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APPLY TO THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION FOR
APPROVAL OF THE LESS THAN ONE-YEAR CAREER
PATHWAY CERTIFICATE IN GERONTOLOGY
PROFESSIONAL FOR PORTLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE

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REPORT: The proposed Less Than One-Year Career Pathway Certificate in Gerontology Professional is designed to prepare students who wish to work in the field of gerontology. This 41-credit certificate will combine the existing Gerontology Advocacy, End of Life Care and Support, and Advanced Behavioral Cognitive Care certificates into one new Gerontology Professional Less Than One-Year Career Pathway certificate.

RECOMMENDATION: That the College be authorized to submit an application to the Higher Education Coordinating Commission for the Less Than One-Year Career Pathway Certificate in Gerontology Professional for Portland Community College.