

Learning Goals

Chapter 4: Development Across the Lifespan



How Does Development Happen in the Womb?

- 4.1 Summarize prenatal development.
- 4.2 Explain how teratogens affect prenatal development.

How Do Infants and Children Develop?

- 4.3 Summarize brain, motor, and sensory development in infants and children.
- 4.4 Explain the process of attachment.
In addition, describe the different attachment styles.
- 4.5 Summarize the four stages of cognitive development.
- 4.6 Summarize the five stages of language development.

How Do Adolescents Develop?

- 4.7 Explain how the body and brain change during adolescence.
- 4.8 Explain the processes that contribute to the social and emotional development of adolescents.
- 4.9 Explain the role that peers play in development.
- 4.10 Summarize the development of moral reasoning.

How Do Adults Develop?

- 4.11 Explain the rationale for viewing ages 18-25 as a period of emerging adulthood.
- 4.12 Summarize changes in body and cognition during adulthood.
- 4.13 Summarize social and emotional processes during adult aging.

In addition, you should be able to give examples and elaborate on the major concepts from the chapter.