The “Physiotherapy in Gerontology (PHT554)” is one of the core courses offered by the Centre for Physiotherapy Studies of the Faculty of Health Sciences, Puncak Alam Campus.

One of the teaching strategies is to provide a platform for students to apply the theory and practical skills that were taught in class to elderly population by embracing a community engagement program for older people. The novelty of this process includes learning beyond the classroom setting/real-life setting, community partnership and inter- and intra-disciplinary teamwork.

Students used technology to communicate with potential participants and to deliver the program. For the year 2021, the implementation of the program was crafted based on a motto that is “Menyantuni Warga Emas kearah Penuaan Sihat”. The final assessment fulfilled the domain of the Ministry of Higher Education (MOHE) on leadership, the 8th program learning outcome (PLO8) and based on a written report and oral presentation.