

Benefits of Collaboration with the Department of Family, Consumer, and Human Development

Impact of Department

- $\frac{3}{4}$ of Extension submitted grants last year were in FCHD (7.8 million funded 14-15 fiscal year)
- 90 graduate students- PhD average 4-8 publications- highly skilled workforce
- Faculty average 4 peer reviewed publications per year
- 2 Extension specialists
- Most faculty have some type of outreach program

Age?

- Birth to Death and all points in between
 - Parent-child attachment
 - Adolescents-
 - Sports
 - Cell phones
 - Identity
 - Gerontology
 - Alzheimer's prevention
 - Intergenerational relationships

Content Areas

- Family Stress
- Stepfamilies
- Marriage
- Parenting
- Sports

Interventions?

- Reading and Math for Young Children
- Financial problems
- Caregiver interventions
- Intergenerational relationships
- Relationship checkups
- Marriage and Family Therapy (telehealth)
- Family Farms

Recent National Press

- Social media and marriage
- Sports and the family
- Alzheimer's prevention
- Finance and family relationships
- Health impacts for caregivers
- Early childhood
 - Reading
 - Interactions with depressed mothers

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