



Anthropology of Aging: A Partially Annotated Bibliography (Hardback)

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ABC-CLIO, United States, 1991. Hardback. Book Condition: New. New.. 234 x 160 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. During the 1970s, Comparative Cultural Gerontology or the Anthropology of Aging, with its focus on aging from a cross-cultural perspective, attained the status of a new speciality in the field of anthropology. It was only in the late 1960s to the mid-70s that elderly people and the process of aging became recognized as a bona fide research topic for anthropology. Majorie M. Schweitzer s Anthropology of Aging looks at aging from this cross-cultural perspective and updates the Association for Anthropology and Gerontology s previously published Topical Bibliography and the Supplement to the Topical Bibliography on the Anthropology of Aging. Schweitzer focuses on citations that represent anthropological perspectives and/or cross-cultural data, with data from other disciplines included when warranted. Besides a greatly expanded number of bibliographical references, Schweitzer s work includes annotations for particularly important citations including those that address special issues, such as method and theory as they relate to aging, and those that provide the clearest treatment of a particular topic. The topical outline of the 1982 volume has been retained with only minor additions and...



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