social work undergraduate and graduate

students. The book examines various theories of aging including a

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