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Report of Licensing Requirements for Professional Psychologists PsyD 2020

The information in this report has been compiled by the Hawaii Pacific University's Psychology Department in order to help students and applicants in the Doctorate of Clinical Psychology program become informed about state licensure requirements for professional psychologists.

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State	Education Requirements	Post-Doctoral Internship	Psychologist Exam	Application Process
<p>Alabama</p> <p>Alabama's psychologists are licensed by the Alabama Board of Examiners in Psychology (http://www.psychology.state.al.us). A candidate must pursue doctoral-level education and achieve passing scores on both a national board examination and a state jurisprudence examination. Most psychological specializations require a postdoctoral internship.</p>	<p>A candidate must earn a doctoral degree from a psychology school or department that holds acceptable accreditation. Generally this means full or provisional accreditation by the American Psychological Association (APA). Other U.S. psychology programs may be acceptable if they are housed in regionally accredited institutions and meet an extensive set of requirements set by the Alabama Board. (Canadian programs should be housed in schools that are in good standing with the Association of Universities and Colleges of Canada.)</p>	<p>Clinical and counseling psychology internships must be at least 11 months; school psychology internships must be at least 10 months. A candidate may do one internship or a combination of two internships.</p> <p>Any internship that is accredited by the American Psychological Association or its Canadian counterpart, the Canadian Psychological Association, is considered to meet the requirements of the Alabama Board. Other internships may be acceptable if they meet a rigorous set of standards. The internship must be an organized training experience and not merely a supervised work experience.</p>	<p>Alabama utilizes the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPS) as a licensing examination. A candidate handbook is available through the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (http://c.ymcdn.com/sites/www.asppb.net/resource/resmgr/EPPP_IFC.pdf).</p> <p>Candidates must wait for the Alabama Board to determine their qualifications before scheduling an examination. The test is administered via computer at Prometric centers around the country.</p> <p>Candidates must also pass a state jurisprudence test, the Professional Standards Examination (PSE). Exams are scheduled on weekday mornings in Montgomery. The PSE covers the APA code of ethics as well as applicable Alabama laws. A candidate may request a copy of the code of ethics from the APA.</p> <p>A candidate who fails either</p>	<p>A candidate should request the application packet by sending his or her address to the email address found on the main page of the Board site (http://www.psychology.state.al.us). An examination application will be included with the licensing application.</p> <p>The candidate will need four references from psychologists. One of these should be from an academic source (director, chairperson, or dissertation advisor). If the applicant has done an internship in an applied branch of psychology, at least one reference should come from the supervisor or training director. If the applicant has already practiced at the professional level, at least one reference should come from a supervisor or professional colleague.</p> <p>Transcripts must be certified by a school official.</p> <p>The Board reviews application packets every</p>

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			the board examination or jurisprudence examination will need to wait six months before making another attempt.	other month. In order for an application to be reviewed at the next meeting, all materials must be received by the first of the month on odd-numbered months. The Board notes that frequently several months pass between the time the application is sent and the time the license is granted.
<p>Alaska</p> <p>Alaska's psychologists are licensed by the Board of Psychologist and Psychological Associate Examiners. Full licensure as a psychologist is granted after a candidate completes a doctoral degree, passes a licensing examination, and works under supervision for a year. Temporary licenses are granted to candidates who have fulfilled most requirements, but need to complete their post-doctoral requirements.</p> <p>Candidates who have completed master's degrees and met other requirements set by the Board may be licensed as psychological associates.</p>	<p>A prospective psychologist must complete a doctoral program through a regionally accredited university. The program must include, at minimum, three years of full-time study (or the equivalent). At least one year must be done in residency.</p> <p>The student should select a field of psychology corresponding to his or her intended area of practice. The Board recognizes clinical psychology, counseling psychology, and other specialties that they may "deem equivalent". (School psychologists have a separate credentialing process.)</p> <p>The following coursework is required:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Psychology 	<p>A year of postdoctoral supervised experience is required in a field of psychology that corresponds to the graduate's education. The minimum requirement is 1,500 hours. Part-time or full-time work is acceptable; the candidate may work between 20 and 40 hours a week. The requirement may be met in ten to 24 months; the time frame may also be extended, at Board discretion, for good cause.</p> <p>Internships that are accredited by the American Psychological Association (APA) are deemed acceptable; other training experiences must meet regulations set by the Alaska Board.</p> <p>At least half of the credited experience is to be direct service; at least half of the</p>	<p>Alaska utilizes the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP) for licensure purposes. Candidates must receive permission from the Alaska Board by submitting applications and required documents.</p> <p>The examination is administered in Alaska in Anchorage, but candidates can opt to schedule at another Prometric Center in the United States or Canada. Registration information will be sent once the application has been approved. Examinations are scheduled on an ongoing basis, but candidates are advised to schedule as soon as they are authorized as slots do fill. Candidates who want answers to frequently answered or wish to see an outline of examination</p>	<p>Application packets are to be turned in before post-doctoral supervised practice commences. The application is available for download. It includes health and professional fitness questions; some answers may require a doctor's statement or other supporting evidence. A recent photograph (showing head and shoulders) is to be attached to the application.</p> <p>A candidate will need five reference letters, one of them from a member of the doctoral committee and at least two from psychologists. Undergraduate and graduate transcripts are required.</p> <p>There is an application fee of \$75 and a credential review fee of \$100. The state laws and rules examination costs \$50, and the national</p>

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	<p>methodology and history: This coursework must include history and systems, research methodology, data analysis, and measurement.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Foundations in psychology: This coursework should cover biological, cognitive-affective, and social bases of behavior as well as individual differences and knowledge and application of ethical principles. ● Practicum: This should include relevant lab work. ● Pre-doctoral internship: The 	<p>direct service must be in a face-to-face format. At least 80% of supervision is to be provided by a psychologist. The remaining supervision may be provided by a psychiatrist, social worker, marriage and family therapist, counselor, or psychological associate, provided the supervisor is qualified in the supervisee's specialty.</p> <p>While accruing supervised experience, the psychologist will work under a temporary license.</p>	<p>content may visit the site of the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (http://www.asppb.net/?page=FAQs).</p> <p>Candidates must also pass a state laws and rules examination. It is scheduled four times a year at locations in Anchorage, Fairbanks, and Juneau. The Division will provide a study packet, upon request, to applicants who have been approved to sit for the examination. Upcoming examination dates are posted on the Board site. A candidate should submit the application 45 days prior to a scheduled Board meeting in order to be scheduled for the next available examination.</p>	<p>licensing examination, \$600 – this fee is paid to the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (ASPPB). There will be an additional small fee due to the company that runs the computerized testing sites. The temporary license is \$150. There will be a \$775 licensing fee for the permanent license, but it does not have to be submitted until licensing requirements have been met. A candidate who is in default on an educational loan or arrears on child support may be issued a temporary licensed, good for 150 days; the licensee must remedy the situation before a permanent license can be issued.</p>
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	<p>pre-doctoral internship must include at least 1,500 hours of experience.</p> <p>A student who completes a doctoral degree but lacks one or two required courses may make them up by enrolling in an appropriate institution of higher learning.</p>			
<p>Arizona</p> <p>Arizona psychologists are licensed by the Arizona Board of Psychologist Examiners. A psychologist candidate must earn a doctoral degree, complete an internship, and pass a national board examination.</p>	<p>A prospective psychologist may earn a doctoral degree in clinical psychology, counseling psychology, school psychology, or another branch of applied psychology deemed acceptable by the Arizona Board. Doctoral programs that are accredited by the American Psychological Association (APA) are considered to meet all requirements. Other programs are acceptable if they meet standards published by the Board.</p> <p>Graduate study must take place at a regionally accredited university and must take the equivalent of at least three academic years. There must be a sequential</p>	<p>Arizona requires that licensees have at least 3,000 total hours of supervised experience, at least 1,500 of them in a formal internship or equivalent training program. If the internship program is not APA-accredited and is not a member of the Association of Psychology and Postdoctoral Internship Centers, it must meet an extensive set of requirements established by the Arizona Board.</p> <p>The training must be planned in such a way that it provides sufficient depth and breadth. There must be at least two on-site psychologists available as supervisors. There must be one hour of direct supervision for every 2</p>	<p>Arizona requires candidates to take the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP). A candidate must apply to the Board to receive authorization to take the exam. Once approved, the candidate will need to register with the organization that develops and oversees the examination. A \$600 fee will be assessed at that time. After registering, the candidate will receive an ATT. This will allow the individual to schedule an exam at the computerized testing site of his or her choice; testing must take place within the 60-day window granted by the ATT.</p> <p>Candidates may submit</p>	<p>Applications and supplemental documents are available on the Board site. Applicants who did not complete APA-accredited programs will fill out course worksheets and include course catalog descriptions to assist the Board in determining course content. Internship must be verified. If the internship was accredited by the APA or a member of the APPIC, this is a quick process.</p> <p>The application itself is to be notarized and submitted with a 1 ½ by 2 recent photograph and a fee of \$350. The applicant will need to provide evidence of U.S. citizenship or other legal status. The following are to be sent</p>

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	<p>psychology program that includes assessments. The candidate must write and defend a dissertation or do some project judged by the Arizona Board to be equivalent.</p> <p>The following content must be covered in the program:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Professional and scientific standards and ethics ● Research methods and statistics ● Biological basis of behavior ● Social basis of behavior ● Cognitive-affective basis of behavior ● Individual differences ● Treatment modalities ● Ethics <p>An applicant is expected to have at least the equivalent of one three semester hour course in each required content area. The comprehensive examination may satisfy one core requirement. Candidates who</p>	<p>0 hours. There must be two hours of additional learning experiences each week.</p> <p>It is acceptable to credit more than 1,500 hours of formal internship. The remaining hours may be some combination of pre-internship or postdoctoral supervised practice. Any credited pre-internship must meet the standards set forth in 32-2071. (The Board notes that many states are not as flexible about the second 1,500 hours and cautions candidates who are planning to practice in other jurisdictions to check regulations elsewhere.)</p> <p>An Arizona candidate may credit no more than 1,500 hours of post-doctoral supervised professional experience. At least 600 hours must be spent in direct client contact. The trainee will have a supervisor who has been credentialed for at least two years. At least one hour of individual supervision will be provided for every 20 hours of professional experience.</p>	<p>applications to the Arizona Board when they have completed at least 1,500 hours of internship (half the total experience requirement). A candidate who applies after completing only the first 1,500 hours must complete supervision requirements within 36 months.</p> <p>Candidates who have previously passed the examination in another jurisdiction may request scores from the EPPP Score Transfer Service. A candidate who fails three examination attempts in any jurisdiction must devise a remedial plan.</p>	<p>directly to the Board by third parties: references, official transcripts.</p> <p>The Board must receive a licensing application 14 days before a scheduled meeting in order to have it placed on the agenda.</p>
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	<p>are deficient in one or two courses will be allowed to make them up as non matriculated university students.</p>			
<p>Arkansas</p> <p>The Arkansas Psychology Board (http://psychologyboard.arkansas.gov/Pages/default.aspx) licenses the state's psychologists and psychologist examiners. Psychologist examiners, who have education at the master's level, can perform some services independently -- the Board will stop issuing new licenses at this level, though, at the end of 2013.</p> <p>Psychologists have doctoral degrees and, in most cases, have completed post-doctoral practice and passed a licensing exam. (Arkansas allows unlicensed doctors of psychology to refer to themselves as "psychologists" when performing a limited number of nonclinical activities, for example, conducting research or delivering lectures, under conditions set forth in Chapter 97 of the</p>	<p>A prospective psychologist must earn a doctoral degree in psychology from a regionally accredited university. Programs that are not accredited by the American Psychological Association (APA) or the Canadian Psychological Association (CPA) must meet similar standards.</p> <p>Click Here to learn more about psychology education options based on your current educational attainment.</p> <p>Students must complete the equivalent of at least three years of graduate study, with at least one year spent in residency. There must be substantive coursework in each of the following core areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Individual difference ● Psycho-affective basis of behavior ● Biological basis of 	<p>In order to achieve full licensure, the candidate will need at least two years of professional experience. At least 2,000 hours must be earned after the doctoral degree is granted.</p> <p>A student is allowed to begin a pre-doctoral internship after completing two years of graduate study. If the internship program is not APA-accredited, it is subject to standards set by the Arkansas Board. A student may complete the internship in one full-time year or two part-time years; however, two hours a week of supervision will be required in either case. There must be two hours a week of additional learning activities (for example, group supervision, seminars, or case conferences).</p> <p>The post-doctoral supervised experience may be accomplished in 50 40-hour work weeks. Part-time work is acceptable if it is</p>	<p>Psychology candidates must pass both national and state examinations. The first step is to take the national licensing examination, the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP). After approval has been granted by the state licensing agency, the candidate submits registration to the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards. A \$600 fee is assessed. The candidate may schedule a computerized exam at the Prometric center that is most convenient.</p> <p>Successful candidates are then scheduled by the Arkansas Board for an interview/ oral examination.</p> <p>Although the examination is required for provisional licensure, candidates may begin supervised practice after their status as applicants has been officially acknowledged by the Arkansas Board.</p>	<p>Applications for first-time licensure should be requested from the Board; there is a form available for this purpose. It can be downloaded by clicking here. Some supplemental materials and forms are available on the Board site (http://psychologyboard.arkansas.gov/forms/Pages/Provisional-Licensees.aspx). The board considers applications on a monthly basis; they must be received by the first of the month.</p> <p>A candidate must have a background check performed by the Department of Arkansas State Police. There is a \$19.25 charge for the state check and a \$25 charge for the FBI check.</p>

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<p>state's code).</p> <p>A psychologist may work under a provisional license while fulfilling post-degree supervised practice requirements</p>	<p>behavior</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social basis of behavior <p>In addition, candidates must have instruction in statistics and psychometrics, research methods and design, and scientific and professional standards (including ethics). The program should provide education and training in the areas of psychology that the student intends eventually to practice (though additional competencies may be developed at a later stage). When it is time to apply for licensure, the Board will require a statement of intent with areas of competency checked.</p> <p>The Board notes that since the psychology license is generic, the statement is important in identifying what the psychologist can actually perform. The Board will look for the equivalent of one three semester hour course that is related to each of the areas of competency that are marked as 'independent level'; supervised practice will also be considered.</p> <p>A prospective neuropsychologist should select a program that will</p>	<p>pre-approved by the Board. Unlicensed practitioners will use titles like "resident" that communicate their status to the public. A provisional licensee must meet face-to-face with an approved supervisor for individual supervision at least one hour per week. The supervisor must have a statement of intent on file that is consistent with the supervisee's. The provisional licensee is subject to quarterly and annual reports.</p>		
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	provide a "clinically relevant" internship.			
<p>California</p> <p>California's psychologists are licensed by the Board of Psychology (http://www.psychboard.ca.gov). Licensure is based on attaining a doctoral degree, passing state and national licensing examinations, and completing a year of supervised practice.</p>	<p>Prospective psychologists may pursue doctoral degrees in psychology or educational psychology through accredited institutions.</p> <p>California requires the following coursework, which may not be included in the basic program:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● human sexuality (10 contact hours) ● substance abuse (15 contact hours) ● spousal abuse (15 contact hours) ● child abuse (7 contact hours) ● aging/ long-term care (10 contact hours) <p>Supplemental California coursework may be completed online provided it meets the requirements in the state code.</p> <p>A person may be licensed as a psychological assistant</p>	<p>A candidate will need a total of at least 3,000 hours of supervised experience; up to 1,500 hours of pre-doctoral experience may be counted.</p> <p>Candidates must make sure they are working lawfully while earning experience hours. Formal internships are acceptable if they are accredited by the American Psychological Association or are members of the California Psychology Internship Council or the Association of Psychology Postdoctoral and Internship Centers.</p> <p>If a candidate is not working at an exempt setting (such as a university) and has not been granted a waiver by the Department of Mental Health, he or she must hold a state credential while accruing experience hours.</p> <p>The 'registered psychologist' credential is a 30-month credential designed to allow the candidate to work at a qualifying nonprofit community agency while accruing hours. In order to qualify, an agency must receive at least ¼ of its</p>	<p>Candidates must pass both state and national licensing examinations. The Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP) may be attempted once the doctoral degree has been granted and the first 1,500 hours of supervised experience earned. The test is computerized and offered at sites throughout the nation. The Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (ASPPB) currently charges \$600. A candidate handbook can be downloaded from the ASPPB site.</p> <p>Candidates who took and passed the EPPP in another jurisdiction should have their scores sent directly from the ASPPB to the California Board.</p> <p>The California Supplemental Psychology Examination (CSPE) is not taken until after all 3,000 experience hours have been earned. The exam is administered by computer and is available on an ongoing basis, though candidates must first receive authorization by the</p>	<p>Applications may be submitted online (https://www.breeze.ca.gov/) or downloaded and mailed. Applicants must submit transcripts from all institutions where they took graduate coursework. There is a nonrefundable \$40 application fee; this is separate from testing fees and licensure fees.</p> <p>The Board asks that candidates become familiar with California laws and regulations before submitting applications. These are available online and can also be obtained in print form from the Board for a \$10 fee.</p> <p>Military spouses and legal domestic partners are eligible for expedited licensing.</p>

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	<p>after a master's degree has been conferred. This status can be held for only six years.</p>	<p>funding from the government. Psychologists who are earning hours through this pathway must have a licensed psychologist (who is an employee of the agency) available at all times.</p> <p>A candidate who has been registration as a psychological assistant following the granting of a master's degree can work under this status while earning postdoctoral hours. It is also acceptable to apply for this status after the doctoral degree has been conferred. A psychological assistant will need an hour a week of direct supervision from a licensed psychologist or board certified psychiatrist; no fee may be charged for supervision. Annual registration renewal is required (at a rate of \$40 a year). The supervisor will submit a form certifying that the psychological assistant is performing at the level necessary to ensure patient safety. (The Board notes that supervisees should read and thoroughly understand regulations as hours are frequently denied.)</p> <p>A candidate may begin post-doctoral practice before the ceremonial awarding of</p>	<p>California Board. The fee is currently \$129. A candidate will find a testing bulletin, which includes a list of testing locations, on the Board site.</p> <p>A candidate who fails the CSPE must wait six months before retesting, but must do so within one year in order to prevent eligibility from lapsing.</p>	
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		<p>the degree, but will need evidence that requirements (administrative as well as substantive) were met.</p> <p>Supervised experience earned in another state, province, or U.S. territory may be counted, so long as the supervisor was duly licensed. Supervised experience that took place in other nations can be credited if it meets the standards on the level that California requires; however, the burden of proof is on the applicant.</p> <p>Supervised Experience for Psychologists Who Are Not Providing Mental Health Services Industrial-occupational psychologists, applied research psychologists, and other psychologists who do not provide mental health services must accrue the same number of hours in order to earn licensing. Supervision plans will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis.</p>		
<p>Colorado</p> <p>Colorado psychologists are regulated by the Colorado State Board of Psychologist</p>	<p>Colorado requires psychologists to have degrees from programs that are accredited by the American Psychological</p>	<p>Typically, an individual completes half of the supervised experience at the doctoral level through an accredited internship and half</p>	<p>Two examinations must be passed before a psychologist license can be issued. The Examination for the Professional Practice of</p>	<p>Candidates first come under Board jurisdiction when they have completed their degrees and are ready to begin post-doctoral practice.</p>

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<p>Examiners. Licensure as a psychologist requires at least three years of graduate level study, a year of post-doctoral supervised practice, and passing scores on state and national examinations.</p>	<p>Association (APA) or are judged substantially equivalent. To be considered equivalent, a program must be housed in a regionally accredited institution and be a recognizable entity with a full-time faculty and an identifiable body of degree-seeking students. There must be grading procedures in place. Graduate studies must comprise at least three years. The following content areas must be covered:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Individual differences (personality, development, abnormal behavior) ● Biological bases of behavior (neuropsychology, sensation and perception) ● Cognitive-affective bases of behavior (learning, thinking, emotion) ● Social bases of 	<p>afterward while credentialed by the state. Colorado refers to individuals who are completing postgraduate practice as "psychological candidates" or "provisional psychologists" (PSYs); the temporary practice permit is issued for four years.</p> <p>It is also acceptable to accrue hours while listed in the State Database of Registered Psychotherapists. This was the method when the state did not issue provisional licenses. The Board notes that graduates of non-APA programs, who have a lengthier review process, may wish to register as unlicensed psychotherapists so they can get started on their post-doctoral practice requirements.</p> <p>The psychological candidate must be under the supervision of a licensed psychologist while completing the 1,500 postdoctoral hours; however, a portion of the hours may be under the supervision of a board-certified psychiatrist. At least 75 hours of direct supervision must be provided (at least 50 of them individual).</p>	<p>Psychology (EPPP) is the national board examination. A candidate can be made eligible after completion of the doctoral degree and submission of initial documents to the Colorado Board. At this point, the candidate will receive information from Professional Examination Service about scheduling a computerized exam. Candidates should expect to pay a little over \$600 in examination fees. It may take four to six weeks for examination results to be known.</p> <p>The Colorado Mental Health Jurisprudence Examination covers mental health statutes, Board rules, confidentiality and privilege, prohibited activities, emergency procedures, and disciplinary provisions. The jurisprudence exam is available online for an \$18 fee. A candidate who does not pass will receive diagnostic information and be allowed to retest after a 10 day wait period.</p>	<p>Transcripts are to be included with the application in sealed envelopes. Educational equivalency documents, if required, are to be submitted in a PDF file. Click here to download the application.</p>
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	<p>behavior (organizational and systems theory, social psychology)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Diversity issues • Diagnosis and assessment • Effective treatment (supervision, consultation, evaluation of intervention efficacy) • Professional standards and ethics • Research methodology and design (data analysis, inferential statistics, program design) <p>In addition, the psychology program must include a practicum of at least 400 hours and an internship of at least 1,500 hours. The internship may be one full-time year or two part-time years; clinical psychology</p>	<p>Research and teaching may be counted toward the 1,500 hours. However, neither may comprise more than 500 hours. No more than 375 hours of experience may be under the supervision of a board-certified psychiatrist, and no more than 17.75 hours of direct supervision may be credited.</p> <p>Colorado expects training in racial and ethnic bases of behavior at the graduate level, but will accept academic coursework in lieu of this.</p> <p>Upon completion of postgraduate practice, the supervisor will submit a form verifying that the 1,500 hours were met and that the candidate performed at an acceptable level.</p>		
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	<p>internships are based on a calendar year while school psychology and counseling psychology programs may be based on either a calendar year or academic year. Internships that are not APA-accredited should be substantially equivalent.</p> <p>It is acceptable for particular content areas to be met through one course or through a combination of courses. However, the applicant will need to demonstrate that all got substantive coverage (the equivalent of three semester hours). Upon application, a graduate of a program not accredited by the APA will fill out a course worksheet, listing class titles and the number of quarter or semester hours under each content area. If it is not clear from the course titles that there was substantive coverage of the required content, additional materials may be required. The Board notes that the review process can take a few months.</p>			
<p>Connecticut Connecticut's psychologists</p>	<p>The candidate may complete a doctoral program in clinical or applied psychology.</p>	<p>Connecticut requires candidates to do at least a year of supervised</p>	<p>After all supervised practice requirements have been met, the candidate can be</p>	<p>A link to the application form can be found in the licensing section of the DPH site</p>

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<p>are regulated by the Connecticut Board of Examiners of Psychologists, under the banner of the Department of Health (http://www.ct.gov/dph/cwp/vi ew.asp). In order to be licensed, a candidate must complete a qualifying doctoral degree program, work under supervision for at least one year, and pass two examinations.</p>	<p>The program is acceptable if it is accredited by the American Psychological Association (APA) or if it is housed in a regionally accredited institution and meets Connecticut's academic requirements. A qualifying program must comprise at least three years of academic study, at least one of which is completed in residence.</p> <p>The program must include at least 21 semester hours of coursework in the following content areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Biological bases of behavior ● Social bases of behavior ● Cognitive-affective bases of behavior ● Individual differences <p>Coursework in the above substantive areas must have a clinical or applied focus. Acceptable courses in</p>	<p>experience; internship is not credited. (Clinical psychology students typically do one year of formal internship as part of their doctoral degree.)</p> <p>An individual goes by the title "psychology resident" while working to meet the experience requirement. A resident may not be in private practice or receive fees directly from clients for services rendered. The resident is expected to work in a practice area that corresponds to practicum, internship, or other field training.</p> <p>The experience requirement may be satisfied in twelve months if the candidate works 35 hours per week for 46 weeks.</p> <p>A candidate has the option of taking up to 24 months to fulfill an 1,800 hour requirement; the candidate may not credit more than 40 hours a week.</p> <p>Every 40 hours requires three hours of supervision or consultation; at least one hour must be individual and face-to-face.</p> <p>Residents may file a form for pre-approval of experience hours</p>	<p>authorized to take the EPPP. State permission is required; Connecticut will send registration information once eligibility has been determined. The candidate must be prepared to remit \$600 upon registration. At this point, an ATT will be issued by the testing company. The ATT grants a 60-day eligibility window.</p> <p>The examination is administered via computer and may be taken at any authorized Prometric Testing Center. Connecticut requires a scaled score of 500. A candidate may download a candidate handbook from the site of the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (ASPPB); other study resources are also available (http://www.asppb.net).</p> <p>A Connecticut jurisprudence examination is also required. The examination is given six times a year. Upcoming examination dates can be found on the DPH site (http://www.ct.gov/dph/lib/dph/practitioner_licensing_and_investigations/plis/examschedule.pdf). In 2014, the exam will be given in January, March, May, July, September, and November;</p>	<p>(http://www.ct.gov/dph/cwp/vi ew.asp?a=3121&q=389550%20&dphNav_GID=1821). There is a \$565 application fee. The application must be notarized and submitted with a passport-type photograph.</p> <p>Transcripts should be sent to the DPH office in Hartford directly from the issuing institution.</p>
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	<p>'individual differences' could include human development, personality theory, and abnormal psychology. Examples of acceptable coursework in 'social bases of behavior' include group processes and organizational and systems theory.</p> <p>Additionally, the program must include at least six semester hours in scientific methods:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Research methodology and design ● Statistics and psychometrics <p>The program must include a year of practicum, internship, or other appropriate field experience.</p> <p>A graduate of a non-APA program will need to have the educational institution fill out a form verifying that the above requirements were met.</p> <p>A non-APA programs (if located within the United States) must be housed in an institution with one of the following accreditations:</p>	<p>(http://www.ct.gov/dph/cwp/vi ew.asp?a=3121&q=389552). While Connecticut does not mandate that a form be filed, candidates who do not do so run the risk of having experience disallowed. Most of the form is filled out by the supervisor.</p>	<p>registration deadlines are approximately six weeks earlier. Candidates may download study bulletins. A 72% (18 of 25) is considered passing.</p>	
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Middle States Commission on Higher Education • New England Association of Schools and Colleges • North Central Association of Colleges and Schools • Northwest Association of Colleges and Universities • Southern Association of Colleges and Schools • Western Association of Schools and Colleges <p>A graduate whose psychology doctorate does not meet specific coursework requirements can make up deficiencies by re-enrolling in an APA-accredited program.</p> <p>If an individual completes a doctoral degree in a branch of psychology that is not considered clinical or applied, they will need to complete an</p>			
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	<p>accredited respecialization program in order to be eligible for licensure in Connecticut.</p> <p>*A program is considered APA-accredited if it held full accreditation, held provisional (initial) accreditation and was progressing toward accreditation, or held probational accreditation and subsequently was again granted full accreditation.</p>			
<p>District of Columbia</p> <p>Psychologists in the District of Columbia are regulated by the Board of Psychology (http://doh.dc.gov/service/psychology-licensing). Licensure is based on education, examination, and supervised professional experience, as well as on evidence of good character.</p>	<p>Psychologists must have education at the doctoral level. In order to be acceptable, U.S. programs must be housed within schools that are accredited by agencies that are recognized by the Secretary of the United States Department of Education or the Council on Postsecondary Accreditation.</p> <p>Generally speaking, programs should be accredited by the American Psychological Association (APA) or listed by the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (ASPPB) or the National Register as meeting criteria for designation as</p>	<p>The prospective psychologist will need to accrue 4,000 hours of experience while working under supervision. At least 2,000 hours must be postdoctoral; up to 2,000 hours of pre-doctoral internship may be credited. A candidate who is completing 2,000 hours at the postdoctoral level will be expected to complete requirements in a period of one to two years. A candidate who is fulfilling all 4,000 hours at the postdoctoral level may have up to three years. In some instances, the Board may extend the time limits for good cause.</p> <p>A notification of supervised</p>	<p>A DC psychologist must pass a national board examination, the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP) and later, a local jurisprudence examination. The EPPP may be attempted once education is complete; a candidate may test while in the process of completing supervision requirements. DC has adopted, as the standard of passing, one-half a standard deviation below the nationwide mean score. Additional examination information is available on the ASPPB site (www.asppb.net).</p> <p>A candidate who fails the EPPP will be allowed to</p>	<p>Application materials are available on the Board site (http://doh.dc.gov/node/160242). Two passport-style photographs must be submitted with the application, as well as a copy of an ID. The candidate will need to list character references. Official transcripts will be required.</p> <p>A candidate submitting a first application pays a combined \$321.60 fee for application, licensure, and local examination. A candidate re-applying after examination failure pays \$119. (Additional fees will be due to the testing company if the EPPP must be retaken.)</p>

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	<p>psychology programs. Candidates who have already earned diplomas through the American Board of Professional Psychology (ABPP) will not be required to show that their degree program had program-level accreditation or designation.</p>	<p>practice is to be filed at least a week before commencement of practice. The form elicits details about the job as well as the supervisory relationship. The supervisee may have multiple supervisors, but in this event, more than one form will be required.</p> <p>Each month, the supervisee is expected to spend at least 5% of experience hours receiving direct supervision; the DC Board credits time spent under the observation of an appropriately licensed supervisor as well as time spent in discussion sessions.</p> <p>A total of at least 200 hours of supervision must be provided. At least 100 hours must be provided by a psychologist. The remaining hours may also be provided by a psychologist or may be provided by another qualified mental health professional (psychiatrist or social worker). Up to 50 of these hours may take place in a small group setting with three to five supervisees in attendance.</p> <p>Supervisors will rate the prospective psychologist for licensing purposes.</p> <p>Applicants must remain</p>	<p>retake it. In the event of a second failure, however, a one-year wait time will be imposed. Any subsequent failure will result in a one-year wait.</p> <p>The District/Local Examination assesses knowledge of the APA code of ethics as well as DC statutes and rules. Study materials will be sent to candidates. The passing score is 75%. A candidate who fails the DC/Local examination on a first attempt will be allowed to submit another license application and retake the examination the next time it is offered. A candidate who fails a second time will need to wait six months.</p> <p>The Board may opt to interview candidates but will not deny licensure based on interviews unless there is indication of some violation.</p> <p>Applicants must have criminal background checks through the Metropolitan Police Department (MPD) and the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) unless they have already been fingerprinted by the DC Health Professional</p>	<p>Candidates will be notified if application information is missing. However, in the event that the signature is missing or the fee incorrect, the application will be returned.</p> <p>The Board typically reviews applications on the third Friday of the month.</p>
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		<p>under general supervision until such time as a license is issued.</p>	<p>Licensing Administration (http://doh.dc.gov/node/120532). They may contact MPD at (202) 442-9004 or use the L-1 Live Scan electronic fingerprinting system.</p> <p>L-1 appointments may be scheduled online (http://www.l1enrollment.com/state/?st=DC) or by telephone at (877) 783-4187. Applicants who cannot go to an L-1 center may still opt to have fingerprints scanned and processed through the approved vendor; this may make the process quicker.</p>	
<p>Delaware</p> <p>Delaware psychologists are licensed by the Board of Examiners of Psychologists, a part of the Division of Professional Regulation (http://dpr.delaware.gov/boards/psychology). Full licensure is granted to individuals who have earned doctoral degrees, passed a national board examination, and practiced under supervision.</p> <p>While meeting supervised experience requirements, graduates may be registered</p>	<p>The foundation for psychology practice is an earned doctoral degree. Programs that are accredited by the American Psychological Association are considered to meet all requirements. Doctoral programs that are not APA-accredited may be accepted following a review of coursework.</p> <p>A program will be accepted only if it housed in a regionally accredited university and is a recognizable entity devoted to training psychologists. The</p>	<p>A total of 3,000 hours of supervised practice is required for licensure as a psychologist. 1,500 is done before the doctoral degree is granted. It may be completed in a period of one to two years (48 to 104 weeks). At least 50% of the total hours must be spent in clinical activities; 25% of the total time must be face-to-face client services.</p> <p>The 1,500 hours of supervised post-doctoral experience is generally completed in a period of one to three years. At least 75% of the supervision must be</p>	<p>Delaware requires the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP). The exam is computerized. A candidate may download a handbook from the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards After being granted approval by the Delaware Board, the candidate will be given detailed instructions about registering. The candidate should be prepared to remit \$600 in fees.</p> <p>A candidate who fails an examination attempt will be allowed to make another</p>	<p>All needed forms can be downloaded from the Board site. Click here to download the application. All applications must be notarized. Transcripts are required at first application; they should be sent directly to the Board by the issuing institution. The fee for psychologist is \$185 (or \$55 if upgrading from psychological assistant).</p> <p>Federal and state background checks are required. Delaware residents are to have their fingerprints made at one of the facilities listed in the application</p>

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<p>as psychological assistants.</p>	<p>program must be sequential and organized and must include appropriate field experience. The program must cover the following content areas, broadly defined as history and development:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Biological aspects of behavior ● Social aspects of behavior ● Cognitive-affective aspects of behavior ● Psychology history and systems ● Research methodology ● Data analysis ● Psychological measurement <p>It must also cover the following, defined as foundations of psychology practice:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Human development ● Individual behavioral differences 	<p>provided by a licensed psychologist; the remaining 25% may be provided by other licensed mental health professionals. An hour of direct, face-to face supervision is required for every 10 hours of clinical work; if the hours of clinical work are not divisible by ten, the candidate must round up to determine how many hours of supervision are required.</p> <p>Post-doctoral experience may or may not be part of a formal internship. Psychology graduates may apply to become psychological assistants for the purpose of completing practice hours. A psychologist who employs a psychological assistant must have at least two years of experience and must be able to provide a suitable training experience. The supervising psychologist must apply to the Board.</p> <p>The application at this stage will include a detailed plan for supervised experience. It will describe the assistant's role and range of duties, the format of supervision, and the plans for handling emergencies and situations where the supervisor is unavailable. The</p>	<p>attempt once 60 days have passed. Up to four attempts are allowed in a 12-month period. Delaware does not place a limit on total examination attempts.</p>	<p>packet. The New Castle and Sussex County locations require appointments; no appointment is required if utilizing the primary facility in Kent County. Candidates should show up for fingerprinting with the information release form found in the application packet along with a credit card or money order for \$69; the Kent County and New Castle locations will also accept cash. Candidates residing outside of Delaware may utilize a police agency in their own jurisdiction. The fingerprint card, information release, and \$69 fee will be sent to the Delaware state police.</p> <p>It may take four to six weeks after an application file is complete before a license is issued. In order to avoid delays, candidates should make sure applications are received at least ten business days before a scheduled meeting of the Board.</p>
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Psychopathology ● Professional standards ● Ethics ● The following must be covered under strategies for intervention and diagnosis: Theories and methods for diagnosis and intervention ● Consultation and supervision ● Effective intervention ● Evaluating efficacy ● Diversity issues 	<p>psychological assistant application will require a \$59 fee. Candidates may work as psychological assistants for a maximum of six years.</p>		
<p>Florida</p> <p>Florida psychologists are licensed by the Florida Board of Psychology, under the banner of the Division of Medical Quality Assurance.</p> <p>Licensure is dependent on pursuing doctoral level education, completing a year of post-doctoral supervised practice, and passing a</p>	<p>Florida requires prospective psychologists to complete doctoral programs that are accredited by the American Psychological Association (APA). The degree may be a PsyD, a PhD, or an EdD in psychology.</p> <p>A two-hour course in the prevention of medical errors is also required for licensure. The class may be counted</p>	<p>Florida requires 4,000 total experience hours. The Board notes that the pre-doctoral internship satisfies the first 2,000 hours. Florida does not mandate that the internship itself be APA-accredited so long as it is approved by the student's APA-accredited doctoral program.</p> <p>An additional 2,000 hours of supervised experience is</p>	<p>A psychologist candidate must take a national board examination, the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP), and a state jurisprudence examination. Both tests are available via computer on an ongoing basis, but Board permission is required. After applicants have been approved for the EPPP, they will apply to the Association</p>	<p>Applications can be downloaded from the Board site. Click here to download the application. The application may be processed more quickly if transcripts and supervision forms are included in the same package; in sealed envelopes. License verification, if required, must come straight from the licensing agency in question.</p>

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<p>national board examination and a state jurisprudence examination.</p>	<p>toward continuing education requirements.</p>	<p>completed at the post-doctoral level. This is done while working under a provisional license. The provisional license is good for two years and is not renewable.</p> <p>The provisional psychologist must be under the supervision of a licensed psychologist. It is permissible to perform services at a different worksite than the board-approved supervisor if there is a psychologist who works on premise and the work does not constitute independent or private practice.</p>	<p>of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (ASPPB). A \$600 fee will be assessed. Candidates will be granted Authorization to Test. They will select a Prometric site at which to take the exam and will do the scheduling themselves.</p> <p>Prometric will assess an additional small fee. Additional information about the examination process, as well as test content, can be found on the ASPPB site (http://www.asppb.net/).</p> <p>The state-specific test is the Florida Laws and Rules Examination. Candidates will pay \$85 to Florida and \$48 to the testing vendor.</p> <p>The exam is available in cities throughout the state. Candidates can find a study guide, links to rules and regulations, and information about the Prometric testing centers on the site of the Florida Board (http://www.doh.state.fl.us/mqa/Exam/schedule-psy.htm). There is a short form application for candidates who need to retake either the EPPP or the laws and rules exam.</p>	<p>There are two addresses in the application packet. One is for applications that include the required fees; the other is for any supporting documentation that is mailed separately.</p> <p>A person applying as a psychologist candidate will pay a total of \$590 to the Florida Board. This includes the initial licensing fee of \$250 as well as a \$250 nonrefundable application fee and the fee for the laws and rules examination.</p> <p>Recent veterans may have most fees waived. Military spouses are eligible for temporary licensure at a reduced rate. (Such candidates do need to show that they meet the qualifications for standard licensure.)</p> <p>The Florida Board reviews psychologist applications at regularly scheduled meetings. To ensure placement on the agenda, the application package must be received by the Board in its entirety 30 days before a meeting. A list of dates is available on the website (http://floridaspsychology.gov/meeting-information/). The Board notes that fees are</p>
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				<p>processed first, and that applications do not arrive at the office for review until afterward.</p> <p>The Florida Board typically informs the candidate of any deficiencies within 30 days of receiving the application. Candidates have the option of providing an email address to the Board for licensing communications.</p>
<p>Georgia</p> <p>Georgia psychologists are licensed by the State Board of Examiners of Psychologists (http://sos.ga.gov/plb/psych). Licensed psychologists have completed doctoral degrees (comprising three or more years of graduate education) and have fulfilled a one year supervised practice requirement. In addition, they have passed national board examinations and state jurisprudence and oral examinations.</p>	<p>Psychology candidates in all specialties except industrial/occupational psychology are required to complete doctoral programs that are accredited by the American Psychological Association (APA). Industrial/occupational psychology programs are to be listed as "designated doctoral programs in psychology" by the national register and the ASPPB. Transcripts submitted to the Georgia Board should reflect a sequential psychology curriculum that develops competency in the core areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Theoretical, scientific, and methodological 	<p>Psychology graduates need at least 1,500 hours of post-doctoral supervised experience, or SWE. It may be completed over a one- or two-year period (11 - 24 months). Post-graduate practice requirements may be completed as part of a formal fellowship that is accredited by the APA or a member of the Association of Psychology Postdoctoral and Internship Centers (APPIC). In this case, the candidate will be presumed to be working under conditions acceptable to the Board.</p> <p>Other experiences are acceptable if they meet Board standards. With the exception of I/O candidates, supervisees must have an hour of individual supervision</p>	<p>Although the national board and jurisprudence examinations are administered by third parties, candidates will need Board permission.</p> <p>The first examination attempted is the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP). This exam was developed by the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards and is administered throughout the United States and Canada. A candidate handbook is available for download.</p> <p>Candidates should be prepared to remit \$600 with their registration. After the EPPP comes the Georgia Laws and Rules</p>	<p>In the application, the candidate will indicate a specialty (counseling psychology, clinical psychology, school psychology, I/O or other) as well as treatment and assessment competencies and populations served.</p> <p>The application packet also includes a statement that must be notarized; the applicant affirms the veracity of application material and confirms eligibility as a citizen or legal resident eighteen years or older.</p> <p>An applicant for license by examination needs send only a \$100 fee at the time of application; testing fees will be assessed later.</p>

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	<p>foundations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Breadth of scientific psychology • Assessment and measurement • Treatment and intervention <p>Programs also develop competence in working with diversity. Psychology students complete a pre-doctoral internship as part of their graduate studies. The internship itself may be APA-accredited or may meet equivalency standards. The Board has published internship requirements for the various psychology specialties. Generally, interns must be supervised by a licensed psychologist; a portion of the work may be</p>	<p>for every 30 hours of SWE; supervision is to be logged.</p> <p>Under provisional Licensing</p> <p>Candidates who have fulfilled examination requirements and are in the process of completing supervised work experience may be issued provisional licenses. This is a relatively uncommon license category. As of 10/12/2013, the Board lists only one such license active (compared to 2,284 standard licenses and 21 temporary licenses issued to out-of-state candidates).</p>	<p>Examination. Candidates will receive a notice to register from the Board and may schedule via computer. At this stage, they will be directed to PSI Exams. The examination fee is currently listed as \$85; there is a candidate handbook available for download from the PSI site.</p> <p>The final part of the process is the oral examination. Currently, this takes place in Macon. One purpose of the oral examination is to ensure that the candidate is able to practice competently. This is generally presumed unless significant issues arise, in which case the Board may impose additional requirements. The Board also notes that Georgia psychology licenses are general (not conferred in particular specialties) but that psychologists are bound to practice only in areas where they are competent. Thus, the oral interview is also an opportunity to learn about the prospective psychologist's intended practice.</p> <p>Candidates will send a case study to the Board for reviewing prior to actually appearing. Some candidates may go through a lengthier</p>	<p>Official transcripts are to be requested from the school and sent directly to the Board. References are to be completed on official forms. The purpose is to assess whether there are negatives (such as drug use or untrustworthy behavior) which would impact the candidate's ability to practice. A full list of forms is available in Adobe form on the Board site. Click here to download the forms. Application status may be monitored online.</p>
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	<p>supervised by a psychologist, neurologist, or a master's level professional licensed in a mental health discipline. In some cases, I/ O or mental retardation (MR/DD) psychologists may be unlicensed but present with other credentials.</p>		<p>process than others; this is at Board discretion.</p>	
<p>Hawaii</p> <p>The Hawaii Board of Psychology, a part of Hawaii Professional and Vocational Licensing, regulates psychologists who provide health services within the state (http://hawaii.gov/dcca/pvl/boards/psychology). Licensure as a psychologist is dependent on education, examination, and postdoctoral practice.</p>	<p>A prospective health services psychologist must complete a doctoral degree through a program that is either 1) accredited by the American Psychological Association, or APA, or 2) housed in a regionally accredited institution and in alignment with the Board's educational standards.</p> <p>The Hawaii Board requires at least three semester hours of credit in each of the following areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • History and systems of psychology • Research 	<p>Hawaii requires an additional 1,900 hours of post-graduate supervised practice. Hours may be earned in an APA-accredited internship or in another residency or internship program that provides organized training in health services. In most cases, the supervisor must be licensed or board certified through the ABPP. If the supervisor graduated before 1970 and is listed with the National Register of Health Service Providers in Psychology, an exception may be made.</p> <p>While meeting supervision requirements, the trainee will use a title like 'psychology resident' that indicates to the</p>	<p>Candidates must pass the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP). After the Board reviews application materials and determines eligibility, candidates will be allowed to register through the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (http://www.asppb.net/?page=Signup). The examination is administered via computer on an ongoing basis. The only Hawaii site is in Oahu. However, candidates are allowed to schedule their exams in other jurisdictions if they prefer. Candidates should be prepared to submit a \$600 fee upon registration.</p>	<p>In Hawaii, a prospective psychologist applies for licensure after all requirements except the national board examination have been met. Forms and publications are available on the Professional and Vocational Licensing site.</p> <p>The licensing agency requires transcripts and a photocopy of the doctoral degree itself. Graduates of programs that were not APA-accredited must fill out a training form, outlining which courses met which core requirements.</p> <p>Documentation of internship and post-doctoral practice is to be attached to the</p>

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	<p>methodology and design</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Statistics and psychometrics • Scientific and professional standards <p>Six graduate semester hours are required in each of the following areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The biological basis of behavior: This content area may include sensation and perception, neuropsychology, psychopharmacology, and comparative psychology. • The cognitive-affective basis of behavior: This content area comprises emotion, motivation, thinking, and learning. • The social basis of 	<p>public that psychology licensure is not held.</p>	<p>The Authorization to Test (ATT) will grant a 60 day testing window. An additional fee will be due to the testing company; currently, this is about \$80.</p> <p>Candidates will be sent examination results approximately 15 business days after testing.</p>	<p>applications; supervisors will need to fill out the verification forms and have them notarized.</p> <p>License verification, if required, is to be sent directly from the state of licensure. The candidate fills out the top portion and sends it to the licensing agency along with any fee that may be required. There is a \$50 nonrefundable application fee; licensing fees will be assessed later.</p>
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	<p>behavior: Group processes, community psychology, social psychology, and systems theory would fall into this content category.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Individual differences: Human development, personality development, and psychopathology are covered under this standard. ● Individual assessment and psychodiagnosis: Content may include personality assessment, intellectual assessment, and behavior assessment. ● Intervention and treatment: Adult and/or pediatric interventions may be covered. Hawaii 			
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	<p>considers 1.5 quarter hours to be the equivalent of one semester hour. The doctoral program must include 1,900 hours of internship.</p>			
<p>Idaho</p> <p>Idaho psychologists are regulated by the Board of Psychologist Examiners. Licensure is dependent on completing a doctoral degree and passing a board examination. Candidates must work under supervision for at least one year following completion of the license-qualifying degree. Psychology candidates are under Board regulation while completing their post-degree supervised practice requirements; at this level, there are multiple designations.</p>	<p>A candidate who earns a doctoral degree from a program that is accredited by the American Psychological Association (APA) is considered to meet Idaho's educational standards.</p> <p>Other doctoral degrees earned in psychology or closely related fields may be deemed acceptable by the Board. The institution must hold accreditation through one of the following regional accrediting agencies:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools ● New England Association of Schools and Colleges ● North Central Association 	<p>The psychology candidate, or trainee, must complete two years of supervised professional experience. (A year is considered to be 1,000 hours and can be completed in as little as 12 months or as many as 36.)</p> <p>The first year may commence after the student has completed at least a year of graduate study. The second must take place at the postdoctoral level.' Postdoctoral supervision is to be under the supervision of a licensed psychologist. The supervisee will need an hour or supervision for every 20 hours of service delivery. Supervision normally takes place on a weekly basis. It is not acceptable to deliver psychological services for</p>	<p>Candidates must pass the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP). State permission is required. Once this is granted, candidates may register with the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (ASPPB). They will receive an Authorization to Test which grants a 60 day eligibility window. The examination is administered via computer at testing sites around the nation. Candidates may schedule their on examinations, but are advised to do so early, as slots may fill.</p> <p>The cost of the exam is \$600 as of late 2013. Candidates should be prepared to pay an additional fee to the company</p>	<p>Candidates first come under Board jurisdiction when they are preparing to begin postdoctoral supervised practice. Application forms are available on the site by clicking here. They can also be requested from the Board; a written request must be sent to the Boise office. Candidates must sign a statement that they have read the Idaho regulations and the APA code of ethics and will abide by both.</p> <p>An examination candidate will include an application fee of \$200 along with an administrative fee of \$25; the latter is not required of candidates who have already taken the EPPP.</p> <p>Official transcripts and letters of reference should be</p>

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	<p>of Colleges and Schools</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Northwest Association of Schools and Colleges • Southern Association of Colleges and Schools • Western Association of Schools and Colleges <p>The psychology program must be a coherent entity within the institution. A faculty psychologist must bear responsibility for the program. Idaho will look for three semester hours or five quarter hours in each substantive content area:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • History and systems of psychology • Cognitive-affective basis of behavior • Biological basis of behavior • Social basis of behavior • Individual differences • Research design and methodology 	<p>more than two weeks without direct supervision even under “unusual circumstances”.</p> <p>Idaho recognizes postdoctoral practice at two levels. The ‘psychologist-in-training’ is working at the lower level. At this level, it is not necessary to have taken or passed the licensing examination. While all psychologists-in-training have completed doctoral degrees, some may have minimal deficiencies.</p> <p>In most cases, a psychologist-in-training must have the supervising psychologist on the premises at least half the time that services are being delivered. The Board may grant exceptions for individuals working at public agencies following a review of the supervision plan; the supervising psychologist must make a request.</p> <p>Psychologists under supervision have met educational requirements and passed the licensing examination. Professionals with this designation may work under less administrative control (so long as they meet requirements set out in</p>	<p>that own the computerized testing centers and oversees the examination process; currently this is approximately \$80.</p> <p>Retakes are permitted (subject to additional fees). Any candidate who fails two examination attempts must wait a year and then petition the board; further study will be required.</p>	<p>requested and sent directly from the source. There is a standardized reference form.</p> <p>Application files must be complete seven days in advance of a scheduled Board meeting in order to be reviewed at that meeting. Upcoming meeting are posted on the Board calendar (https://secure.ibol.idaho.gov/eIBOLCalendar/Default.aspx?Board=PSY). Applicants can expect communication within two to four weeks of the meeting. They can check license status online.</p>
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Data analysis techniques ● Psychological measurement ● Professional and scientific standards ● Multiculturalism and individual diversity <p>Internships that are not APA-accredited should meet similar standards.</p>	<p>Section 600). Board approval is required in order for a psychologist to deliver services under either status. Individuals may not deliver psychology services in Idaho unless they fall under one of the state's exemption categories.</p> <p>The supervisor will need to furnish information about the supervisee to the Board. Idaho permits supervisees to contract for supervisory services. Clients/ patients must be informed in writing of the status of the person delivering services.</p>		
<p>Illinois</p> <p>The Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation licenses the state's clinical psychologists (http://www.idfpr.com/profs/info/psych.asp). Licensure is dependent on education, examination, and supervised practice.</p>	<p>A prospective psychologist will need to complete a doctoral program. A program that is accredited by the American Psychological Association (APA) or approved by the Council for the National Register of Health Service Providers in Psychology will meet requirements. Graduates of other programs are license-eligible if they meet the state's equivalency standards.</p> <p>The psychology program must stand as an organized, recognizable entity within a</p>	<p>A psychology candidate will need two years (3,500 hours) of supervised practice. A student normally does a practicum (or clerkship or externship) that includes at least 400 hours. The first 400 hours of practicum does not count toward the total, but the internship (normally completed as part of the doctoral program) does.</p> <p>The internship must be at least 1,750 hours. It may take place full-time or part-time over a period of 50 weeks to 24 months. Part-time internship will only be</p>	<p>The Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP) is a licensure requirement. In Illinois, candidates wait to take the exam until after they have completed the required hours of supervised professional experience.</p> <p>Candidates first apply to the Illinois Department for permission. Doctoral transcripts are required at this stage; master's transcripts are required if some coursework was completed at this level.</p>	<p>There are four different application packets available on the Board site (http://www.idfpr.com/renewals/apply/Psych.asp). Selection will depend on whether one is applying to take the examination and then become licensed, requesting that scores be accepted for a licensing examination taken in another state, or is using an endorsement or senior psychologist pathway. Examination candidates also have the option of applying online (http://www.continentaltesting)</p>

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	<p>regionally accredited school. A psychologist must have primary responsibility for the program; there must be an on-site faculty of psychology professors and a matriculated group of students.</p> <p>Doctoral candidates must spend one year in residence. This requirement can be met in either of two ways:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 30 semester hours in residence completed full-time or part-time, but within a period of 24 months • 350 hours of documented face-to-face interaction in the form of seminars or classes taking place within an 18-month period <p>If the program was not equivalent to a clinical or counseling program but was “psychological in nature”, a psychology license may be issued, but more documentation will be needed.</p>	<p>credited if it is at least 18 hours a week over a period of no less than nine months. Internship must be an organized training experience that involves the direct provision of services. The intern must have an hour a week of direct supervision and two hours a week of learning experiences; these can include seminars, group supervision sessions, and co-therapy. Additional individual sessions (beyond the stated minimum) may be counted as learning experiences.</p> <p>The post-doctoral supervised experience comprises another 1,750 hours. Post-doctoral practice may be completed in a period of 50 weeks to 36 months. The trainee must be under the supervision of a licensed psychologist or licensed clinical psychologist. An hour a week of face-to-face supervision must be provided.</p> <p>The position must include assessment and treatment of mental conditions (for example, emotional disorders, developmental disabilities, and/ or substance abuse). The licensing agency will decide on a case-by-case</p>	<p>Once approved, candidates will receive registration information. They may then register with the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards and pay the \$600 testing fee (http://www.asppb.net). They will be issued an ATT which allows them to schedule a computerized examination; the examination must be taken within a 60 day window or additional fees will be incurred.</p>	<p>.net/ProfDetail).</p> <p>A candidate who has taken the EPPP but is not currently licensed applies by ‘acceptance of examination’; scores are to come directly from the Interstate Reporting Service. A candidate who at some point took the American Board of Professional Psychology Boards (ABPPB) counseling or clinical psychology certification examination may submit these results in lieu of EPPP results.</p> <p>There is a \$50 application fee for candidates who are not licensed in another jurisdiction, \$100 for those who are, and are applying by endorsement http://www.idfpr.com/profs/info/psych.asp</p>
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	<p>In order to be deemed acceptable, a program must include instruction in the following core areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Social basis of behavior ● Biological basis of behavior ● Cognitive-affective basis of behavior ● Individual differences ● Treatment modalities ● Assessment ● Scientific and professional ethics <p>A “category 3” candidate must document a total of three years of experience.</p> <p>A student who has one or more deficiencies will be allowed to make them up by enrolling in a university that meets the Board's standards.</p>	<p>whether the work qualifies as clinical. However, they advise that more than half the credited hours be spent in face-to-face treatment and assessment with clients with whom there is some level of relationship. The Division has provided a fact sheet to help psychology graduates select appropriate work opportunities.</p> <p>Illinois allows both paid and volunteer experiences so long as they meet the requirements of Section 1400.30.</p>		
<p>Indiana</p> <p>Indians psychologists are licensed by the Indiana State Psychology Board</p>	<p>The foundation for practice is a doctoral degree. If the program is not accredited by the American Psychological Association or the Canadian Psychological Association, it</p>	<p>A psychologist who provides health services will need two years of supervised work experience. At least 1,500 hours must be earned through an internship or</p>	<p>A candidate must take two examinations. Indiana's psychology candidates take the state jurisprudence exam before the national board</p>	<p>Licensing applications can be downloaded (http://www.in.gov/pla/2610.htm) or requested at (317) 234-2051. An applicant will need two passport-style</p>

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<p>(http://www.in.gov/pla/psych.htm).</p> <p>In order to be licensed as a psychologist, a person must complete a doctoral degree and pass a licensing examination. In order to engage in diagnosis and treatment of mental disorders, the psychologist must also be endorsed as a health service provider (HSSP). The endorsement requires two years of supervised professional experience in health service delivery.</p>	<p>must meet state standards. The program must be identified as a psychology program. The degree must represent three years of study. At least one year must be done in residence. The Board defines this as 18 semester hours in residence over a nine to 18 month period.</p> <p>The degree should include the equivalent of at least three semester hours in each of the following core content areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The biological basis of behavior • The cognitive-affective basis of behavior • The social basis of behavior • Individual differences <p>The program should also cover statistics, psychometrics, research design, methodology, and professional and scientific standards.</p> <p>A student seeking a health service endorsement must complete a program in an</p>	<p>organized health service training program. The experience must last at least 12 months.</p> <p>Typically 1,600 hours are done at the post-doctoral level. In some cases, practicum work done at the pre-doctoral level may be counted toward the total. The practicum must have been done after a master's degree was conferred and be "post-basic" in level.</p> <p>While completing postdoctoral practice hours, a person must be under the supervision of an HSSP-endorsed psychologist.</p> <p>A candidate seeking endorsement as a health service provider may not practice independently until such time as a license has been granted.</p>	<p>examination.</p> <p>Successful candidates will then take the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP), developed by the ASPPB. After receiving authorization from the Indiana Board, candidates will be able to register online through the ASPPB site. An examinee should be prepared to pay \$600 upon registration. At this point, an ATT will be emailed, and the candidate will have a 60 day window in which to take the examination. The EPPP is administered at Prometric sites around the country. An additional \$79 fee will be due to Prometric.</p> <p>A candidate bulletin can be downloaded from the ASPPB site (http://www.asppb.net).</p>	<p>photographs to attach to the application.</p> <p>The Board will require official transcripts. Separate documentation of internship will be required if this information is not included on the transcript. (If the program did not require an internship, this should be noted.)</p> <p>Fees are as follows: \$100 for the application and \$100 for HSPP endorsement. There is a \$50 fee for examination candidates seeking temporary permits.</p> <p>Candidates can expect some correspondence within about three weeks of turning in the application. If there are missing materials, notification will be sent. If everything is in the file, the candidate will be notified that review will take place at the next board meeting.</p> <p>Indiana requires fingerprint-based criminal background checks. The process is not initiated until after the license application has been submitted. (The Indiana Professional Licensing Agency cannot process fingerprints unless an individual is currently a candidate for licensure.)</p>
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	<p>applied branch of psychology such as clinical, counseling, or school psychology*. Such programs must include practicum or field experiences.</p> <p>*While school psychologists can be licensed by the Board, they do not necessarily need to be, provided that they are credentialed by the Department of Education (DOE) and are working solely within the scope authorized by the DOE.</p>			<p>Once the application has been entered into the system, the candidate should schedule fingerprinting appointment by visiting L-1 at http://www.l1enrollment.com or calling (877) 472-6917.</p>
<p>Iowa</p> <p>Iowa's psychologists are regulated by the Iowa Board of Psychology, under the banner of the Bureau of Professional Licensure (http://www.idph.state.ia.us/licensure/Psychology.aspx). Licensure is dependent on completing a doctoral degree, passing a board examination, and practicing under supervision for one postdoctoral year. (Psychologist candidates who seek health credential certification must demonstrate two years of supervised practice, though one can be earned as part of</p>	<p>Candidates must graduate from doctoral programs in psychology that hold recognized programmatic accreditations or approvals. Programs will be accepted as license-qualifying in Iowa if they are accredited by the American Psychological Association (APA) or the Canadian Psychological Association (CPA) and/ or are recognized by the National Register Designation Project of the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (ASPPB).</p> <p>An ABPP specialty diploma will be accepted as evidence</p>	<p>Iowa requires one year of postgraduate supervised practice for all licensees; again, this means 1,500 hours. Prospective health services providers must earn their hours in a health services setting. It is permissible to begin before the ceremonial awarding of the doctoral degree provided it can be verified that all degree requirements were met.</p> <p>Candidates must register their supervision on the prescribed form. The form requires the signatures of both supervisee and supervisor – the supervisor's</p>	<p>Iowa, like all states, utilizes the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP). Graduates may apply for permission to take the examination after completing educational requirements and registering supervision. The testing company will be sent notification of examination eligibility.</p> <p>Candidates will pay a \$600 fee upon registration. At that point, they will be granted an Authorization to Test (ATT). The ATT confers a 60-day testing window. Candidates may schedule at any authorized Prometric Testing</p>	<p>Application forms are available on the Board site (http://www.idph.state.ia.us/licensure/Psychology.aspx?pg=Application). Candidates will provide transcripts at first application unless they fall into an endorsement category that grants exemption; an in-state candidate provides transcripts when applying for registration.</p> <p>Examination and endorsement psychologist candidates alike pay a \$120 application fee. The health service provider application carries a \$60 fee. Applications are to be mailed</p>

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<p>a doctoral program.)</p> <p>In-state candidates are regulated while they are earning their experience hours; the initial process is called 'registration of supervision'.</p>	<p>of having met educational standards.</p>	<p>must be notarized.</p> <p>Supervisees may begin work before completing the examination requirement. The professional titles they are allowed to use will depend on whether they have passed the examination. Candidates who have not yet passed may, within the context of their own employment, refer to themselves as 'associates in psychology' or psychology associates. Those who have passed the exam may be called 'residents in psychology' or psychology residents.</p> <p>Psychology associates and residents must meet with a supervisor for face-to-face supervision every week that they earn experience hours. At least 45 total supervision hours will be required.</p> <p>At the end of the experience period, the supervisor will provide an evaluation to the Board, making a recommendation for or against licensure. Supervisors will note what diagnostic and intervention techniques supervisees have performed and which populations they can treat. They will also rank them in</p>	<p>Center in the nation. Most testing centers administer examinations six days a week. However, candidates are advised to schedule early. The testing company is contractually obligated to provide a testing session within 30 days of the call, at a location near the requested one.</p> <p>Candidates may download an EPPP candidate handbook and find answers to frequently asked questions on the site of the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (http://www.asppb.net/?page=FAQs).</p>	<p>to the Board office in Des Moines.</p>
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<p>Kansas</p> <p>Kansas psychologists are licensed by the Behavioral Sciences Regulatory Board, or BSRB (http://www.ksbsrb.org/psychologists.htm). Licensure is based on education, examination, and postdoctoral supervised practice. A temporary license is available to those who have completed educational requirements.</p>	<p>Psychologists must have education at the doctoral level. Programs that are accredited by the American Psychological Association (APA) are automatically approved so long as the required 24 semester hours of assessment and interventions coursework is done in residence at the university. (Candidates who began programs by March 10, 2006 are not held to the residency requirement.)</p>	<p>Kansas requires 3,600 total hours of supervised practice. 1,800 hours of pre-doctoral internship are typically credited. At least 1,800 hours must be post-doctoral, earned under the supervision of a psychologist who has been licensed for a minimum of two years. It is acceptable to use a supervisor who is not employed by the same agency, but there are additional regulations to follow.</p> <p>At least half the required post-doctoral hours must be spent in direct client service. Kansas credits intake assessment as well as psychotherapy, psychological testing, and consultation service; it is also acceptable to credit time spent in activities like scoring and analyzing an administered test. Kansas further stipulates that at least 180 hours be spent in nonclinical activities; this requirement could be met through research, psycho-education, or program evaluation or consultation.</p> <p>Post-doctoral supervised</p>	<p>Kansas psychologist candidates take one licensing examination: the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP). The test can be attempted any time after the candidate has earned the doctoral degree and completed the first 1,800 hours of supervised practice. Board permission is required; this is obtained by submitting an application.</p> <p>An approved candidate will receive information about registering for the examination. The candidate should be prepared to remit \$600 to a third party.</p> <p>The passing score is a scaled score of 500.</p>	<p>Application forms are available on the BSRB site (http://www.ksbsrb.org/forms.htm#psychology). It is also possible to obtain them by writing the BSRB at 700 SW Harrison St, Ste 420, Topeka, KS 66603-3929.; candidates should specify which packet they need (e.g. 'Licensed Psychologist' or 'Licensed Psychologist Reciprocity').</p> <p>There is just one packet for candidates applying for license by examination, but it may be submitted at different stages, depending on the applicant's status. A candidate may submit it when preparing to begin supervised experience.</p> <p>Official transcripts should be requested and submitted directly by the issuing institution. 1,800 hours of formal training (internship) is to be documented. The academic background form applies only to those candidates whose programs were not APA-accredited. Such candidates will also need to attach course descriptions or syllabi and</p>

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		<p>practice must include an hour of direct supervision for every 20 hours of direct patient care. While Kansas mandates in-person supervision, up to ¼ of the required sessions may take place using telephone or electronic communication systems that protect client confidentiality; such methods are to be utilized when distance, or other circumstances, make face-to-face communication impractical.</p> <p>No less than half of the experience is to be in the emphasis area that the graduate earned his or her degree in (for example, counseling psychology or industrial psychology). A psychology candidate cannot complete the post-doctoral requirement in less than 12 months.</p> <p>Candidates may work under temporary licenses, good for two years. There is a 25 contact hour continuing education requirement for a temporary license holder. A temporary license of this type may be renewed for an additional two years.</p>		<p>descriptions of doctoral program requirements.</p> <p>There is a \$225 application fee. The temporary license costs an extra \$150.</p>
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<p>Kentucky</p> <p>The Kentucky Board of Examiners of Psychology (http://psy.ky.gov/Pages/default.aspx) licenses the state's psychologists. Full licensure requires a doctoral degree, a period of supervised professional practice, and successful performance on national and state examinations. Psychologists work under temporary licensing while completing some requirements.</p> <p>The educational requirements are lower for state credentialing as a psychological associate or practitioner. The psychological associate license is dependent on having a master's degree and passing a procedural examination. The psychological practitioner license requires 60 semester hours of graduate coursework plus five years' experience earned while holding an acceptable state credential.</p>	<p>A psychologist must earn a doctoral degree (Ph.D., Ed.D, or Psy.D.) in psychology from a regionally accredited institution. The degree must reflect at least three academic years of study, with at least one of the years spent in residency (which the Board defines as taking place at a physical campus).</p> <p>The program must include three semester hours each in biological, cognitive-affective, and social bases of behavior and in individual difference.</p> <p>In addition, the program must cover research methodology, statistics, and scientific and professional standards.</p> <p>Foundation courses may not be too specific in focus. However, one upper division undergraduate course is allowed.</p> <p>A health services internship is to comprise at least 1,800 hours. At least 100 hours of supervision are required.</p>	<p>A psychologist who will be providing health services must complete a supervised post-doctoral practice experience of at least 1,800 hours that lasts at least one calendar year. One hour of face-to-face supervision is required per week.</p> <p>A psychology candidate must work under a temporary license while accruing post-graduate supervised experience hours. There is a 60 day grace period which allows an individual who has completed a doctoral degree to begin supervised work.</p> <p>While working under a temporary license, a psychologist is subject to reports at regular intervals. The supervisor will note strengths and weaknesses and provide a numerical ranking in key areas.</p> <p>The Board notes that beginning July of 2013, psychologists will only have the "health service provider" notation on their licenses if they have completed one year of supervised practice beyond that which is required for licensure. In order to supervise psychologists and associates in health service delivery, a psychologist will</p>	<p>A series of examinations is required before full licensure. One is a national board examination, the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP). Graduates may take the EPPP after application and supporting educational documentation has been approved. (Applicants needing EPPP approval should include an email address in their applications.)</p> <p>The national board examination is administered via computer at testing sites throughout the country. The ATT grants a 60-day testing window.</p> <p>Psychologists working under temporary licensure must pass the board examination within one year. The oral examination must be taken and passed within a year of the time the supervised practice is completed and within two years of issuance of the temporary license.</p> <p>The oral examination assesses the candidate's knowledge of his or her own specialty area. It is administered four times a year. Candidates complete jurisprudence examinations the same day.</p>	<p>Application forms are available in PDF format online (http://psy.ky.gov/Pages/applications.aspx). Most first-time applicants will need to download several forms including curriculum guidelines and reference forms. Candidates may submit applications to the Board once they have completed their doctoral degrees. (If the degree itself is not yet shown on the transcript, verification will be required from the registrar.)</p> <p>Candidates will declare a specialty upon application. The Board recognizes counseling psychology, clinical psychology, school psychology, and industrial/organizational psychology.</p> <p>Three references will be required. One reference is to come from a field supervisor and one from someone in the doctoral degree program (at least In the case of new graduates or individuals who are at early stages in their careers).</p> <p>The applicant will pay a \$100 application fee, which is nonrefundable, as well as a \$100 oral examination fee, which may be refunded in</p>
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		need this notation.	<p>Temporary licensure may be extended only under “exceptional circumstances” and at the request of the approved supervisor.</p> <p>An unofficial copy of relevant statutes is available on the Board site (http://psy.ky.gov/Documents/PSY%20Laws%20and%20Regulations.pdf). Candidates and practitioners should be aware that regulations do change.</p>	<p>certain circumstances. The fee for the EPPP is paid directly to the testing company. (Candidates should be prepared to remit \$600 at the time of registration.)</p> <p>A temporary license may be granted upon request, and with the approval of the supervisor. The applicant and supervisor may co-sign one letter; it is also acceptable to include two separate letters.</p> <p>Application packets may be mailed to the Board office in Frankfort.</p>
<p>Louisiana</p> <p>Louisiana psychologists are licensed by the Louisiana State Board of Examiners of Psychologists (http://lsbep.org). Licensure is based on doctoral level education and supervised practice, as well as on passing a series of examinations.</p> <p>Psychologists practice only in areas where they have sufficient training. The Louisiana Board recognizes the following healthcare specialties: clinical</p>	<p>A licensed psychologist must hold a doctoral degree. Programs that are accredited by the American Psychological Association (APA) are deemed to meet requirements. Graduates of non-APA programs are eligible for licensing if their programs meet standards adopted by Louisiana. The program must include coursework in the following scientific areas: scientific and professional standards and ethics, statistics and psychometrics, and research methodology and design.</p>	<p>The equivalent of two years of supervised practice is required. The 4,000 hours are typically accrued through a combination of pre- and postdoctoral practice. To be credited, predoctoral internship must meet requirements in Louisiana Administrative Code. Applied psychology internships are not to begin until after the psychology student has completed 300 hours of practicum; these 300 hours are typically done for academic credit and are not counted toward supervised</p>	<p>Louisiana requires psychologists to pass the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP), a national board examination; two state-specific tests are also required.</p> <p>The EPPP can be taken once internship and education are complete, and initial application materials have been reviewed by the Louisiana Board. Study materials are available on the site of the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards, as is a</p>	<p>A candidate who is completing licensing requirements in-state submits an application after doctoral requirements have been met, but before taking any examinations or commencing postdoctoral practice. There is a \$200 application fee (http://lsbep.org/forms.php). The candidate will need to have official graduate transcripts sent directly from the issuing institutions. An abstract of the candidate’s dissertation will also be required. The candidate will need to provide contact information for psychologists</p>

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<p>psychology, counseling psychology, school psychology, and neuropsychology. The following specialties are also recognized, but are not considered healthcare: organizational/ industrial, developmental, social, experimental, and educational psychology.</p> <p>Louisiana is one of two states that allows psychologists who have specialized training to prescribe psychiatric medication; Louisiana prescribing psychologists typically hold postdoctoral master's degrees in psychopharmacology.</p>	<p>There must also be coursework in the following substantive areas: the biological basis of behavior, the cognitive-affective basis of behavior, the social basis of behavior, and individual differences.</p>	<p>practice requirements.</p> <p>Students who do not complete APA-accredited internships will need to document that their internship met an extended set of requirements. The internship program must have a written statement or brochure describing goals and expectations. There must be at least two interns and two staff psychologists who can serve as supervisors. At least 25% of the time (350 hours) must be spent in direct client contact. The internship must be completed within 24 months. The intern will need at least two hour of individual supervision each week, whether working full- or part-time.</p> <p>Postdoctoral practice may not begin until the degree is granted. The individual will work under a supervision plan on file with the Board. The trainee is expected to work at least half-time and to complete supervised practice requirements within five years (though extensions may be granted, at Board discretion, for good cause).</p>	<p>general outline of the examination process (http://www.asppb.net). However, candidates should not attempt to register until authorization has been granted by the Louisiana Board.</p> <p>A candidate should expect to pay \$600 upon registration. An ATT will be issued, which will grant the candidate a 60-day window in which to schedule. The examination is given at testing centers throughout the nation; a scaled score of 500 is required.</p> <p>The oral and jurisprudence examinations are taken later, once all other licensing requirements have been met. The cost of the oral examination is \$250, the jurisprudence examination, \$75. The jurisprudence examination may be completed at home.</p> <p>The oral exam will receive one of three grades: pass, fail, or continue. A candidate who fails will need to wait two years before reapplying. A candidate who is continued will undergo further review upon a timeline established by the Board.</p> <p>A candidate who has passed</p>	<p>(for example, supervisors or faculty members) who can provide references. The Board will send forms directly to the professionals who are listed.</p> <p>The application itself requires notarization. After the application has been received, the candidate will be sent information about fingerprinting. There is a \$50 fee for background checks.</p> <p>Louisiana expedites the application process for active service military personnel and their spouses.</p>
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			both the oral and jurisprudence examination will have a license issued that same day.	
<p>Maine</p> <p>The Maine State Board of Examiners of Psychologists licenses the state's psychologists and psychologist examiners. Psychologist examiners have education at the master's level. Psychologists have education at the doctoral level. They have passed a national board examination and completed at least a year of post-degree practice under supervision. They work under temporary licenses while fulfilling post-graduate practice requirements.</p>	<p>Doctoral programs must hold programmatic accreditation or meet standards set by approved organizations. Any psychology program that is accredited by the American Psychological Association (APA) or the Canadian Psychological Association (CPA) is accepted as license qualifying. Doctoral programs that are approved by the National Association of School Psychologists or meet the designation criteria of the ASPPB/NR Joint Designation Program are also accepted. Other programs may be approved if they meet criteria adopted by the Maine Board.</p> <p>The institution itself must be regionally accredited. The program must be identified as a psychology program (whatever school houses it). Students must spend at least three years earning the degree; at least one year is to be spent in residency.</p>	<p>Both pre- and post- doctoral hours should be earned through organized training programs. The pre-doctoral internship gives student a wide range of competencies while the post-doctoral experience develops advanced or specialized skills. Training experiences are to be guided by a supervisory contract which defines which competencies will be developed and how they will be evaluated. Written evaluations are to take place at least every six months.</p> <p>Pre-Doctoral: A total of 1,500 hours is required at the pre-doctoral level. Hours may be accrued in a period of 48 to 104 weeks; the intern may work an average of 16 to 40 hours a week. There must be two hours a week of face-to-face supervision and two hours of other learning experiences (for example, case conferences or group supervision). The weekly requirement is the same</p>	<p>The first examination that candidates attempt is the Maine Jurisprudence Exam. The application packet includes web addresses for study resources. A candidate must score at least 80%. A candidate who fails an examination attempt will need to wait 30 days before making another attempt.</p> <p>The Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP), a national board examination, must be passed within one year of the time the temporary license is issued. Candidates should be prepared to remit \$600. Candidate handbooks are available on the site of the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (http://www.asppb.net).</p>	<p>A graduate first applies to the Board when it is time to begin post-doctoral practice. The application is short at this stage, but a letter of agreement for supervision must be included. The temporary license carries a \$200 fee.</p> <p>An applicant for permanent licensure will select the correct application packet based on status and application method (http://www.state.me.us/pfr/professionallicensing/professionalspsychologists/forms.html). Candidates who are applying by examination submit \$321 with their applications; this includes the initial licensing fee as well as the background check fee and an additional fee for processing. Candidates who have already passed the EPPP pay \$271.</p> <p>Permanent licensure requires three professional references, at least two of them submitted by licensed psychologists. The</p>

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		<p>whether the intern is part-time or full-time.</p> <p>At least half of the pre-doctoral hours must be spent in service-related activities (which can include activities like report writing or consultation); at least one-fourth the credited hours must be face-to-face direct provision of services. The Board will credit no more than one-fourth of the hours for research.</p> <p>Post-Doctoral: The post-doctoral supervised experience must also total 1,500 hours and be carried out over a period of 48 to 104 weeks. The majority of hours should be earned in the candidate's intended practice area. The supervisee may spend 25% to 60% of the time providing direct services.</p> <p>At this level, the supervisee will need one hour a week of face-to-face supervision and one hour of additional learning experiences. The Board may consider variances when circumstances make weekly meetings impractical. However the supervisee will still need four hours of</p>		<p>professionals note the particular functions that the candidate is capable of carrying out. The candidate will fill out the top portion and have references complete and return the forms; they are to be included in the application packet.</p> <p>Applications may be mailed to the Augusta address or hand delivered to the Gardiner office. (The Board notes that hand delivered applications still take time to process.)</p> <p>Application status can be monitored online.</p>
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		<p>supervision each month.</p> <p>The post-doctoral supervisor will later fill out a verification form, placing the supervisee's performance into one of seven categories. In some instances, a supervisor may recommend continued supervision for an individual who is not ready to function autonomously.</p> <p>The Board notes that internships or post-doctoral training programs accredited by the APA are accepted as meeting all training requirements.</p>		
<p>Maryland</p> <p>Maryland psychologists are licensed by the Board of Examiners of Psychologists (http://dhmh.maryland.gov/psych/SitePages/Home.aspx). Candidates are licensed on the basis of education, examination, and supervised practice.</p> <p>Maryland licenses both practice-oriented psychologists and non-practice oriented psychologists, but sets slightly different standards for each. Clinical, counseling,</p>	<p>The foundation is a doctoral degree in psychology. Doctoral programs are acceptable if they are accredited by the American Psychological Association (APA) or Canadian Psychological Association (CPA) or have been designated as psychology programs by the National Register/Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards.</p>	<p>A psychology candidate will need 3,250 hours of supervised professional experience. A clinical, counseling, or school psychology candidate must do 1,750 of these hours as part of a formal internship, completed within a 24-month period. The other hours may be completed at some other point after the first year of the doctoral program is complete.</p> <p>Maryland accepts pre-internship and post-doctoral hours as well as hours that were earned after the internship but before</p>	<p>Maryland psychologist candidates take a series of examinations. A candidate receives authorization to take them by submitting an application, and the required supporting documentation, to the Maryland Board.</p> <p>The Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP) is the national board examination.</p> <p>The Maryland Examination tests ethics and law. Candidates will receive a copy of the statutes beforehand. A score of 75%</p>	<p>Application packets are available for download from the Board site (http://dhmh.maryland.gov/psych/SitePages/Forms.aspx).</p> <p>A passport-type photograph must be attached to the application. The document must be notarized.</p> <p>The candidate will need three reference letters from psychologists. They should be submitted using the official cover letter provided.</p> <p>Any applicant who neither lives in Maryland nor has employment within the state</p>

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<p>and school psychology are all considered practice-oriented.</p> <p>Psychology associate is a lesser status that allows individuals who have education at at the least the master's level to perform psychological services under supervision. Some doctoral graduates apply for this status so that they can accrue post-graduate hours legally; others are exempted.</p>		<p>the doctoral degree. The licensing agency notes that this is because some candidates spend a significant period of time after the internship writing their doctoral dissertations and it is possible to earn supervised, creditable hours during this period. They are to be coordinated through the academic institution and guided by a written training plan. For every 20 hours worked, there is to be two ours of individual supervision and two hours of other learning experiences such as group supervision or seminars. However, candidates should be aware that many states require that a certain number of experience hours be post-doctoral and that their experience will not qualify them for licensure in all jurisdictions.</p> <p>At least 50% of the pre-doctoral hours that are credited to a practice-oriented psychology student either before or after the formal internship should be treatment-related. At least 25% should consist of direct provision of services.</p> <p>At least 75% of post-doctoral supervision must be</p>	<p>is required.</p> <p>Retakes are permissible on the EPPP and the Maryland Examination. However, a new application must be submitted.</p> <p>A list of examination dates is found on the Board site http://dhmh.maryland.gov/psych/SitePages/testinginfo.aspx</p>	<p>will need to provide the Board with a suitable reason for seeking Maryland licensure.</p>
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		<p>face-to-face with a psychologist. If a post-doctoral candidate needs to receive supervision from an on-site psychologist or needs to have some supervision take place in a format other than face-to-face, supervision should be sought from the Board beforehand. A supervisee will use a title like intern or resident that accurately represents status.</p> <p>Candidates who will be accruing post-doctoral hours in any other than an exempted setting will need to apply to the Board for approval as psychology associates.</p>		
<p>Massachusetts</p> <p>The Board of Registration for Psychologists licenses Massachusetts psychologists (http://www.mass.gov/ocabr/licensee/dpl-boards/py/).</p> <p>The Board of Registration also offers health service provider certification. The Board notes that while professionals occasionally opt for license without certification, this status offers limited options; it is applicable to those who do</p>	<p>Doctoral programs that are designated as psychology programs by the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (or receive the designation within two years) are deemed license qualifying provided they meet the Board's academic requirements.</p> <p>A psychology program must have a matriculated group of students. A psychologist must bear responsibility for the program. The course of study must be at least three</p>	<p>The first 1,600 hours of a health service provider's supervised experience are to be completed as internship or formal training. Internships that are APA-accredited are accepted as meeting requirements. Trainees whose programs do not have APA accreditation must ensure that the experience meets all requirements found in the statutes and regulations (http://www.mass.gov/ocabr/licensee/dpl-boards/py/regulations/rules-and-regs/251-cmr-</p>	<p>Candidates will need to take a national board examination and a state jurisprudence examination. Permission to take the two tests will be granted once the Board has reviewed the application packet.</p> <p>The national board examination is the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology. A candidate handbook can be downloaded from the site of the Association of State and Provincial Psychology</p>	<p>Massachusetts candidates submit applications when they have completed all requirements but the examinations. The application packet, including all supplemental materials, can be downloaded from the Board site (http://www.mass.gov/ocabr/licensee/dpl-boards/py/forms). Documentation will be needed from academic and internship directors, pre- and post-doctoral supervisors or collaborators, and three professional/ character</p>

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<p>not provide direct services but want to use the professional title 'psychologist'. The overwhelming majority of Massachusetts psychologists take the health service provider route.</p> <p>The credential is dependent on completing a doctoral degree, fulfilling a supervised practice requirement, and passing two examinations.</p>	<p>academic years; at least one year is to be done in residence.</p> <p>Students need to demonstrate competence in the following core areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Biological basis of behavior ● Cognitive-affective basis of behavior ● Racial/ ethnic basis of behavior ● Social basis of behavior ● Individual differences ● History of psychology ● Psychometrics and statistics ● Research design and methodology ● Professional and scientific standards <p>There must also be requirements in the student's specialty area. The dissertation (or other equivalent doctoral project) must be psychological in</p>	<p>300.html). The health services internship must be post-practicum. At least one-fourth of the hours are to be spent with clients, providing treatment or administering assessments. At least half the supervision must be provided by a licensed psychologist. At some point in the program, the student will need four hours of training in the racial and ethnic basis of behavior.</p> <p>Post-doctoral supervised experience is to comprise another 1,600 hours. Experience must be in a substantially similar branch of psychology as the one in which the degree was earned. The employee must use a title that accurately conveys his or her status as an unlicensed professional; this may be resident, fellow, or intern.</p> <p>The fellow or post-doctoral trainee can only deliver health services when a qualified health professional is onsite; this may be a psychologist, psychiatrist, or clinical social worker. The primary supervisor is to be a psychologist.</p> <p>The supervisee must receive at least an hour of direct</p>	<p>Boards (http://www.asppb.net/?EPPPFAQsBD).</p> <p>Candidates approved to take the jurisprudence exam will receive a copy of the Psychology Jurisprudence book. (The regulations are also posted on the Board site, but this is the unofficial version.)</p> <p>A candidate who does not pass either the state or national exam must wait at least three months. Massachusetts will allow up to four examination attempts in a year.</p>	<p>references. At least one of these is to come from a psychologist. At least two references must be able to check that they have 'thorough' knowledge of the candidate's professional background and ethics. Massachusetts allows supervisors/ collaborators to fill out both practice verification forms and reference forms.</p> <p>The applicant is asked to send forms to references and 'endorsers' along with a self-addressed envelope. Materials are to be submitted together in one application packet with the endorser's name signed across the envelope flap.</p> <p>On the application form, the candidate will indicate the particular branch of psychology where education and training were done. Massachusetts recognizes the full range of specialties, including neuropsychology, developmental psychology, educational psychology, and experimental psychology.</p> <p>A passport-type photo must be affixed to the application. The application must be notarized and submitted with a \$150 fee.</p>
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	<p>methodology as well as content.</p> <p>Students who will be vying for health service endorsement should complete practice-oriented programs (like clinical or counseling psychology). Candidates whose doctoral programs lie too far outside this sphere will need to complete re-specialization programs in order to be certified as health service providers.</p>	<p>supervision for every 16 hours – and at least one hour per week. Supervision is to occur in groups of no more than three.</p> <p>No work may be credited if the trainee does not put in at least 16 hours a week for a minimum of four months.</p> <p>A candidate seeking health service certificate cannot credit hours spent working in academia. Employment in organizational consultation or vocational guidance is also excluded. Not all work performed in a health service setting is creditable. The work must be performed in service of a patient or client. If the candidate’s hired role is to carry out a health study that does not directly benefit the participants, this is not considered health service. A candidate who is not seeking health service endorsement may credit this type of employment.</p>		<p>Once the Board determines that the candidate is license-eligible, notification will be sent, along with a request to pay the licensing fee; a toll-free number will be provided. The Board notes that the fee is to be received within 90 days; if six months pass, the candidate will be required to initiate the application process anew if a license is still wanted.</p>
<p>Michigan</p> <p>Michigan psychologists are regulated by the Michigan Board of Psychology (http://www.michigan.gov/lara)</p>	<p>Candidates for psychologist licensure must earn doctoral degrees in psychology or closely related fields. If a program is not accredited by the American Psychological</p>	<p>Psychologists must complete at least 4,000 experience hours before they can achieve full licensure. The first 2,000 hours is internship; this is normally completed at</p>	<p>The Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP) is required for full licensure. The limited license holder should send an email to the</p>	<p>Candidates first apply to the Board when they are preparing to begin supervised experience. Official transcripts and confirmation of internship are</p>

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<p>/html). Full licensure requires doctoral level education, passing scores on a national board examination, and a year of post-doctoral supervised practice. Graduates work under limited licenses while fulfilling post-graduate requirements.</p> <p>The Michigan Board also issues limited licenses to candidates with master's degree; this allows them to carry out psychological duties under supervision.</p>	<p>Association or the Canadian Psychological Association, it must have National Register designation (or some other designation that the Board may choose to approve). This requirement went into effect in 2011; programs that were in the process of becoming accredited or designated by August 1, 2011 and accomplish this by August 31, 2015 are license-qualifying.</p> <p>The following standards apply to all doctoral programs:</p> <p>The program must be an organized, sequential study where at least 75% of academic coursework was "psychological in nature". There must be instruction in statistics, psychometrics, research design and methodologies.</p> <p>There must be one three semester course in each of the following content areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Intelligence and/ or personality testing ● Psychological treatment ● Scientific and professional 	<p>the pre-doctoral level. The intern must be supervised by a fully licensed psychologist. There must be at least eight hours a month of in-person meetings with the supervisor.</p> <p>The post-doctoral practice requirement is also 2,000 hours. While accruing hours, a post-doctoral candidate works under a limited license. The individual must be under the supervision of a Board-designated psychologist. Work is to take place at an agency, hospital, or other setting deemed acceptable by the Board.</p> <p>The resident may work part-time or full-time, 16 to 40 hours per week. During this time, the supervisee must meet face-to-face with a supervisor at least four hours a month.</p> <p>The doctoral limited license is renewed annually. At the end of the post-doctoral experience period, the supervising psychologist will send a verification form to the Michigan Board.</p>	<p>Michigan Board (bhphelp@michigan.gov) when ready to take the examination. The request should include name, mail and email addresses, and license number.</p> <p>The candidate can expect registration materials to arrive two to three weeks after the request is made. Examination fees will be due upon registration; currently the fee is \$600.</p> <p>The candidate will be issued an Authorization to Test (ATT); this grants a 60-day testing window and allows for scheduling at any authorized computerized testing site. (The testing site assesses an additional small fee.)</p> <p>Approximately four weeks after testing, scores will be released.</p> <p>A limited license holder who does not complete the examination and supervision requirements within a five-year period loses eligibility, but has the option of applying for a license at the master's level.</p> <p>Note: Michigan requires the EPPP for master's level limited license holders, but sets the passing score lower.</p>	<p>due at this time and must be sent directly to the Michigan Board from the source. Graduates who received their doctoral degree without completing the required 2,000 hour internship should include a note to that affect. In this instance, a limited license will be issued without internship confirmation. However, confirmation of both internship and post-doctoral practice will be required before a full license is issued. A \$90 fee is to accompany the application for limited licensure.</p> <p>Click Here to find the application materials and answers to FAQs.</p> <p>The application for full psychologist licensure must be accompanied by a \$150 fee.</p> <p>Applicants will receive information from the Board approximately three weeks after submission that will allow them to monitor application status online. If there is missing information, a letter will be sent. If the fee is missing, however, the application packet will be returned.</p>
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	<p>standards/ ethics</p> <p>Additionally, there must be at least one graduate course in at least three of the following areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Biological bases of behavior ● Cognitive-affective bases of behavior ● Social bases of behavior ● Individual differences <p>At the time of application, the director or registrar will certify that the program met the "75% rule" and the coursework standards.</p>		<p>If a candidate took the examination as a master's limited license candidate and received a score of at least 500 (the threshold for doctoral level psychologists) it will not be necessary to retake the examination.</p>	
<p>Minnesota</p> <p>Minnesota psychologists are licensed by the Minnesota Board of Psychology (http://www.psychologyboard.state.mn.us/license.asp). Licenses are granted on the basis of education, examination, and supervised practice.</p> <p>Current statutes require</p>	<p>A prospective psychologist must earn a doctoral degree with a 'psychology major' from a regionally accredited institution.</p> <p>A program that is accredited by the American Psychological Association or Canadian Psychological Association is deemed to meet coursework requirements. Otherwise, the</p>	<p>The student will need to do a pre-doctoral internship of at least 1,800 hours. The intern will work at least 20 hours a week and complete the internship in a period of 12 to 30 months. The intern will need at least two hours of supervision a week; at least one must be one-on-one with the primary supervisor. An intern who works more than 40 hours will need an</p>	<p>Candidates may apply to take the state and national examinations after educational requirements have been met. Official transcripts must be sent straight to the Board from the issuing institution. If the program was not accredited by the APA or CPA, a course worksheet must accompany the application.</p>	<p>Candidates will submit license applications when all requirements have been met. Applications forms can be downloaded from the Board site (http://www.psychologyboard.state.mn.us/licforms.asp).</p> <p>The standard licensing application must be accompanied by a \$550 fee. Candidates who are</p>

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<p>students to earn doctoral degrees. However, some licensees have been “grandfathered” in on the basis of master’s level education. Such licensees may convert their licenses after demonstrating that they have earned doctoral degrees that meet Board requirements.</p>	<p>candidate will need to document the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There must be six semester hours of coursework in research design, psychological measurement theory, and statistics (with at least one semester hour in each of these three core areas). • There must be six semester hours in problem identification. Topics may include assessment, evaluation, and/ or data collection. • There must be six semester hours in problem solution. Topics may include psychological intervention and/ or data analysis. 	<p>additional hour of supervision for every 20 hours, or portion thereof.</p> <p>The supervisor must be a licensed psychologist or a professional with a doctoral degree in psychology who works at an educational institution, research facility, or governmental agency.</p> <p>Internships that are accredited by the APA or the Association of Predoctoral Psychology Internship Centers (APPIC) are deemed to meet requirements.</p>	<p>The state examination is the Professional Responsibility Examination (PRE). It is administered in Minneapolis. A list of upcoming examination dates is available on the Board site (http://www.psychologyboard.state.mn.us/license.asp?docid=352). Candidates are asked to select a first and second choice.</p> <p>The national examination is the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP). It is given on an ongoing basis at testing sites around the nation. Candidate bulletins can be downloaded from the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (ASPPB) site (http://www.asppb.net/?EPP PFAsBD).</p> <p>A \$150 fee is due with the examination application. Candidates should be prepared to remit \$600 to a third party when registering for the national examination.</p> <p>Minnesota allows examination retakes, subject only to limits placed by the testing company. The ASPPB currently allows up to four attempts in a year. Each attempt, however, incurs</p>	<p>converting from master’s level to doctoral level licensing pay a \$150 fee.</p>
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	<p>Additionally, there must be three semester hours in each of the following content areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Human development and personality theory ● Human diversity ● Cognitive-affective basis of behavior ● Biological basis of behavior ● Social basis of behavior ● Ethics and conduct <p>The license application packet includes a list of courses that are typically accepted as meeting license requirements as well as courses that are commonly excluded. Courses that focus on particular stages of the lifecycle may be accepted for the human development requirement. Courses in animal learning may be accepted as satisfying the requirement for cognitive-affective bases of behavior. However, courses that approach ethics from a philosophical perspective do not meet the ethics</p>		<p>additional fees.</p> <p>The psychology graduate will need to work under supervision for a period of 12 to 30 months and until at least 1,800 experience hours have been accrued. Minnesota accepts both volunteer work and paid experience.</p> <p>The primary supervisor must be a psychologist. Other master's or doctoral mental health practitioners may function as "designated supervisors".</p> <p>A psychologist candidate who is working full-time will need at least two hours of supervision each week. It is acceptable for a designated supervisor to provide one of the hours; this session may be carried out one-on-one or in a group setting. At least one hour, though, must be spent in individual supervisory consultation with the primary supervisor.</p> <p>A candidate who is working more than 40 hours a week will need an extra hour of supervision. The maximum number of hours that can be credited in a week is 50.</p>	
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	<p>requirement. Courses in family therapy or couples therapy do not satisfy the coursework requirements for social bases of behavior.</p> <p>A candidate who has coursework deficiencies will be allowed to make up as many as 12 semester hours without enrolling in an organized or sequential program.</p> <p>The doctoral student must complete 384 clock hours or 24 semester hours in residency over a 12-month period.</p>		<p>A candidate who works 20 hours or less per week will need one hour of supervision.</p>	
<p>Mississippi</p> <p>Mississippi psychologists are regulated by the Mississippi Board of Psychology (http://www.psychologyboard.state.ms.us/Pages/default.aspx). In order to be licensed, one must earn a doctoral degree in psychology, pass two examinations, and work under supervision. The Board also requires good character, as evidenced by background checks and professional references.</p>	<p>A psychologist will need a doctoral degree from a regionally accredited school; in the case of Canadian programs, the institution may be authorized through provincial statute.</p> <p>It is expected that the program itself be accredited by the American Psychological Association (APA) or Canadian Psychological Association (CPA). If the program is in a specialty that these agencies do not accredit, it is to be designated as a psychology program by the National</p>	<p>The prospective psychologist must complete 4,000 hours of supervised professional experience, the equivalent of two full-time years. The first 2,000 hours is internship. It may be completed in one to two years.</p> <p>An internship that is not accredited by the APA or CPA will be evaluated individually; it must meet established standards. The experience must be sufficiently broad. The intern must have the opportunity to provide a range of services to a varied population. There must be four hours a week of</p>	<p>Mississippi requires the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP) and a state oral examination.</p> <p>The EPPP is a national board examination developed by the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (ASPPB); it measures competence in eight areas. An approved candidate must register with a third party and pay a \$600 fee. Soon after, an Authorization to Test (ATT) will be issued. A candidate may schedule an examination at an authorized</p>	<p>The application process has multiple steps. A candidate may download the initial application form (http://www.psychologyboard.state.ms.us/Pages/Apps-For.ms.aspx).</p> <p>The applicant will need to attach a passport photo that meets Board regulations. The application carries a \$300 fee. The \$50 background check fee may also be included with the initial application. The form must be notarized and sent to the Yazoo City office.</p> <p>After initial materials have</p>

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	<p>Register of Health Service Providers and the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards Designation Committee. If the program is too new to have achieved accreditation but is working toward it, the Board will expect evidence to this effect.</p> <p>A degree earned outside the United States or Canada may also be accepted if it meets recognized standards.</p> <p>A candidate who holds diplomate status through the American Board of Professional Psychology (ABPP) is deemed to have met education requirements.</p>	<p>supervision, at least two of them individual.</p> <p>The second 2,000 hours must be postdoctoral. Postdoctoral experience is to be in the same area of psychology that the individual did his or her academic coursework in. The Board expects at least two hours a week of individual supervision. The 2,000 hour postgraduate requirement is also to be met within a two-year period.</p>	<p>Prometric center at any time during the 60-day window provided by the ATT.</p> <p>EPPP examinees must receive a scaled score of 500. Results will be sent by the ASPPB to the Board; the Board will then notify the candidate within ten business days. Candidates should be aware that the testing company does not communicate with state boards immediately after each weekday administration.</p> <p>The oral examination will be carried out by a panel of psychologists and chaired by a Board member. Dates of upcoming oral examinations can be accessed on the Board site. There are five scheduled for 2014. The fee for the oral examination is \$150. The examinee will be informed of the decision within ten business days of the time results are ratified.</p> <p>A candidate who fails either the EPPP or the oral exam one time will be allowed to retake the exam. A candidate who fails either exam two times will need to wait two years before reapplying and making another attempt.</p>	<p>been received, the candidate will continue the application process online. The Mississippi Board is one of the first states to use the Psychology Licensure Universal System (PLUS), developed by the ASPPB. The ASPPB will contact the applicant to provide additional information and will send forms to primary sources to verify training. An advantage to this system is that credentials are 'banked'; this may facilitate later applications.</p> <p>Three psychologists will need to serve as references.</p>
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			<p>Mississippi requires criminal background checks carried out by the Federal Bureau of Investigations and the Mississippi Criminal Information Center.</p> <p>Fingerprints are to be made on the correct card. There is a fingerprint card request form in the application packet. A candidate who has gone through a background check in the prior two years may be exempted if results are made available.</p>	
<p>Missouri</p> <p>The Missouri Committee of Psychologists issues psychologist licenses and health service provider certifications (http://pr.mo.gov/psychologists-rules-statutes.asp). Both credentials require doctoral level education, postdoctoral supervised practice, and examination. The health service provider certification is dependent on having education and training that offer adequate preparation for direct client care.</p>	<p>All psychology candidates must complete doctoral programs in psychology. Doctoral programs are acceptable if they are accredited by the American Psychological Association (APA) or are designated or approved by the American Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (ASPPB) or the Council for the National Register of Health Service Providers in Psychology. They will also be accepted if they meet all standards found in Section 337.025 of state statute: The program must be a sequential course of study,</p>	<p>The graduate will need to earn at least 1,500 hours of supervised professional experience. It is acceptable to work 20 to 50 hours a week and accrue the experience in 12 to 24 months. A health service provider will need a primary supervisor who is endorsed as a health service provider or is eligible for such endorsement. A psychology candidate who is not seeking this credential may work under another qualified mental health professional.</p> <p>A candidate will have a primary supervisor who</p>	<p>Missouri has a three-step examination process. Candidates must take the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology, a national board examination. The state utilizes the computerized version of the EPPP (http://pr.mo.gov/boards/psychology/eppexam03.pdf). Candidates must apply to Missouri in order to be authorized to take the test. They will be sent registration information.</p> <p>Payment of the \$600 fee will result in issuance of an Authorization to Test. The</p>	<p>A candidate first applies to the Board when ready to begin supervised practice. Official transcripts must be sent directly from the issuing university. The candidate will also need three references (called 'endorsements') from mental health professionals. Additional materials will be added to the application file later as requirements are met.</p> <p>Application forms are available on the Committee site (http://pr.mo.gov/psychologists-application-forms.asp). Applicants are asked to read</p>

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	<p>clearly labeled as psychology, with a psychologist bearing responsibility. The program must comprise at least three years of graduate study, with at least one year done in residence.</p> <p>The course of study must include at least three semester hours or five quarter hours of coursework in each of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Scientific methods and procedures: This requirement may be met through coursework like psychometrics, statistics, or experimental design. ● The biological basis of behavior: This may be met through courses such as sensation and perception, comparative psychology, neuropsychology, or psychopharmacology. ● The cognitive-affective 	<p>oversees training. In some cases, clinical supervision will be delegated to one or more other qualified individuals. A trainee who is working under multiple supervisors will meet with the primary supervisor at least one hour a month and with clinical supervisors at least one hour per week. A trainee who has only one supervisor will meet with that individual for at least one hour per week.</p> <p>The trainee will fill out a supervision plan at the onset; this form is six pages long and elicits significant detail about the work setting and supervisory process.</p> <p>Primary and secondary supervisors will later evaluate the candidate before the Committee, giving an overall rating of 'very good' to 'not acceptable' and a similar rating in each of seven performance categories. In some cases, 'unable to evaluate' may be selected.</p>	<p>Missouri Committee cautions that candidates must sit for the examination during the testing window granted by the ATT; otherwise, they will be required to go through the application process again. Scheduling may take place at any authorized Prometric center but should be done early. A handbook is available in PDF form on the Committee site (http://pr.mo.gov/boards/psychology/eppexam03.pdf).</p> <p>The Committee will release results to the candidate. Retakes are permitted.</p> <p>Candidates should expect to receive registration information for state-specific tests as they become eligible. The jurisprudence examination tests knowledge of the Missouri Psychology Practice Act and Rules. 70% is considered passing.</p> <p>Dates of upcoming jurisprudence and oral examinations may be found on the Board site (http://pr.mo.gov/psychologists-exam-dates.asp).</p>	<p>the instruction letter and follow all instructions precisely.</p> <p>There is a \$150 application fee. Applications are to be sent to the Committee office in Jefferson City. Application status can be monitored online.</p>
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	<p>basis of behavior: This content area includes cognitive psychology as well as coursework in emotion, motivation, thinking, and learning.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The social basis of behavior: This includes coursework in areas like social psychology, interpersonal relationships, and group processes and dynamics. • Individual differences: This may be met through course offering like human developmental, developmental psychology, abnormal psychology, or psychology of aging. The program must be appropriate internship or other field or laboratory 			
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	<p>training.</p> <p>A candidate who seeks health service provider certification should enroll in a clinical or counseling psychology program that is designated by the ASPPB or NR or a program that is accredited by the APA in some area recognized as health service; such programs typically include rigorous internship experiences. (A student who completes a program in another branch of psychology will need to do additional training if he or she later seeks health service certification. There are re-specialization programs for this purpose.)</p>			
<p>Montana</p> <p>Montana psychologists are regulated by the Montana Board of Psychologists (http://bsd.dli.mt.gov/license/bsd_boards/psy_board/board_page.asp). Licensure is granted to individuals who earn qualifying doctoral degrees, complete a supervised practice requirement, and pass a</p>	<p>There are three routes to licensure:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A doctoral program accredited by the American Psychological Association (APA) • A doctoral program and an APA retraining 	<p>The Montana Board requires two years of supervised professional experience (or the equivalent). 1,600 hours are counted as one year. The first year may be pre-doctoral: completed at the post-master level as part of the doctoral program. If not accredited by the APA, the internship program should be "substantially equivalent".</p> <p>The graduate must work</p>	<p>A candidate who has completed all requirements but the examination will submit an application to the Montana Board (http://bsd.dli.mt.gov/license/bsd_boards/psy_board/board_page.asp). This should be done three months before a scheduled oral examination in order to allow all materials to be reviewed. Upcoming Montana Oral Exam dates, and application deadlines,</p>	<p>The application requires notarization. There is a nonrefundable \$175 application fee.</p> <p>A candidate must do a self-query through the National Practitioner Data Bank (http://www.npdb.hrsa.gov/). The candidate may call 1-800-767-6732 to initiate the process.</p>

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<p>two-examination sequence. The Board also requires evidence of good character.</p>	<p>program</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A doctoral program and a course of study that meets requirements established by the Montana Board <p>An approved psychology program will be a coherent entity within a regionally accredited school. A psychologist is to have responsibility for the program.</p> <p>There must be at least 60 semester hours of formal graduate study in psychology. Excluding practicum, dissertation, and transfer credit, there must be at least 30 semester hours.</p> <p>The program must cover statistics and psychometrics, professional standards and ethics, and research design and methodology.</p> <p>There must be substantive coursework in individual difference and in social, cognitive-affective, and biological bases of behavior.</p>	<p>under supervision until an additional 1,600 hours have been accrued. This may take place over a period of one to two years. A candidate may not exceed two years unless an exception has been granted by the Board. At least half of the work experience is to be spent directly providing clinical services.</p> <p>The worker will have a board-approved supervisor. The supervisor does not have to be employed by the same agency, but must be available to both supervisee and clients. There must be at least two additional mental health professionals at the work setting who can act as supervisors.</p> <p>The candidate must submit a supervision plan to the Board at the onset of post-doctoral practice.</p> <p>A minimum of one hour of face-to-face supervision is required. Two-way interactive teleconferencing may be utilized for supervisory sessions. Conferencing that is audio only is allowed only with the express approval of the Board and may not constitute more than one-fourth of the total</p>	<p>are listed on the Board site. (In 2012 and 2013, biannual exams were scheduled for April and October.)</p> <p>The following are to be sent directly to the Montana Board from the source:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • certified transcripts • five references <p>Candidates who did not graduate from clinical APA programs will need to fill out an educational record form and include syllabi and course descriptions. Some candidates will need to have their credentials evaluated by the Association of State & Provincial Psychology Boards (ASPPB). The Montana Board notes that the fee is currently \$200.</p>	<p>Three recent work samples must be submitted. At least two are to be psychological evaluations. Candidates must demonstrate that they can take a patient history, administer IQ and personality tests, and make appropriate recommendations. Publications do not count as work samples.</p> <p>Once all application materials have been approved, the candidate will be scheduled for an oral examination.</p> <p>The candidate will be ranked between one and five in competency areas such as mental health law, ethics, psychotherapy, and assessment. Some questions will be based on the candidate's submitted work samples. There will be multiple Board members doing the ranking. Candidates must average at least a three overall and at least a two on all subscales.</p> <p>Candidates must also pass the EPPP, a national board examination. This is administered via computer on a continual basis. However, candidates must wait to receive authorization before registering. A \$600 fee will be paid upon registration.</p>
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	<p>There must also be adequate training in assessment, diagnosis, and treatment. Graduates should be familiar with major techniques and their theoretical bases. They should be able to carry out multiple types of assessments.</p> <p>The program must incorporate appropriate supervised work experiences. There are to be at least two semesters of practicum.</p>	<p>supervision.</p>		<p>Candidates can find answers to frequently asked questions on the site of the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (http://www.asppb.net/?EPPPFAQsBD).</p> <p>Candidates who fail the national board examination are required to retake both examinations. One retake is allowed (on either the oral or the two-test sequence) before a remediation plan is required.</p>
<p>Nebraska</p> <p>Nebraska psychologists are licensed by the Department of Health and Human Services (http://dhhs.ne.gov/publichealth/Pages/crl_mhcs_psych_psych.aspx). Licensure is dependent on attainment of a doctoral degree, fulfillment of pre- and postdoctoral supervised practice requirements, and completion of a multi-step examination process.</p> <p>While accruing postdoctoral supervised practice hours, an individual holds a provisional</p>	<p>Education must take place at the doctoral level. The program must be accredited by the American Psychological Association (APA) or deemed equivalent to an APA-accredited program. Nebraska will look for more than minimum program length or coursework in core competency areas. The program equivalency form considers many aspects of the program, from facilities to faculty hiring policies (http://dhhs.ne.gov/publichealth/Licensure/Documents/APAProgramEquivCriteria.pdf).</p>	<p>Two years of supervised practice are required; the first year is internship, the second, postdoctoral practice.</p> <p>The internship is normally APA-accredited. Non-APA internships are acceptable if it can be documented that they meet equivalent requirements. There must be three on-site psychologists who can act as supervisors. There will need to be at least two intern positions. There will need to be a minimum of four total hours of supervision each week, at least two of them individual. The internship may not commence until after</p>	<p>A candidate may take the EPPP after educational and internship requirements have been met and while working under provisional licensing. It will be necessary to submit an examination application. The Department will send registration information. The EPPP is administered at Prometric sites throughout the United States; in Nebraska, it is offered in Omaha, Nebraska, and Columbus. Eligible candidates will receive a letter which will invite them to complete the next part of the registration process.</p> <p>Payment of the \$600 fee grants the candidate a</p>	<p>An in-state candidate first applies for provisional licensing when preparing to begin postdoctoral practice. The applicant will need to document age (at least 19) and lawful presence. Internship verification and transcripts are to be sent directly by third parties. There is a \$50 fee to register supervision (and \$10 to add or change a supervisor).</p> <p>Application forms are available online (http://dhhs.ne.gov/publichealth/Pages/crl_mhcs_psych_psych.aspx#Applications).</p> <p>Licensing fees are prorated based on the stage of the</p>

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<p>license.</p>	<p>If a candidate's education does not meet standards, in most cases, the candidate will need a respecialization program.</p>	<p>practicum has been completed.</p> <p>The internship may be completed in 12 to 24 months. (An exception is school psychology; here ten months is acceptable.)</p> <p>Postdoctoral supervised practice is also 1,500 hours, but is completed while under state regulation. At least 1,000 of the hours are to be in areas defined as direct service. Direct service includes case conferences and treatment planning, but does not include supervision hours. (Other examples of activities that are not considered direct service are classroom teaching and managed care reviews.)</p> <p>A provisional license is issued for two years. Under normal circumstances, requirements are to be complete within 24 months. The license may be reissued one time. The licensee will need to submit another application.</p>	<p>60-day testing window; the exam can be scheduled at any authorized site, but slots may fill well in advance. The Board receives EPPP scores on a monthly basis and will report them to the candidate.</p> <p>Candidates seeking additional information may turn to the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (ASPPB) or Professional Examination Service (PES).</p> <p>The state-constructed examination has two parts: a written jurisprudence examination and an oral examination. The passing score is set at 80%. The jurisprudence examination is completed at home and brought to the oral examination. It covers psychology practice, state and federal law, rules, and ethics. It includes some concepts that are typically taught in general psychology coursework, for example, child abuse, dual relationships, dangerousness, and standards for using human subjects in psychological research. Candidates should be expected to be asked five random questions from the</p>	<p>renewal cycle.</p> <p>Out of state: A senior psychologist (licensed 20 or more years) will need to provide evidence of having been licensed based on a doctoral degree, but will not need to demonstrate that all current licensing standards were met.</p> <p>Psychologists may be eligible for reciprocity if one of the following conditions is met: They hold a Certificate of Professional Qualification or National Register of Health Services Providers credential, or live in a jurisdiction that is part of the ASPPB reciprocity agreement. Other participating jurisdictions include (as of November 2014) Arkansas, Manitoba, Missouri, Oklahoma, Ontario, and Texas.</p> <p>In order to be eligible for reciprocity, psychologists must have at least one year of active practice in the jurisdiction where they hold licensing and must have been in active practice at least three of the preceding five years; time spent in an internship or residency can be counted toward the latter</p>
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			<p>written exam.</p> <p>There are six oral examinations scheduled for 2014: in January, March, May, July, September, and November. A candidate turns in a short application when ready to take the examination; the application must be in by the first Monday of the intended month.</p> <p>The oral examination is short: about 15 minutes.</p>	<p>requirement. Reciprocity candidates submit applications, but some are not required to fill out all sections.</p> <p>Other out-of-state residents apply by requirements. They are generally expected to have completed postgraduate practice requirements within the same 24 month period that in-state candidates do, but are not necessarily held to identical standards for supervised experience.</p> <p>A reciprocity candidate may be granted a temporary license to practice while going through the state examination process. The fee is \$50.</p> <p>An out-of-state psychologist who will be practicing a total of 30 or fewer days in the year may be granted a temporary practice letter.</p>
<p>Nevada</p> <p>Nevada psychologists are licensed by the Board of Psychological Examiners (http://psyexam.nv.gov). The Board recognizes the</p>	<p>An individual will need to attain a doctoral degree. Generally speaking, doctoral programs should be accredited by the American Psychological Association (APA). In the case of non-APA programs, the</p>	<p>Pre- and postdoctoral supervised practice must together comprise 3,500 hours. The first 1,750 hours is internship. If the internship is not APA-accredited, it must meet standards set by the Board. It must take place in</p>	<p>Nevada psychologist candidates take two examinations. The primary licensing examination is the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP), which was developed by the Association</p>	<p>Nevada uses the ASPPB PLUS application system at both the psychologist and psychologist assistant levels. Candidates will fill out a short form application and mail it to the Board office in Reno. The application form must be</p>

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<p>following specialties, among others: clinical psychology, counseling psychology, educational psychology, and industrial psychology. Licensure is based on education, examination, and supervised professional practice.</p> <p>While completing postdoctoral practice, an individual is under board regulation; the status is Registered Psychological Assistant.</p>	<p>burden will be on the applicant to establish equivalency. Nevada requires programs to be the equivalent of at least three full-time years, exclusive of internship. The housing institution must hold appropriate accreditation.</p> <p>The program must include the equivalent of at least three semester hours in each of the following content areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Professional and scientific standards ● Research methodology and design ● Psychometrics ● Statistics <p>The following must also be addressed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The biological basis of behavior: This requirement may be met through coursework in one or more of the following areas: 	<p>an appropriate setting and be completed in a period of 10 months to two years. There must be training objectives that are addressed in sequential manner. Two hours of individual supervision is to be provided each week. There must be a written evaluation on at least a semiannual basis. At some point, the intern will need at least 40 hours of training in cultural, ethnic, and group bases of behavior.</p> <p>The postdoctoral training period is also 1,750 hours. In most cases, it must be completed in a period of ten months to three years, though the Board may grant exceptions; the “psychologist assistant” credential is issued for three years.</p> <p>A graduate who is working as an assistant must have four hours a month of individual supervision. At least half of a week’s work is to be spent in clinical practice; the Board counts practice-oriented supervision toward this total. The other hours may be spent in various psychology-related activities (which may include research, teaching, and/or administrative activity).</p>	<p>of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (ASPPB). It is administered at testing sites around the nation. State permission is required. A Nevada candidate may apply for permission once educational requirements have been met.</p> <p>After permission has been granted, the candidate may register and pay the \$600 fee (www.asppb.net). The candidate should not register until ready to take the exam, as the ATT issued by the testing company is good for just 60 days. The candidate may schedule at any authorized Prometric site, either in Nevada or another state. An additional fee (approximately \$80) is due to Prometric.</p> <p>The state examination covers issues of law and conduct and is now in multiple choice format. Among the topics are confidentiality and reporting, licensing and supervision, and ‘risk assessment and management of dangerousness’. The exam is given three times a year. Some administrations are in Reno, others in Las Vegas. In 2014, the fee will become \$270. Candidates should have their applications in to</p>	<p>notarized. Two passport-type photographs are required.</p> <p>Later, candidates will continue the application process online. The ASPPB will request some information directly from third parties.</p> <p>The initial forms can be downloaded from the Board site (http://psyexam.nv.gov/Forms/Forms). Application costs \$100.</p> <p>Out-of-state psychologists who possess a recognized mobility credential may have a simplified application process.</p> <p>In the case of experienced psychologists, the Board may accept 1,500 hours of supervised practice as a year at both the pre- and postdoctoral levels (http://www.leg.state.nv.us/NAC/NAC-641.html#NAC641Sec080).</p> <p>Psychologists who have been licensed 20 or more years will need to demonstrate that their licensure was based on doctoral education, but do not need to show that they passed the licensing examination. The examination requirement</p>
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	<p>physiological psychology, neuropsychology, comparative psychology, psychopharmacology, or human sexuality.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The social basis of behavior: This requirement may be met through coursework in social psychology, organizational and systems theory, ethnic cultural, and group processes, or sex roles. ● The cognitive-affective basis of behavior: Coursework may address cognition, thinking, memory, learning, emotion, or motivation. ● Individual differences: This requirement may be satisfied through coursework in personality 	<p>The psychological assistant must have an additional 40 hours of training related to the cultural, ethnic, and group bases of behavior. There must be at least three hours of individual supervision directed toward this competency area.</p>	<p>the Board office well in advance of their desired testing date.</p>	<p>may also be waived for psychologists who have been licensed ten years and are American Board of Professional Psychology (ABPP) diplomates or American Psychological Association (APA) fellows.</p>
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	<p>theory, human development, abnormal psychology, or disability psychology.</p> <p>Graduates of non-APA programs will need to demonstrate that coursework used to meet the above content requirements was equivalent to that which would be included in an APA-accredited program. (They may submit statements from instructors or from chairs of APA-accredited programs.)</p>			
<p>New Hampshire</p> <p>New Hampshire's psychologists are regulated by the new Board of Psychology, under the banner of the New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services. For now you can go to the New Hampshire Psychological Association website to learn more and find all of the licensure materials you will need as the new New Hampshire Board of Psychology gets organized</p>	<p>A prospective New Hampshire psychologist must earn a doctoral degree. A student who enrolls in a program accredited by the American Psychological Association or the Canadian Psychological Association can be assured of meeting educational standards.</p> <p>Doctoral programs that are not accredited by an approved organization must adhere to an extensive set of regulations adopted by the state.</p>	<p>A candidate for psychologist must complete two years (and at least 3,000 hours) of supervised work experience. The first year is internship, or formal training. The internship is not begun until the student has completed at least two years of graduate education. If the internship is not APA-approved, it must meet standards adopted by the New Hampshire Board.</p> <p>There must be at least two interns in training at the same time. The program must be planned and sequential and</p>	<p>The candidate must pass the Examination for the Professional Practice of Psychology (EPPP), a national examination developed by the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (ASPPB). Candidates can visit the ASPPB site to get an overview of examination content and testing procedures (http://www.asppb.net).</p> <p>The New Hampshire Board will send the testing company notice of approval. The</p>	<p>Candidates submit license applications before taking the national board examination. Application forms are currently available on the site of the state's APA affiliate, the New Hampshire Psychological Association (http://www.nhpaonline.org/Board%20of%20Psych/BOPInformation.htm).</p> <p>The application includes six essay questions; applicants will staple all the pages of their essays together and make sure that a name</p>

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<p>http://www.nhpaonline.org/Board%20of%20Psych/BOPInformation.htm). As of July 2013, psychologists are no longer under the jurisdiction of the New Hampshire Board of Mental Health Practice.</p> <p>As before, licensure is based on education, examination, and supervised professional experience. Applicants are evaluated on the basis of references and written responses to essay questions.</p>	<p>The psychology program must be clearly identified as such. It must be housed in a regionally accredited college or university. A psychologist must be at the helm.</p> <p>The degree must represent at least three academic years of study. At least one year must be done in residence. (Applicants who do some portion of their education online or through other distance modalities will need to submit paperwork that documents that the residency requirement was met.)</p> <p>The student must have a total of 24 semester hours in the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Biological and chemical basis of behavior: This content area includes sensation and perception, neuropsychology, psychopharmacology, physiological psychology, and comparative psychology. ● Social basis of behavior: Covered under this 	<p>must provide interns the opportunity to carry out a range of psychological assessments and treatments. The goals and standards must be stated in written materials. There must be at least two hours a week of formal supervisory sessions and at least two hours of additional learning experiences. At least 375 hours must be spent in direct client contact. The experience must be completed within a 24 month period.</p> <p>During the first year, the individual must use a title that reflects trainee status. This may be intern, fellow, or resident.</p> <p>The second year of professional experience may be completed before or after the doctoral degree is conferred. Again, the requirement is 1,500 hours and may be completed in one calendar year or two. The psychologist will need one hour a week of direct supervision at this stage.</p> <p>The application packet includes internship and supervised experience verification forms.</p>	<p>testing company will then issue an authorization to test (or ATT). This allows the candidate to schedule a computerized exam at whichever testing location is most convenient, either in New Hampshire or another state. A \$600 fee will be assessed by the testing company upon registration. The ATT will be good for 60 days.</p> <p>The New Hampshire Board will mail examination results to the candidate.</p> <p>A candidate who fails the examination can register again once the mandatory 60-day wait period has elapsed.</p> <p>A candidate who fails a second time will need to do remediation. This may entail completing academic coursework or taking an APA-approved course. Continuing education coursework must be approved by the APA or by a regionally accredited university if it is to satisfy the remediation requirement.</p>	<p>appears on each page.</p> <p>The candidate will need at least three professional references; one must come from a supervisor. The candidate will fill out the information at the top of the form before sending it to references. Later the references will return forms in sealed envelopes to be included in the application packet.</p> <p>The applicant will pay a nonrefundable \$150 application fee. (The successful candidate will later pay a \$135 licensing fee.)</p> <p>Candidates who have already passed the EPPP should get official verification from the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (ASPPB) and submit it to the New Jersey Board in its original envelope.</p> <p>Psychologists who are licensed in other jurisdictions (or have applied for such licensing) are required to submit license verification.</p> <p>International candidates must have degrees deemed equivalent by a National</p>
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	<p>standard are social psychology, group processes, cultural diversity, and organizational and systems theory.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Cognitive-affective basis of behavior: This standard encompasses emotion, learning, thinking, and motivation. ● Individual differences: This may include human development, personality theory, and abnormal psychology. <p>Additionally, there must be coursework in each of the following areas;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Statistics ● Psychometrics ● Research methodology and design 			<p>Association of Credential Evaluation Services (NACES) member.</p>
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Professional standards and ethics 			
<p>New Jersey</p> <p>New Jersey psychologists are regulated by the State Board of Psychological Examiners (http://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/psy). A prospective psychologist must earn a doctoral degree, complete a post-degree supervised practice requirement, and pass state and national examinations. Evidence of good character is also required.</p>	<p>A New Jersey psychologist will need a doctoral degree in psychology or a closely related field. A degree is considered license-qualifying if it is accredited by the American Psychological Association or Canadian Psychological Association or has been designated by the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards/National Register.</p> <p>Other doctoral programs may qualify if they have a full-time faculty of professionals who hold psychology degrees and if they require students to physically attend class full-time for one year or part time for two years.</p> <p>Candidates who enrolled before September 19, 2011 are not held to the residency or full-time faculty requirements.</p> <p>The doctoral program must include at least 40 semester hours of psychology courses,</p>	<p>A candidate will need at least 3,500 total hours of supervised work experience. 1,750 must be post-doctoral.</p> <p>There must be no fewer than 1,000 direct client contact hours at the post-doctoral level. 550 post-doctoral hours are to be spent in work related activities which may include record keeping and consultation.</p> <p>While completing the supervised practice requirements, a psychology candidate works under a temporary permit. This type of permit is good for three years and may be extended only on demonstration of good cause.</p> <p>The supervisee practices under the guidance of a board-approved supervisor and is subject to evaluations at six month intervals. The supervisee must receive at least 200 hours of direct supervision; fully half of the supervisory hours must be individual.</p>	<p>New Jersey candidates complete all supervision requirements before seeking board permission to take licensing examinations.</p> <p>Once the Board has approved the candidate, he or she may register for the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP). The EPPP is administered at computerized testing sites around the nation. A candidate who pays the \$600 fee will be allowed to schedule an examination at the most convenient site. Early scheduling is recommended as the examination must be attempted during the 60 day window granted by the ATT.</p> <p>The state oral examination is based on a work sample that the candidate submits. A candidate who passes the EPPP is expected to take the state exam within 90 days of notification.</p> <p>A candidate who does not pass the EPP may retake the</p>	<p>Application forms can be downloaded from the site of the New Jersey Board (http://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/psy/psy_applications.htm). The application requires detailed information about work history. There are also questions about professional and legal history, health impairments, and student loan and child support status.</p> <p>Candidates are asked to attach a copy of the abstract of their psychology dissertation.</p> <p>The application packet includes an affidavit that must be notarized; the candidate affirms that materials contained in the packet are true and also attests to having read the applicable statutes and regulations. A nonrefundable \$125 application fee must be included with the application.</p>

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	<p>with at least six each in the following core areas.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Personality theory and human development ● Psychological measurement and assessment ● Physiological psychology and learning theory ● Psychological therapy and counseling or industrial/ organizational psychology ● Psychopathology ● Research and statistical design <p>The candidate must have at least 20 additional semester hours of psychology courses, but these do not have to be a part of the doctoral program per se.</p> <p>The Board may allow candidates who have six or fewer semester hours of deficiencies to make them up through further academic</p>		<p>exam. New Jersey does not place any limits n retakes beyond those set by the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (ASPPB).</p> <p>Candidates who have already passed the EPPP in another state or province may request a score transfer using the form found in the license application packet. The ASPPB charges \$85 for this service (\$115 if the candidate requests expedited processing). Fees are substantially discounted for candidates who hold ASPPB credentials.</p>	
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<p>New Mexico</p> <p>New Mexico psychologists are licensed by the Board of Psychologist Examiners (http://www.rld.state.nm.us/boards/Psychologist_Examiners.aspx). Licensure is based on doctoral level education, supervised practice, and successful examination performance.</p> <p>The Board of Psychologist Examiners also issues prescriptive authority -- New Mexico is one of just two states that allows psychologists to prescribe psychotropic medication. Prescriptive privilege is dependent on post-doctoral training, examination, and additional supervised practice.</p>	<p>A prospective psychologist must earn a doctoral degree in clinical psychology, counseling psychology, or school psychology. The program may be designated as a psychology program by the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (ASPPB) or accredited by a nationally recognized accrediting agency.</p>	<p>A total of 3,000 hours of supervised practice is required. Up to 1,500 hours of pre-internship experience may be credited if it meets ASPPB standards. Pre-internship practicums are only credited if they are "high quality" organized training programs. They must be monitored by the university. There must be a licensed psychologist who is responsible for program integrity. An hour of supervision is required for every eight hours worked. The student must meet board requirements for clinical client contact hours.</p> <p>New Mexico will credit up to 1,500 hours from a pre-doctoral internship that is accredited by the American Psychological Association (APA), and up to 750 from a pre-doctoral internship not accredited by the APA. Non-APA internships must meet standards adopted by the New Mexico Board (http://www.nmcpr.state.nm.us/nmac/parts/title16/16.022.006.htm). The internship must be accepted by the educational institution as</p>	<p>Two examinations are required. The New Mexico Jurisprudence Examination is open-book and is available online. It is based on the New Mexico Psychologists Code of Conduct as well as on state statutes, rules, and regulations. There is a \$75 fee. The exam is to be printed and submitted to the Board at the time of application. The passing score is 75%. The examination may be retaken if necessary.</p> <p>Candidates will not take the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology until after their license application has been approved (unless they have already passed the examination in another jurisdiction).</p> <p>Candidates should submit their applications to the New Mexico Board at least 60 days before their intended examination date. New Mexico allows candidates eighteen months for the examination process. However, once the candidate has registered and paid fees, the testing company will</p>	<p>The application must be notarized and submitted with a \$300 fee. Three letters of reference are required.</p> <p>Candidates must have fingerprint-based background checks using cards provided by the Board. Applicants may call the Board at (505) 476-4960 to request cards. They also have the option of stopping by the Board office in Santa Fe.</p> <p>The fingerprint cards are to be submitted to the New Mexico Department of Public Safety. A \$44 fee must be included.</p> <p>Reciprocal licenses may be issued to applicants who are currently licensed in another jurisdiction and have held licensing for at least ten years with no disciplinary action in the preceding five.</p> <p>Psychologists who have been licensed five years or more years and who hold a Certificate of Professional Qualification (CPQ) or National Register (NR) credential have a simplified application process.</p>

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		<p>meeting degree requirements. It must provide sufficiently broad experience. The student must work at least 20 hours a week.</p> <p>The remaining hours are to be done as supervised post-doctoral experience. Post-doctoral candidates must work under a primary supervisor who is a licensed psychologist. They are to meet with the primary supervisor one hour per week (46 hours per year). In cases where the primary supervisor is more than 100 miles from the work setting, telephone or videoconferencing may substitute for some in-person supervision. However, supervisor and supervisee must still meet face-to-face at least two hours a month. There must be on-site supervision by a qualified mental health professional (psychiatrist, clinical mental health counselor, social worker, or marriage and family therapist).</p> <p>The candidate can submit a post-doctoral supervisory plan to the Board; this will assure that the experience will be accepted as license-qualifying. The Board is committed to responding to</p>	<p>issue an Authorization to Test that is good for only 60 days.</p> <p>Candidates can expect to pay \$600 upon registration. An additional fee (approximately \$80) will be due to Prometric, the company that runs the computerized testing sites. Candidates are allowed to schedule at any authorized Prometric Center in the nation.</p> <p>New Mexico allows up to three examination attempts during the 18 month period. Each attempt will incur additional fees.</p>	<p>Out-of-state candidates must meet a New Mexico cultural competency requirement. They have one year to do so.</p>
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		<p>such plans within 60 days.</p> <p>Candidates who do not submit plans may still be licensed on the basis of the supervision they record. However, they run the risk of having part or all the experience denied.</p>		
<p>New York</p> <p>New York psychologists are licensed by the Office of the Professions, under the banner of the New York State Education Department (http://www.op.nysed.gov/prof/psych). Psychologists must complete doctoral degrees, pass a national board examination, and acquire professional experience under supervision.</p>	<p>A prospective psychologist must complete a license qualifying psychology doctoral program. New York maintains a list of in-state programs that are license qualifying. Programs located in other jurisdictions must be deemed equivalent.</p> <p>The student will need at least three semester hours each in the following core content areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Psychology history and design • Research design, methodology, and statistics • Psychometrics 	<p>The equivalent of two years of supervised professional experience is required for full licensure; 1,750 hours is considered one year. The first year may be a university-approved pre-doctoral field experience. Applied research is acceptable if the research was not part of the dissertation or thesis requirement.</p> <p>At least one year of experience must be post-doctoral. In many cases, a graduate will need to apply for a limited permit. Some New York settings are exempt from licensure requirements. A candidate who works in such a setting may have hours credited toward licensure without holding a permit. However, it is crucial to know that the setting is indeed exempt; in some instances, employment</p>	<p>New York requires the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP). Candidates are eligible to take the licensing examination after they have completed their degree and at least one year (1,750 hours) of supervised practice. Many candidates will have fulfilled the supervised practice requirement upon graduation.</p> <p>Approved candidates will receive information from Professional Examination Service. A candidate handbook is available for download on the site of the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (http://www.asppb.net).</p> <p>Candidates should expect to pay \$600 upon registration and \$79.56 upon scheduling. An ATT is issued soon after</p>	<p>The application is typically submitted when some requirements are left to be met (http://www.op.nysed.gov/prof/psych/howtoapply.htm). A graduate who needs a temporary permit must submit the entire license application; the form requires notarization.</p> <p>It is permissible to begin the application file even before degree requirements have been met, but a permit will not be issued until afterward. If a student is attending a program that is listed as degree qualifying in New York, the program will submit a form to verify that degree requirements have been met.</p> <p>The application fee is \$294. The temporary permit costs an additional \$70. As requirements are met, content will be added to the</p>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biological basis of behavior • Individual differences • Social basis of behavior • Cognitive-affective basis of behavior <p>There must also be coursework in cultural and ethnic diversity and in scientific and professional standards. There must be a year of practical experience which may be practicum, internship, or applied research.</p> <p>New York mandates training in child abuse. Candidates who complete programs that are registered in New York will have this training integrated into their coursework. Candidates who complete out-of-state programs may complete the training through an approved provider. A list of approved providers can be found by clicking here.</p>	<p>may be deemed illegal practice of psychology. An individual who holds a permit is permitted to use the word “psychologist” in his or her job title but status must be made clear. Under normal circumstances, graduates can work under limited permits for up to three years; this period may be extended by one year if the Board concurs that there is good cause. Attestation of supervision must be submitted at the end of the supervisory period.</p> <p>A candidate who works in an academic setting can only credit assignments that were a full semester in length and involved teaching at least six semester hours. Candidates who work in other settings must work at least 16 hours a week. The Board considers 16 to 34 hours a week to be part-time, 35 to 45 hours to be full-time. Part-time workers must have at least two hours of supervision every two weeks while full-time workers must have two hours each week. At least one hour must be an individual supervisory session which focuses on service delivery. The other hour may be spent in seminars, group supervision,</p>	<p>registration; the examination must be scheduled and taken within 60 days.</p> <p>An unsuccessful candidate may schedule another exam, subject to additional fees. New York allows four attempts in a year.</p>	<p>file. Candidates who are awaiting licensure may do online license verification.</p> <p>Out-of-state psychologists will need to provide license verification for each state. Confirmation of EPPP test results may be provided by the state of licensure or by the ASPPB. A candidate who was licensed on the basis of some other examination may request that the other jurisdiction submit a copy of the examination to New York for review purposes. Candidates who earned doctoral degrees before October 1, 1992 do not necessarily have to demonstrate that one year of their supervised practice was earned after the degree was granted.</p> <p>The Board notes, though, that the Certificate of Professional Qualification (CPQ) is not accepted for mobility purposes in New York.</p> <p>An otherwise qualified out-of-state licensee who needs to take the examination may be granted a temporary permit to practice while awaiting examination, provided the application is submitted</p>
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		or "apprenticeship activities".		<p>within six months of taking up residence in New York. This type of temporary permit is good for just one year. It will be invalidated if the candidate fails the licensing examination.</p> <p>Internationally educated candidates should contact the Department to find out what materials must be submitted.</p>
<p>North Carolina</p> <p>North Carolina psychologists are licensed by the North Carolina Psychology Board. The Board also issues health service provider endorsements to psychologists who provide direct services to individuals with impairments in functioning. Both credentials depend on education, examination, and supervised practice. Health service providers have more specific educational and practice requirements.</p> <p>While completing supervised practice requirements, psychologists work under provisional licensing.</p>	<p>A prospective psychologist must complete a doctoral degree. If the program is not accredited by the American Psychological Association or Canadian Psychological Association, it must meet the requirements of 21 NCAC 54 .1803.</p> <p>The program must be an organized and sequential study. At least one of the following professionals must be a psychologist: the committee chair, advisor, major professor, or administrative head. There must be adequate psychology faculty. (The Board will look for a list of faculty at the time of application.)</p> <p>The program should include</p>	<p>Psychology candidates must have two years of supervised professional experience, at least one of them at the post-doctoral level.</p> <p>One year (1,500 hours) must be an organized training program. During this time, the intern will receive two hours a week of supervision. At least one must be provided by a psychologist. The intern will do at least two hours a week of additional learning experiences; this may include a range of activities, from group supervision to assigned readings. A prospective health service provider will need to spend at least 25% of the required hours directly providing services to</p>	<p>Candidates must take a national board examination, the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP). Board permission is required. North Carolina charges a \$50 administrative fee. \$600 will be paid to a third party upon registration (asppb.net). Candidates are allowed to schedule at their choice of Prometric centers. The exam is administered via computer.</p> <p>A candidate who does not pass the EPPP may retake it after waiting 60 days. One failure will not affect status. A candidate who fails a second time is no longer allowed to practice until such time as a license has been issued. The North Carolina Board allows up to four examination</p>	<p>An in-state candidate will apply for a provisional license at the onset of supervised practice and apply to move from provisional to permanent licensing after all requirements have been met.</p> <p>A candidate who is applying for health services certification will fill out two separate applications. Applications may be filled out online and printed (http://www.ncpsychologyboard.org/application.htm).</p> <p>Three professional references are required. At least one of them must come from a psychologist. The references should be included in the application packet in signed, sealed</p>

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	<p>at least 60 semester hours of standard psychology courses (exclusive of dissertation credits and practicums and internships). If a candidate had 54 to 60 semester hours of acceptable coursework, however, the candidate can make up the remainder through postdoctoral coursework.</p> <p>There must be a minimum of three semester hours in each of the following content areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Cognitive-affective bases of behavior ● Biological bases of behavior ● Social bases of behavior ● Individual differences <p>The following must also be covered:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Professional 	<p>patients.</p> <p>The graduate must work under supervision for a full 12 months and until at least 1,500 hours have been accrued. An hour a week of supervision must be provided. A supervisory contract is required. A supervisee who needs to make changes to their plan must submit a new contract form within 30 days.</p> <p>The candidate must keep records of both practice hours and health service hours. The Board notes that all hours recorded as health service hours also qualify as practice hours. A provisional licensee providing health services will also need a provisional provider endorsement. The provisional licensee will remain under supervision until such time as a permanent license has been issued.</p> <p>It is acceptable for a professional to begin working under supervision before submitting an application, but only if the application is submitted within thirty days of the time the individual first offers to provide services. An individual who does not</p>	<p>attempts over a 12 month period. The state exam covers the psychologist practice act, state rules, and the APA code of ethics. There is a \$200 fee. Candidates may schedule the examination at their choice of PSI sites.</p>	<p>envelopes.</p> <p>Transcripts must be sent directly from the issuing institution. A candidate who has been licensed or certified in any profession will need to provide verification from the board or association. The application carries a \$100 fee. The health provider endorsement carries an additional \$50 fee.</p> <p>The Board notes that if an application is in by the last business day of the month, it will usually be reviewed within one month.</p> <p>The North Carolina Board accepts the following credentials for mobility: Certificate of Professional Qualification, National Register (NR) credential, American Board of Professional Psychology diplomate status.</p> <p>The EPPP requirement is waived for ABPP diplomates. A psychologist who has been licensed at least 12 years in an ASPPB jurisdiction, and who has practiced at least half-time for 10, may be eligible to apply through the senior psychologist pathway. A clean disciplinary history is required. The psychologist</p>
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	<p>and scientific standards</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Research design and methodology ● Statistics and psychometrics <p>At least 30 semester hours are to be taken in residence at the institution. The following APA specialties are recognized as appropriate for health service provider (HSP-P) credentialing: counseling psychology, clinical psychology, school psychology*, and combined scientific-professional psychology. Candidates are also deemed qualified if they have completed a doctoral program or respecialization program that meets standards set by the Board. The program must cover psychopathology, assessment, diagnosis, and intervention.</p> <p>The program must include training relevant to at least one of the following: mental or emotional disorders or disabilities, conduct</p>	<p>follow time lines set by the Board loses the privilege of working until such time as a license is actually issued.</p>		<p>must have a doctoral degree.</p> <p>There are multiple methods to show that the health service provider endorsement is merited. The candidate may present a National Register credential or attest that NR qualifications have been met and that the credential will be forthcoming. The Board will also accept documentation that education and training requirements have been met. Psychologists who received their degree prior to January 1, 1978 have lesser academic requirements.</p>
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	<p>disorders, substance abuse, psychological aspects of physical conditions.</p>			
<p>North Dakota</p> <p>The North Dakota State Board of Psychologist Examiners issues two types of psychologist license. 'Industrial/ Organizational (I/O) Psychologists' and 'Psychologists' are both required to complete doctoral degrees, licensing examinations, and supervised practice. However, requirements for supervised practice are different.</p>	<p>Candidates will need to complete doctoral degrees in psychology. Programs must be accredited by the American Psychological Association (APA) or Canadian Psychological Association (CPA), or designated by the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards/National Register (ASSPPB/NR). I/O programs are designated by the ASSPPB/NR.</p>	<p>Psychologists must complete 3,000 hours of supervised experience. At least 1,500 must be pre-doctoral internship. APA- and CPA-accredited internships are automatically approved. Other internships may be accepted if information supplied by the applicant and supervisor indicate that the experience provided adequate training. The Board will consider the work setting, population served, amount and quality of supervision, and skills attained. The remaining 1,500 hours may be pre- or post-doctoral experience. The post-doctoral resident will need at least 100 hours of supervision during this period; at least 50 of them must be individual supervision. Again, post-doctoral programs accredited by the APA or CPA will be accepted as meeting standards.</p> <p>Pre-doctoral experiences may only be counted toward the second 1,500 hour requirement if they occurred</p>	<p>North Dakota requires candidates to take a state oral examination as well as a national board examination. Candidates will be eligible to take the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP) once their licensing examinations have been approved. They will be eligible to take the state oral examination after they have completed the EPPP and put in six months of supervised experience as residents.</p> <p>Once authorized for the EPPP, a candidate may register on the site of the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (http://asppb.net). A \$600 fee will be assessed. Shortly afterward, the candidate will receive an Authorization to Test (ATT) via email. This grants a 60 day testing window. A candidate may choose to schedule at a computerized testing site in North Dakota or elsewhere.</p> <p>A scaled score of 500 is</p>	<p>The first application that an in-state candidate will need to file is the notification of supervision. The license application must be filed within six months of beginning the supervised experience; it may be filed earlier. There is an application form available online that can be downloaded by clicking here. It must be notarized and submitted to the Board office in Bismarck. An application fee of \$450 must accompany it. Once the initial short form application has been processed, the candidate will fill out additional application materials online. (The Board notes that they are working with the ASPPB to create a universal application.)</p> <p>The North Dakota Board requires applicants to submit at least three letters of endorsement. Candidates may inquire by letter or email if a substantial amount of time passes without correspondence.</p>

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		<p>after the first 600 hours of practicum. They must be organized, sequential training experiences that have the approval of the program director or other designated individual. The doctoral student must work at least 15 hours a week for a minimum of 30 weeks. There must be at least an hour of supervision for every 15 hours spent at the work site. At least half the hours must be provided by the primary supervisor, though remote communications means may be utilized. There must be at least one additional hour each week (on average) spent in additional learning experiences like co-therapy, didactic consultations, case conferences, 'grand rounds', or seminars.</p> <p>The Board notes that research and faculty teaching positions may or may not meet supervised experience requirements. In order for the experience to be credited, the individual must be practicing psychology as defined by the state (http://www.legis.nd.gov/cencode/t43c32.pdf?20131030221933). The Board notes that courses like statistics would generally not be credited. However, courses that</p>	<p>considered passing. A candidate who fails an EPPP examination is allowed to retake. Additional fees will be assessed. Study resources are available on the ASPPB site.</p> <p>The structured oral examination covers ethics, professional standards, and North Dakota law. The candidate's responses will be recorded and discussed by Board members. At least three members of the North Dakota Board will vote on whether the responses indicate an adequate level of proficiency.</p>	
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		involved supervision would likely be credited -- provided the teacher/ supervisor was under adequate supervision.		
<p>Ohio</p> <p>Ohio psychologists are licensed by the State Board of Psychology (http://www.psychology.ohio.gov). Licensing laws have recently changed. Candidates have the option of applying under new or old pathways; this applies to those who enrolled in regionally accredited institutions by June 6, 2009 and who earn their doctoral degrees by April 6, 2017.</p> <p>Both pathways require candidates to earn doctoral degrees, pass licensing examinations, and practice under supervision. However, there are differences with regard to when the supervised practice hours can and must be earned. The old law required that one year of the supervised practice be post-doctoral; the new law drops that requirement, but mandates internship or formal training.</p>	<p>Generally speaking, psychology programs must be accredited or designated by the American Psychological Association, Canadian Psychological Association, or Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards/National Register. School psychology programs may be accredited by the National Association of School Psychologists. Under new law, programs which achieve accreditation status within two years of the time the degree is conferred are considered accredited.</p>	<p>Psychologists must have 3,600 hours of supervised practice whether they apply by old or new law. The new law requires an internship which may be completed over a time period of up to 24 months. There is some flexibility in the number of hours; 1,500 to 2,000 may be credited.</p> <p>Internships that are not accredited and are not members of the Association of Psychology Postdoctoral and Internship Centers are subject to standards adopted by the Ohio Board. The remaining hours may be earned either before or after the doctoral degree is conferred. Doctoral training placements may be credited if they took place after the student had earned 48 semester hours of coursework and 400 hours of practicum, provided that they met training standards. However, the Board notes that most states require post-doctoral practice and that psychologists who opt to</p>	<p>Ohio requires candidates to pass a series of two licensing examinations. The first is the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology, which is administered around the nation (http://www.asppb.net). Candidates are allowed to take the examination after educational requirements have been met. The Ohio Board screens candidates and determines that they are indeed qualified. At this point, the candidate will be sent EPPP registration materials.</p> <p>The candidate will pay \$600 in registration fees. Soon after, an ATT will be issued. The candidate may schedule a computerized examination at any authorized Prometric center in the nation; an additional small fee will be due Prometric.</p> <p>Later candidates will take the oral jurisprudence examination, which is based on state code. It is administered at multiple Ohio sites. Two Board members</p>	<p>Applications are available on the Board site. Candidates will select supervised experience forms based on their licensing pathway. The application packet includes a statement that requires notarization. Applicants must include a \$125 fee. The Board will require at least three letters of reference from psychologists. Transcripts may be requested from the issuing institution or included in the application packet in their original sealed envelopes.</p> <p>Applications should be mailed to the Board office in Columbus. Ohio requires state and criminal background checks. Candidates should visit the site of the state attorney general to find a list of agencies that hold a National Web Check designation..</p> <p>Candidates should be prepared to pay \$26 to \$29 each for the FBI and BCI background checks. The Board notes that fees for</p>

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<p>School psychologists have a separate set of requirements and can be licensed with a master's degree.</p>		<p>complete their hours before graduation could face license mobility issues.</p> <p>The older regulations cap credited pre-doctoral internship hours at 1,800 and require 1,800 hours of post-doctoral practice. The post-doctoral hours may be earned over a span of 12 to 36 months.</p> <p>Some teaching and research experiences may be counted toward supervised practice requirements; others are excluded. A maximum of 30% of the experience hours at either level may be credited for research or teaching.</p> <p>The Board has put together a fact sheet regarding what constitutes client contact hours in the field of industrial/organizational psychology.</p> <p>Graduates must register their supervision using the form provided by the Board. Supervisees are to have face-to-face supervision at a rate of at least 5% (or one hour for every 20 hours of client contact).</p>	<p>are in attendance. The candidate is advised of the results at the end of the session and typically receives a license five business days after successful examination. The Ohio Board does not charge for the state examination, provided it is passed on a first attempt. Retakes cost \$50. A prep manual is available on the Board site. In the event a candidate does fail, the examination may be retaken after a 30 day wait.</p>	<p>fingerprinting services are typically \$15 to \$20. However, fees are subject to increase. Candidates may call the Board office with questions about the fingerprinting process.</p> <p>The Board notes that out-of-state applicants should have their fingerprints made when they are in Ohio for the oral examination. There are fingerprinting sites located near the sites where the jurisprudence examination is administered.</p> <p>Out-of-state psychologists have a simplified application process if they present with ABPP, CPQ, or NRHSPP credentials. In this instance, transcripts, supervision forms, and EPPP score verification are not required.</p> <p>Under new law, senior psychologists (those licensed for at least ten consecutive years) may be licensed without meeting requirements to the letter. Nonresident psychologists may apply for a permit which will allow for up to 30 days of practice in Ohio during the span of one year. The Ohio Board will require evidence of doctoral education and supervised practice. A CPQ or ABPP</p>
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				credential can simplify the process.
<p>Oklahoma</p> <p>Oklahoma psychologists are licensed by the Oklahoma Board of Examiners of Psychologists. Licensure is granted to individuals who earn accredited doctoral degrees in psychology, pass a series of national and state examinations, and complete a supervised practice requirement.</p> <p>The Oklahoma Board also issues Health Service Provider (HSP) certification. The process is not necessarily longer, but there are specific requirements.</p>	<p>Oklahoma psychologists must earn their doctoral degrees through programs accredited by the American Psychological Association (APA). The requirement for APA accreditation does not apply to candidates who earned their degrees before 1997.</p>	<p>Two years of supervised professional practice is required before full licensure. Clinical psychology, school psychology, and counseling psychology trainees do their first year at the pre-doctoral level in an internship. The internship is a planned, programmed training sequence. At least 10% of an intern's week is spent in supervisory sessions. Clinical and counseling psychology interns spend at least 25% of their time in direct contact with patients.</p> <p>Clinical psychology internships may be full-time for one calendar year or part-time for two. Counseling and school psychology programs may also be full-time or part-time, but the time may be based on an academic year if the work takes place in an elementary or secondary school.</p> <p>At least one year of supervised practice will be at the postdoctoral level. The candidate has the option of working part-time and earning hours over a period</p>	<p>Prospective Oklahoma psychologists must pass three licensing examinations. Two of these examinations become eligible for shortly after their applications have been reviewed. Candidates who do not take and pass examinations on the expected time line jeopardize their supervised practice privileges.</p> <p>The Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP) is a national licensing examination. Approved candidates may register through the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards. A candidate bulletin and preparatory materials can also be found on the ASPPB site.</p> <p>Upon registration and payment of the \$600 examination fee, the candidate will be issued an Authorization to Test (ATT). This authorizes the candidate to schedule at a convenient Prometric Center, either in</p>	<p>Candidates must submit their license application at the onset of postdoctoral practice unless they are in an exempt setting (in which case a supervision agreement will still be required). The application must be submitted at least 30 days in advance of a board meeting in order to be reviewed at that meeting.</p> <p>Applications may be requested from the executive officer. Candidates may email Teanne.Rose at psychology.ok.gov or call 405-524-9094 (http://www.ok.gov/OSBEP/Become_a_Licensed_Psychologist/index.html). Three professional references are required. There is a \$400 nonrefundable application fee.</p> <p>Oklahoma has signed the ASPPB Agreement of Reciprocity (http://www.asppb.net/?page=AOR). Other member states include Arkansas, Missouri, Nebraska, and Texas. The provinces of Manitoba and</p>

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		<p>of up to three years. The Board considers 2,000 hours to be the equivalent of one year in all specialties but school psychology. School psychology programs may be based on an academic year. In school psychology, the number of hours in a full-time contracted position may be accepted as a year.</p> <p>Candidates who seek HSP certification should do their postdoctoral practice in a setting where such services are delivered. Typically, state agencies are exempt from licensing requirements. If a resident/ trainee opts to work in a non-exempt institution or in a private practice, however, an application is required.</p> <p>There is an annual fee for supervisees in private practice and institutional settings. The supervisor in a private practice setting will be a licensed psychologist in private practice who is trained in the same branch of psychology in which the supervisee completed his or her studies.</p> <p>Over the course of the supervisory period, the supervisee will need at least 75 hours of individual,</p>	<p>Oklahoma or another state. The examination is administered via computer. A scaled score of 500 is the threshold for passing.</p> <p>The jurisprudence or state ethics examination is administered four times per year at the Board office. A list of exam dates can be found on the Board site. Study materials are also posted. The passing score for the jurisprudence exam is 70%.</p> <p>The last is the oral examination. It is given twice a year. The Board notes that the jurisprudence requirement must be met approximately two months before an oral examination date.</p> <p>The oral examination is administered by committee. It is based on a vignette which is designed to simulate an actual patient and the various issues surrounding psychological care. Questions will address eight content areas, among them, assessment and evaluation, human diversity, and legal and regulatory mandates.</p> <p>The candidate will be ranked from one to five in each of the content areas. The maximum score is 40; a 24 is</p>	<p>Ontario also have reciprocity.</p> <p>To use this pathway, candidates must have practiced for five years and must have a good disciplinary history. A candidate for reciprocity will have application materials to submit, but the process will be less involved.</p> <p>Psychologists may also be endorsed on the basis of either of the following credentials: Diplomate status through the American Board of Professional Psychology (ASBPP) or a Certificate of Professional Qualification (CPQ). ABPP certification may be used as evidence that HSP requirements have been met.</p>
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		<p>face-to-face supervision. Sessions must be scheduled and must be distributed over the experience period.</p>	<p>considered passing. Results are typically reported within 14 days. It is possible to get an overall passing score with a score of less than three in one or more content areas. However, an individual who earns less than a three in any content area will be contacted by a resource person; the professional will make remediation recommendations. A licensing examination may be retaken if necessary, subject to mandatory wait times and additional fees. A maximum of four attempts is allowed.</p>	
<p>Oregon</p> <p>The Oregon Board of Psychologist Examiners, or OBPE, licenses the state's psychologists. Licensure is based on doctoral education, examination, and postdoctoral practice.</p> <p>The OBPE also issues psychologist associate licenses to candidates with education at the master's level.</p> <p>While completing supervised practice requirements, psychologists work under</p>	<p>Psychologists must have education at the doctoral level. A program that is accredited by the American Psychological Association or Canadian Psychological Association meets requirements. Other U.S. programs that are housed in regionally accredited universities, as well as Canadian programs that hold a provincial or territorial charter, may be approved if they meet additional requirements. Candidates should be aware, however, that the state is considering changing this standard and requiring programmatic</p>	<p>The graduate must do a 1,500 hour residency. This must be completed in a period of no less than 12 months. During this time, the candidate will need weekly supervision by a psychologist who has held a license at least two years. A resident who works 20 hours a week or less will need an hour of individual supervision. A resident who works more than 20 hours will need two hours of total supervision; one hour may be group supervision, provided the session meets Board requirements. Group supervision may be provided</p>	<p>Candidates are eligible to take the required examinations shortly after graduation. It is necessary to file an application with the Board. The exams may be taken in either order. They do not need to be taken before supervised practice, but both will to be taken at some point before licensing (http://www.oregon.gov/obpe/Pages/Examinations.aspx).</p> <p>The Examination for the Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP) is a national board examination. The candidate may send an email to the Board to request</p>	<p>The Oregon Board mandates a fingerprint-based background check. Candidates begin the process by sending \$44.50 to the Board along with a request for materials and instructions. They will have a choice of LiveScan (electronic) or traditional fingerprinting sites. The fingerprinting process is to be completed within one week of receiving the fingerprint cards and other materials.</p> <p>A license application must be submitted before an individual begins post-graduate practice</p>

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<p>provisional licensing.</p>	<p>accreditation. Current regulations are summarized below:</p> <p>The program must be labeled as a psychology program. It must require three academic years of graduate study. One year must be spent in 'continual residence'. This may be two semesters or three quarters. Candidates who enrolled before August 12, 2011 and who apply to the Board by August 15, 2015, though, are held to lesser residency requirements. There must be three semester hours, or the equivalent, in each core content area:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Individual behavioral differences • Biological basis of behavior • Social basis of behavior • Cognitive-affective basis of behavior • Statistics 	<p>by a different psychologist.</p> <p>Individual supervision may occasionally be deferred for up to 14 days due to illness, travel, or non-routine events. However, residents will not receive credit for experience hours that do not meet minimum standards. The Oregon Board recommends that residents have an associate supervisor as well as a primary one.</p> <p>Generally speaking, residents must work under resident contracts. Some settings are license exempt. In such cases, the Board recommends, but does not mandate, a resident contract.</p> <p>The resident is subject to evaluations at six month intervals. It is expected that the residency be completed within 24 months. However, a resident may request an extension for good cause.</p> <p>The Board notes that while supervisory sessions, consultations, and service-oriented research and correspondence may be credited, some forms of research are not credited. Administrative meetings, lecturing, and teaching are also not credited.</p>	<p>permission. At this point, the candidate can register through the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards and pay the \$600 fee (http://www.asppb.net). An ATT will be issued; this is good for 60 days and allows for scheduling at any authorized center.</p> <p>A candidate who fails the EPPP examination may register again (subject to mandatory wait times established by the ASPPB). In the event of a second failure, the candidate will need to submit a study plan.</p> <p>Candidates who are ready to take the Oregon Jurisprudence Exam (OJE) will send \$150 to the Board along with a request for permission. This should be done at least 30 days before the intended testing date.</p>	<p>(residency). A candidate may have a background check, and begin to submit documents, in the months before graduation (http://www.oregon.gov/obpe/Pages/app_info.aspx).</p> <p>The Board requires official transcripts sent directly from the university. Candidates who did not graduate from an APA-accredited program will have additional documentation. They will need to document coursework, internship, and university-level accreditation. Three professional references are required. The Board also requires license verification from candidates who have been employed in other health fields. There is a \$300 application fee.</p> <p>In most cases, application packets are reviewed within two weeks. However, the review process will be longer in certain circumstances.</p>
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Psychometric theory ● Research methods and design ● Scientific and professional standards/ethics <p>All license candidates must also have coursework related to their specialty. If the specialty is clinical psychology, the student will need 18 semester hours, or 27 quarter hours, in the following areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Intellectual assessment and personality assessment ● Diagnosis ● Therapeutic intervention ● Treatment 			
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	<p style="text-align: center;">evaluation</p> <p>If the specialty is another applied branch of psychology, there must be 18 semester hours or 30 quarter hours of coursework in the concentration. A limited amount of coursework may be made up outside of the doctoral program. There must be two semester hours of practicum, encompassing at least 300 hours of service delivery.</p> <p>There must also be an internship. Internships must include at least 1,500 hours of total experience with at least 25% of hours spent in direct client contact. For every 40 hours of experience, two hours of individual supervision and two hours of additional learning experiences are required.</p> <p>The dissertation or other project must be psychological. Foreign degrees may be approved if they meet the above standards. However, the candidate will need to have the degree evaluated for equivalency by one of the following agencies: Academic Evaluation Services, Inc.,</p>			
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	<p>International Education Research Foundation, Inc., Josef Silny & Associates, Inc., or World Education Services, Inc (http://www.oregon.gov/obpe/Application_Forms/Foreign_Degree.pdf).</p>			
<p>Pennsylvania</p> <p>Pennsylvania psychologists are licensed by the Pennsylvania State Board of Psychology (http://www.dos.state.pa.us/portal/server.pt/community/state_board_of_psychology/12521).</p> <p>Licensure is based on completing a doctoral degree in psychology, passing national and state examinations, and fulfilling a postdoctoral practice requirement. Candidates are under Board regulation while completing postdoctoral hours.</p>	<p>In order to be license qualifying, a U.S. or Canadian doctoral program must be accredited by the American Psychological Association (APA) or Canadian Psychological Association (CPA) or designated by the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards /National Register Designation Project; if the program achieves accreditation within a year of degree conferral, this is considered adequate.</p>	<p>Graduates must complete the equivalent of a year of full-time supervised professional experience. For those who begin on or after December 6, 2010, the requirement is 1,750 hours. Those who began before this time are held to a lesser requirement: 1,500 hours.</p> <p>While completing postdoctoral supervised experience, candidates may use the title 'Psychology Resident' or 'Psychology Trainee'. The resident will need a primary supervisor. The supervisee is expected to have at least two hours of supervision a week. Up to an hour a week of supervision may be delegated to another qualified professional; the primary supervisor still bears ultimate responsibility for the hours.</p> <p>Fully half the required hours must be spent in the</p>	<p>Two examinations are required: the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP) and the Pennsylvania Psychology Law Examination. In order to be deemed eligible to sit for the examinations, candidates must have completed their educational requirements. They may request permission while they are still in the process of completing supervised practice hours.</p> <p>The EPPP is a national board examination developed by the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards. It is administered by computer at Prometric sites around the nation. Once authorized, a candidate will register and pay a \$600 fee. At this point, an ATT will be issued. The candidate will have a 60-day window in which to test.</p> <p>The state jurisprudence</p>	<p>Candidates are required to have a criminal history record information report made by the Pennsylvania State Police (or by their own state agency if residing in another jurisdiction). Pennsylvania residents may begin the process by visiting the website of the state agency (https://epatch.state.pa.us). Reports must be recent (made within 90 days of the date the application is received).</p> <p>During this same 90-day time period, the candidate must receive child abuse clearance through the Department of Public Welfare.</p> <p>A self-query through the National Practitioner Data Bank is also required.</p> <p>Since there is a 90-day time limit, candidate who complete criminal history and child</p>

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		<p>following activities: assessment, diagnosis, treatment, and/ or providing or receiving supervision or consultation. Research or teaching may be accepted for the remaining hours.</p> <p>Residents may work part-time or full-time; 15 to 45 hours a week may be credited. Candidates who are working for more than one entity must put in at least 15 hours a week at each; the two together may comprise no more than 45 hours. Candidates will need to work in each practice setting at least six months to credit the experience. The candidate must have a primary supervisor at each agency or workplace who is overseeing the work performed there.</p> <p>The supervisee is subject to quarterly progress reports. At the end of the supervisory period, the supervisor(s) will rank the candidate in competency areas like assessment, treatment, scholarly inquiry, program evaluation, and supervision of others. The supervisee may be ranked from 'beginning' to 'advanced', or the supervisor may note that the particular competency was not demonstrated in that</p>	<p>examination is administered by Professional Credentialing Services (PCS). Approved candidates will receive registration information. After registering, they will receive an authorization letter which grants a 90-day window to schedule and complete an exam at an authorized PSI Testing Center.</p> <p>A candidate who fails an examination may apply to retake the examination after six months. Subsequent applications require a wait time of just 60 days. However, no more than four attempts will be allowed over a one year time period.</p>	<p>abuse checks when requesting exam permission will need to update them after completing license requirements.</p> <p>Applications are available on the Board site. There are multiple application forms to select from depending on when supervised practice and doctoral education began and what regulations were in effect (http://www.dos.state.pa.us/portal/server.pt/community/state_board_of_psychology/licensure_information)</p> <p>Doctoral transcripts must be requested and sent directly to the Pennsylvania Board from the issuing institution.</p> <p>There is an application fee of \$105. A candidate who fails an examination attempt will need to submit \$20 to the Pennsylvania Board upon reapplication. A subsequent failure will result in a \$90 charge. This is in addition to examination fees charged by third parties.</p>
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		<p>setting. The supervisor will also make an overall assessment of the candidate's potential.</p> <p>A candidate who has completed supervised experience hours will continue under supervision until a license is actually issued (unless the work is done at an exempt setting).</p>		
<p>Rhode Island</p> <p>Rhode Island psychologists are credentialed by the Rhode Island Board of Psychology, under the banner of the Department of Health (http://www.health.ri.gov/licenses/healthcare). The license is dependent on earning a doctoral degree, passing a national board examination, and attaining professional experience while under supervision.</p> <p>Candidates earning postdoctoral hours work under temporary permits.</p>	<p>A psychologist candidate must earn a doctorate from a program that is accredited by the American Psychological Association (APA) or that is, in the opinion of the Board, substantively equivalent. Candidates with degrees in related disciplines may be licensed if they meet the requirements found in the Rhode Island statutes.</p> <p>The school must have regional accreditation. There must be at least 72 semester hours of psychological coursework excluding field work and dissertation. At least 36 semester hours of coursework must be completed in residence.</p> <p>The program must include at least three semester hours (or five quarter hours) in each of the following core content</p>	<p>Psychology candidates must work under supervision for two years and accrue 3,000 experience hours. The first 1,500 hours is an internship or formal training experience that begins after the student has completed the equivalent of at least two full-time years of graduate study. This pre-doctoral experience is distinct from practical work that may be required in conjunction with academic courses.</p> <p>The second year is not begun until after academic requirements for the doctorate have been met.</p> <p>A supervisee will need, at minimum, one hour a week of individual conferencing. In addition, supervision must be available, as needed, when the trainee is actually working. There should be</p>	<p>Rhode Island requires a national board examination. After submitting a license application and supporting documentation, a candidate will be authorized to register for the Examination of Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP). The examination was developed by the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (ASPPB); examination information, including a candidate bulletin and study resources, can be accessed through the ASPPB site (http://www.asppb.net).</p> <p>The registration fee is currently \$600. A candidate who has registered and paid the fee will be issued an ATT which allows for scheduling at any authorized Prometric site. The testing window</p>	<p>In-state candidates file applications before all requirements have been met. There is one psychologist application packet available on the site of the Department of Health, but candidates check whether they are applying for a standard license, an endorsement license, or a temporary permit (http://www.health.ri.gov/licenses/healthcare/).</p> <p>The Board will need official transcripts. If the program was not accredited by the APA, the candidate will fill out a form verifying that curriculum requirements were met.</p> <p>The application will require a two by three photograph showing head and shoulders. Notarization is also required.</p>

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	<p>areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cognitive and affective basis of behavior: This content area comprises emotion, thinking, learning, and motivation. • Biological basis of behavior: This content area includes sensation and perception, physiological psychology, neuropsychology, comparative psychology, and psychopharmacology. 	<p>opportunities for additional learning: for example, seminars and case conferences.</p> <p>A temporary permit authorizes practice; candidates use titles like “intern” or “trainee” in order to make it clear to the public that they are not actually licensed psychologists. Temporary permits are issued for two years and may be extended for one additional year.</p> <p>Assessment must be documented. While the verification form itself is short, the Board reserves the right to request additional information. Supervisors will provide verification in sealed, signed envelopes.</p>	<p>granted by the ATT is 60 days.</p>	<p>An application fee of \$230 must accompany the application. The temporary permit carries a \$120 fee.</p> <p>Application materials are sent to the Department of Health:</p> <p>Rhode Island Department of Health</p> <p>Board of Psychology, Room 104</p> <p>3 Capitol Hill</p> <p>Providence, RI 02908-5097</p> <p>A candidate who is seeking examination approval or endorsement must have the application in 14 days before a meeting of the Board. A list of upcoming meetings is available on the Board site (http://sos.ri.gov/openmeetings/index.php).</p> <p>The Board notes that candidates are not contacted if there is documentation missing from their files. They may, however, call (401) 222-2828 to inquire about the status of applications.</p> <p>Licenses are issued seven to ten days after approval. The wallet card may not arrive for several weeks, but a license number may be obtained through the online license</p>
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social basis of behavior: This curricular strand includes group processes and social and systems theory. • Individual differences: Coursework may include human development, personality theory, and abnormal psychology. <p>In addition, the graduate will need to document that the program included study in the following areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Statistical methods 			<p>verification system.</p> <p>Candidates who have already taken the EPPP may obtain official verification from the ASPPB by calling 1-334-832-4580.</p> <p>Out-of-state licensees will need to provide verification that any licenses held are in good standing. An interstate verification form is included in the application packet.</p> <p>Out-of-state psychologists may be endorsed into Rhode Island if it is determined that their jurisdiction has substantially equivalent licensing requirements. Endorsement may also be made on the basis of certification by the American Board of Professional Psychology, or ABPP.</p> <p>Assuming all requirements have been met, the licensing process typically takes four to six weeks. When candidates have issues like criminal or malpractice history, the process may take two or three months longer.</p>
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Research methods ● Professional standards and ethics ● History and systems of psychology <p>The Board notes that distance learning programs are acceptable only if they are APA-accredited.</p>			
<p>South Carolina The South Carolina Board of Examiners in Psychology licenses the state's psychologists. Licensure is based on education, supervised professional experience, and a two-stage examination process. Prospective psychologists come under board regulation when they have completed their education and are ready to begin postdoctoral practice.</p> <p>Psychologists may only practice in those areas in</p>	<p>The candidate must complete a doctoral degree through a school that holds regional accreditation or, if not in the United States, is chartered or authorized by provincial statute.</p> <p>Programs that hold programmatic accreditation through the American Psychological Association (APA) or are designated as psychology programs by the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (ASPPB) are license qualifying.</p>	<p>A psychologist must put in two years of supervised experience. For licensing purposes, 1,500 hours is figured as one year. The first 1,500 hours is typically completed as a pre-doctoral internship. It may comprise one full-time year or two part-time years. The second year is required to be postdoctoral. While completing postdoctoral hours, the trainee will be under the supervision of a psychologist who is recognized by the Board in the same specialization that</p>	<p>There are two examinations required for licensure. The first is the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP). After the candidate's preliminary application has been approved, the candidate may request permission from the Board administrator to take the examination. The South Carolina Board will communicate eligibility to Professional Examination Service (PES).</p> <p>The candidate will receive registration materials. Upon payment of the examination</p>	<p>There is a multi-step application process. A graduate submits a Preliminary Application for Licensure after finishing the doctoral degree. The graduate also requests official transcripts from all institutions where graduate coursework was taken. If the psychology program was not APA-accredited, additional educational documentation will be required. The candidate will need a description of the overall program as well as individual course descriptions.</p>

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<p>which they have demonstrated competency. The Board recognizes the following specializations; clinical, community, counseling, experimental, industrial/ organizational, school, and social psychology. School psychologists have a separate regulating agency and may practice within the scope authorized without meeting the standards of the Board of Examiners in Psychology.</p>	<p>Other programs may be license qualifying, but the burden of proof will be on the graduate to show that rigorous standards were met. The program must represent three academic years of graduate study, exclusive of internship. It must cover the content areas that have been described in the ASPPB reciprocity agreement. ASPPB designation guidelines are included in the application.</p> <p>On the application form, non-APA candidates will be asked to document six semester hours of coursework in each of the following areas: biological bases of behavior, social and affective bases of behavior, social bases of behavior, and individual differences. Human development and psychopathology are covered under the 'individual differences' requirement. The candidate will also document that there was some coverage of psychometrics and statistics, research methodology design, professional and scientific ethics, and the history and systems of psychology.</p>	<p>the trainee seeks recognition in. The supervisee must have at least one hour of face-to-face supervision every week. A supervision contract must be filed before postdoctoral hours can be accrued.</p>	<p>fee (currently \$600) the candidate will be granted an ATT. The candidate must schedule at an authorized site and take the licensing examination during the 60-day examination window granted by the ATT. The test may be taken in Charleston, Columbia, Greenville, or Myrtle Beach. It is also permissible to schedule in another state. Prometric, the company that administers the computer-based testing sites, assesses an additional \$79.56 fee. Candidates may, if necessary, reschedule, but must do so two days in advance. A candidate who does not register or take the examination within the allowable timeframe will need to reapply and pay additional fees.</p> <p>South Carolina accepts the score set by the ASPPB (500). A candidate who does not pass a first attempt must wait at least 60 days before reexamination. South Carolina allows two attempts during a one year period.</p> <p>The oral examination is not taken until after all other requirements have been met. A candidate who has reached this stage will be notified to contact the Board</p>	<p>The preliminary form is available on the Board site. Click here to download the form. It requires notarization. The fee for application is \$500. Candidates must document lawful presence and submit a curriculum vitae.</p> <p>After the initial form is received, additional application materials will be sent to the candidate. Among them is the supervision contract. (Additional documentation will be required when supervision is completed.)</p> <p>Reference forms will also be included in the license packet. The candidate will need to provide three references. Two of these must come from psychologists. Application status may be monitored online.</p> <p>If a candidate does not respond to a request for further information within 90 days and still wishes to pursue licensure, a new application may be required.</p>
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			<p>and schedule an examination. A candidate who fails the oral examination will be required to wait six months before making another attempt. (Board regulations prevent licensing of anyone who has failed an examination attempt within the previous six months.)</p>	
<p>South Dakota</p> <p>South Dakota psychologists are regulated by the Board of Psychologist Examiners, under the banner of the South Dakota Department of Social Services (https://dss.sd.gov/behavioralhealthservices/licensingboards/board_psychologists.asp). Full licensure is dependent on earning a doctoral degree, fulfilling a supervised work experience requirement, and passing state and national examinations.</p> <p>A candidate who has passed the two required examinations may be issued a provisional license while completing experience hours.</p>	<p>Psychologists must hold doctoral degrees. If the school is in the United States, it must hold regional accreditation; if in Canada, it must be in good standing with the Association of Universities and Colleges of Canada.</p> <p>The following are acceptable U.S. accrediting agencies:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools ● New England Association of Schools and Colleges ● North Central 	<p>The candidate will work under supervision for a total of two years. One year is internship. Students may opt for full- or part-time work, but must complete the required 1,800 hours within two years.</p> <p>The internship is a formal training program; a supervised work experience is not acceptable at this level. The intern must be given experience providing various types of assessment, evaluation, diagnosis, and intervention. There must be a doctoral level psychologist responsible for the integrity of training. The intern will need at least two hours a week of direct supervision, focused on services delivered; ethical and professional development issues may also be discussed. At least 2/3 of supervision must be provided by doctoral level</p>	<p>The Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP) is a national board examination that assesses knowledge in eight competency areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Biological bases of behavior ● Cognitive-affective bases of behavior ● Social and cultural bases of behavior ● Human development across the 	<p>Application and supervision forms are available on the Board site (https://dss.sd.gov/behavioralhealthservices/licensingboards/board_psychologists.asp). The application form asks questions about legal and professional history and must be notarized. The license application carries a \$300 fee.</p> <p>In order to be authorized to take the next oral examination, candidates must submit their application materials at least ten weeks before the date they intend to test.</p> <p>All U.S. or Canadian psychology licenses must be verified, whether past or present. A candidate who has taken the EPPP in another jurisdiction may have scores sent from</p>

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	<p>Association of Colleges and Schools</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities • Southern Association of Colleges and Schools • Western Association of Schools and Colleges <p>On the license application, graduates must document coursework in individual differences and in biological, cognitive-affective, and social bases of behavior.</p>	<p>psychologists. There must be an additional hour of learning experiences provided on a weekly basis; experiences could include joint clinical interview or therapy sessions, treatment team case reviews, or group supervision.</p> <p>If the internship is APA-accredited, the applicant will note this on the appropriate form, and will not be required to provide details. If it is not APA-approved, considerable information will be required. In either case, the supervisor will provide additional information and make a recommendation for or against licensure.</p> <p>The second year of professional experience is postdoctoral. At the post-internship level, the trainee will (by current rule) need at least two hours a month of supervision. The Board is working to change this and allow the supervising psychologist to determine supervision on a case-by-case basis. (However, candidates should be aware that many states set a minimum, and that in many cases, the requirement is higher than the one on the</p>	<p>lifespans</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assessment and diagnosis • Prevention, intervention, treatment, and supervision • Research methods and statistics • Ethical, legal, and professional issues <p>Candidates can find information about the examination, including study resources and practice tests, on the site of the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (http://www.asppb.net). However, they may not register and pay fees until authorized by the South Dakota Board. Fees have increased. Candidates should now be prepared to</p>	<p>Professional Examination Service directly to the South Dakota licensing agency. Out-of-state psychologists may be endorsed into South Dakota if they hold a license in good standing, meet minimum qualifications, and have practiced at least five years. Certification through the American Board of Professional Psychology (ABPP) may be accepted as evidence that requirements are met.</p> <p>Endorsement may be extended to psychologists from other nations as well as those in U.S. states and territories.</p>
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		<p>books in South Dakota.)</p> <p>While completing supervised practice, candidates may refer to themselves as psychology residents or trainees or as psychological associates or assistants.</p> <p>At the end of the supervisory period, the supervisor will provide information about populations served and will describe any limitations or concerns and make a recommendation for or against licensure. Candidates sign an information waiver and have it notarized as part of the application process.</p>	<p>pay \$600.</p> <p>The oral examination covers jurisprudence. Candidates must demonstrate knowledge of licensing law, administrative rules, and procedures for the reporting of child abuse. They must also understand the American Association of State Psychology Boards code of ethics.</p> <p>State-specific information is found on the website and included in application packets. The ASSPPB code of ethics is available online (http://www.asppb.org/publications/model/conduct.aspx) and may be obtained in hard copy form for \$10. (Candidates may send a written request to the ASPPB.)</p> <p>The passing score for the oral examination is set at 75%. A candidate who needs to retake the oral examination will need to pay \$200 to the Board.</p>	
<p>Tennessee</p> <p>The Tennessee Board of Examiners in Psychology (http://health.state.tn.us/boar)</p>	<p>Psychologists must have education at the doctoral level. To be license qualifying, the doctoral program must be accredited</p>	<p>A candidate for Health Service Provider must do two years of supervised professional experience that follows Board rules. The first</p>	<p>Two examinations are required. Candidates first take the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology, a national board</p>	<p>The Board notes that review may take place up to four times as an individual candidate meets education, examination, and experience</p>

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<p>ds/Psychology/index.htm) licenses psychologists and issues Health Service Provider (HSP) designations. The latter is a requirement for psychologists who will be working directly with individuals who are functionally impaired or at risk.</p> <p>Licensure depends on education and examination as well on evidence of good character, as indicated by references and background checks. Health service providers have more specific education and training requirements.</p>	<p>by the American Psychological Association (APA) or designated by the National Register of Health Service Providers in Psychology/Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (NR/ASPPB). A list of accredited and designated in-state programs is available on the site of the Tennessee Board (http://health.state.tn.us/boards/Psychology/education.htm).</p> <p>If the candidate will be pursuing HSP designation, the program specialty must be clinical, counseling or school psychology; programs that combine these disciplines are also acceptable.</p>	<p>year is a 1,900 hour internship. This must be done at a different setting than the student's workplace (if the student is indeed employed). The internship may be completed in a period of one or two years. The student begins after completing all degrees requirements but the dissertation.</p> <p>An internship that is accredited by the APA or Association of Psychology Postdoctoral and Internship Centers is accepted as meeting requirements. If the internship is not accredited, the Tennessee Board will look for verification that it meets similar standards.</p> <p>An additional 1,900 hours of experience must be earned at the postdoctoral level. Unless the graduate is completing health service hours through an APA-accredited or APPIIC-listed internship, a provisional license will be required.</p> <p>Tenure-track faculty members who are pursuing licensure may count supervision they provide to practicum students or to interns, provided that the internship is appropriately</p>	<p>examination. The exam must be taken within one year of provisional licensing. Exam information is available on the ASPPB site (http://www.asppb.net).</p> <p>An authorized candidate will register with the exam company and pay a \$600 fee. At this point, an ATT will be issued; this allows the candidate a 60-day eligibility window.</p> <p>A candidate who is successful on the EPPP will receive information about registering for the jurisprudence examination. In the event of failure, the candidate will be allowed to retake the EPPP after at least 60 days have passed. A maximum of four examination attempts is allowed over the course of a year.</p> <p>The jurisprudence examination, which is administered once a month at the Board office in Nashville, is open book. Candidates bring registration forms and identification. They are allowed only the official copies of code and ethical standards; they must complete the exam within two hours.</p> <p>An unsuccessful candidate</p>	<p>requirements for permanent licensure and HSP certification.</p> <p>HSP candidates apply for provisional licensure when preparing to begin postdoctoral practice. Official transcripts must be sent at this time.</p> <p>Three psychologist references are required for licensure. At least two must be from licensed psychologists. In the case of HSP candidates, two must come from HSPs (or professionals who hold equivalent status in other jurisdictions); one is to come from an internship supervisor or director.</p> <p>Fees are as follows: The application costs \$175 and the license \$200. The ethics and jurisprudence examination fee of \$200 and the state regulatory fee of \$10 must also be enclosed in the license application. A candidate seeking a provisional license will pay \$125. Click Here to go to the application forms and related materials.</p> <p>Tennessee requires a certificate of fitness from each state where the candidate has held licensing.</p>
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		<p>accredited; the supervision must be supervised.</p> <p>The provisional license is issued for one year, but may be extended. It is not normally extended beyond the second year, but may be extended further for faculty members or for disabled individuals who must work less than half-time; documentation will be required. The provisional license may also be suspended for good cause, for example, illness or childbirth.</p> <p>In order to supervise an individual who is delivering health services, a psychologist must have HSP designation.</p>	<p>will be sent reexamination information. Two failures on either examination will result in a provisional license being revoked.</p> <p>Candidates must have criminal background checks (http://health.state.tn.us/CBC/index.htm). Both in-state and out-of-state candidates use the approved vendor, Identogo. However, the process is different depending on the state of residence. Candidates who are residing in Tennessee will have prints captured electronically. They may register at www.identogo.com or call (855)226-2937. There is a \$42 fee.</p> <p>Out-of-state candidates should contact the Tennessee licensing agency and request the appropriate fingerprint card. They may have fingerprints made at a local agency, but will send the cards to Identogo. The Board recommends utilizing tracking.</p> <p>Out-of-state candidates will also register through Identogo, but will pay for ink submission. The \$42 fee may be paid by credit card or paid by money order and sent in</p>	<p>This verifies whether the license is, or was, in good standing.</p> <p>ABPP certification, National Register credentials, and Certificates of Professional Qualification (CPQ) are accepted as evidence that the out-of-state psychologist has met certain requirements.</p> <p>A psychologist who has been licensed at least five years is not required to include a reference letter from an internship supervisor or director. However, confirmation of internship is still required.</p> <p>A psychologist who is licensed and has been in active practice and who earned a doctoral degree before January 1, 1982 may not be held to the usual training standards; this will be determined on a case-by-case basis.</p> <p>An out-of-state licensee who is otherwise qualified may be issued a temporary license to provide health services under supervision while waiting to take and pass the state jurisprudence and ethics exam. The temporary license is valid for up to a year. It will be revoked if the candidate</p>
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			<p>the same envelope as the fingerprint card.</p> <p>The background check should be completed and received by the Board in five to eight business days if the fingerprints are captured electronically. If they are inked, it will take slightly longer (seven to ten days) from the date of receipt.</p> <p>Candidates who will be providing direct health services will have sex offender registry and abuse registry checks; these will be conducted by the agency.</p>	<p>fails a second attempt at the jurisprudence exam. The fee for a temporary license is \$100.</p>
<p>Texas</p> <p>The Texas State Board of Examiners licenses psychology professionals (http://www.tsbep.state.tx.us) . There are four license types. Full licensure as a psychologist requires doctoral education, a series of examinations, and a period of supervised professional practice. Professionals are credentialed as Provisionally Licensed Psychologists while completing supervised practice requirements.</p> <p>The Board also issues a</p>	<p>To be credentialed as a Licensed Psychologist or Provisionally Licensed Psychologist, an individual must earn their doctorate in psychology from a regionally accredited school.</p>	<p>Two years of supervised professional experience is required for full licensure. The Board considers 35 hours a week full-time. It is acceptable to work half-time (20 or more hours a week) and take 24 months to complete a “year” of experience.</p> <p>The first year is internship or formal training (in all cases but industrial/ organizational psychology). An internship that is accredited by the American Psychological Association (APA) meets requirements. Other</p>	<p>Texas psychologists must pass three licensing examinations. Two are taken before the provisional license is issued. The Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP) is a national board examination. After application materials for provisional licensure have been reviewed, candidates are given registration instructions. Texas adds a \$200 administrative fee to the cost of the examination, which brings the total cost to \$800.</p> <p>Candidates who took the</p>	<p>Candidates first apply to the Board when they are preparing to begin postdoctoral practice. Applicants for provisional licensure pay \$340 when they submit their applications; this does not include testing fees which will be paid later. Official transcripts are due at this time.</p> <p>Click Here for Application Forms and additional Materials.</p> <p>Click Here for the Licensed Psychologist application</p>

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<p>school psychology license (Licensed Specialist in School Psychology) and a master's level associate license. Specialty certification as a health service provider is granted to psychologists who hold National Register of Health Service Providers registration.</p>		<p>internship experiences may be accepted if they meet standards adopted the Board (http://www.tsbep.state.tx.us/files/agencydocs/TSBEPRuleBook.pdf).</p> <p>The second year of supervised experience must be postdoctoral.</p>	<p>exam at the master's (associate) level and scored 500 (or 70% on the older paper version) will not be required to take it again to become psychologists.</p> <p>The jurisprudence examination costs \$210. The passing score is 90% at the psychologist level. Statutes and rules may be accessed online (http://www.tsbep.state.tx.us/act-and-rules-of-the-board).</p> <p>The oral examination is taken at a later stage. It carries a \$320 fee and is based on a vignette in the psychologist's specialty area (clinical, counseling, school, neuropsychological, or industrial/ organizational psychology). The candidate will be rated at one of four proficiency levels on nine different competency areas. Two senior psychologists will assess responses. If both rate the candidate as passing, the candidate will pass. If they are in disagreement, the candidate will have a second examination the same day with a separate set of psychologists.</p> <p>A candidate who does not pass will be allowed to retake</p>	<p>forms.</p> <p>The candidate will also need three professional references.</p> <p>The Licensed Psychologist application carries a \$180 fee.</p>
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			<p>the examination at a later date. Feedback will be provided to help the candidate improve performance in deficit areas.</p> <p>Candidates are expected to pass examinations within two years of the time that they are approved to take them.</p> <p>A fingerprint-based background check is required. Candidates may begin the process before applying. However, candidates must follow instructions found in the application packet. In-state candidates have their fingerprints made electronically utilizing the Fingerprint Applicant Service of Texas (FAST). They may schedule at any MorphoTrust site in Texas by calling 1-888-467-2080. The \$44.25 fee may be paid straight to the vendor.</p> <p>Out-of-state candidates may utilize another law enforcement service to have their fingerprints captured, but must send them to the Texas vendor. There are special instructions that must be followed. Out-of-state candidates may make a written request for a fingerprint application packet</p>	
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			<p>which includes fingerprint cards and an envelope addressed to the vendor.</p> <p>Candidates must have background checks performed at each level of licensure unless they have had one within the prior 18 months.</p>	
<p>Utah</p> <p>Utah psychologists are licensed by the Division of Occupational and Professional Licensing, or DOPL, (http://www.dopl.utah.gov/licensing/psychology.html).</p> <p>Licensure as a psychologist is based on education, examination, and supervised professional experience. While completing postdoctoral practice hours, candidates are licensed as Certified Psychology Residents.</p> <p>Psychologists who provide mental health therapy have more specific training requirements. However, the process does not necessarily take longer.</p>	<p>A doctoral degree is required for licensing at either level. The doctoral program may be accredited by the American Psychological Association (APA) or designated as a psychology program by the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards /National Register Joint Designation Committee.</p> <p>An applicant from a non-APA program will need to document at least two semester hours of theoretical coursework in each of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Individual differences • Biological bases of behavior 	<p>A psychologist candidate will need at least 4,000 total experience hours before full licensure can be granted. Utah does not specify what proportion must be pre-doctoral and what must be postdoctoral. Pre-doctoral practice is legal if it is part of a training program authorized by the university; postdoctoral practice requires state credentialing. A candidate may not earn more than 40 hours a week at either level. Pre-doctoral hours are to be supervised at a rate of at least one hour for every 20 training hours; post-doctoral hours are to be supervised at a rate of at least one hour for every 40 training hours.</p> <p>If the candidate seeks a mental health qualification, at least 1,000 hours must be in mental health therapy.</p>	<p>Two licensing examinations are required. Both are taken after practice requirements have been met and a license application has been submitted. Candidates register with third parties but DOPL must first grant authorization.</p> <p>The Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP) is a national board examination which covers eight competency areas. Registration information will be sent to approved applicants. Candidates should be prepared to pay a \$600 fee upon registration. They will pay \$79.56 later when scheduling at a Prometric site. A candidate bulletin is available through the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards</p>	<p>An in-state candidate applies first as a Psychology Resident. Official transcripts are required and may be requested directly from the university or included with the application in their original envelope with a seal or stamp on the flap. Candidates who did not graduate from APA-accredited programs will also submit course worksheets. An \$85 fee is due at this time.</p> <p>The same application packet (http://www.dopl.utah.gov/licensing/forms/applications/068_psychologist.pdf) is used for psychologist licensing. However, different supplemental materials are required. Supervisors fill out verification forms. The psychologist license application carries a \$200</p>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social bases of behavior • Cognitive-affective bases of behavior <p>Also required are two semester hours in each of the following content areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Statistics • Psychometrics • Research design and methodology • Scientific and professional standards and ethics <p>Three quarter hours is considered the equivalent of two semester hours.</p> <p>A program that is outside the ASPPB jurisdiction of the United States and Canada may be accepted if it meets designation guidelines; this is determined by the National</p>	<p>Mental health therapy practice, as defined by Utah code, includes mental health assessment and diagnosis and the prescribing of treatment or prevention plans. Mental health therapy must be supervised by a psychologist at the rate of at least one hour of supervision for every 40 hours of training. The training will take place at some point after a master's has been granted. The supervisor is to be a licensee who has practiced for at least two years.</p> <p>All supervised practice is to be completed within four years of the time the doctorate is earned unless DOPL expressly grants an extension.</p>	<p>(http://www.asppb.net).</p> <p>Utah allows two retakes, with 60-day wait times in between. After a third unsuccessful attempt, a candidate will need to submit an action plan.</p> <p>A successful candidate will take the Utah Psychologist Law and Ethics Examination. Utah contracts with PSI for administration of this examination. The fee is \$72. There are PSI sites in North Salt Lake City and in the greater Ogden, Provo, and St. George metropolitan areas; it is also possible to schedule in another state. PSI attempts to accommodate scheduling requests as closely as possible.</p> <p>A content outline and detailed registration information can be found in the candidate handbook.</p> <p>The passing score on the jurisprudence examination is 75%. Results are made available immediately.</p> <p>An individual may continue to practice under a resident license while completing examination requirements. However, it is expected that all requirements will be met</p>	<p>fee.</p> <p>Applications may be mailed or hand delivered to the DOPL office in Salt Lake City; two separate addresses are listed in the application packet.</p> <p>A candidate who has already passed the EPPP in another state or jurisdiction may use the score transfer form found on the DOPL site.</p> <p>Out-of-state psychologists who have practiced for at least one year and accrued at least 2,000 hours can be endorsed into Utah. They must submit verification of licensure and verification of active practice. In addition, they will need to present an appropriate mobility credential or demonstrate that they were licensed under substantially equivalent educational, experience, and examination requirements. (If Utah requirements were different at the time they were licensed, they will be held to the standards that were then in place.)</p> <p>The following credentials are accepted for mobility: American Board of Professional Psychology (ABPP) diplomate certification, National</p>
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	Register.		and a license issued within one year of the time the candidate finishes training.	Register (NR) credential, and Certification of Professional Qualification (CPQ).
<p>Vermont</p> <p>Vermont licenses psychologists at both the master's and doctoral levels. They are regulated by the Board of Psychological Examiners with the administrative support of the Office of Professional Regulation, or OPR (http://vtprofessionals.org/opr/1/psychologists).</p> <p>Licenses are based on education, supervised practice, and national and state examination.</p> <p>Trainees first come under Board regulation when they are completing postdoctoral practice.</p>	<p>A candidate for licensure as a Psychologist-Master must earn a master's degree in psychology. The program must be a member of the Council of Applied Master's Programs in Psychology (CAMPP) or judged to be substantially equivalent.</p> <p>To qualify as substantially equivalent, a U.S. program must be housed in a regionally accredited academic institution. A Canadian program must be a member of the Association of Universities and Colleges of Canada.</p> <p>There must be at least six credit hours of coursework in each of the following areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Psychopathology • Assessment • Intervention <p>There must be three credit hours in each of the</p>	<p>Supervised practice requirements are similar for both master's and doctoral level psychologists. Both licenses require at least 4,000 hours of supervised practice, with at least 2,000 hours occurring after the degree was granted. It is acceptable to earn more than 2,000 post-degree. Vermont does require that each candidate have worked under at least two supervisors for a minimum of 500 hours each.</p> <p>In order to commence post-degree practice, the graduate must register with the Board. The supervisor must be a licensed psychologist with at least three years of experience. The trainee will need at least one hour of supervision for every 20 hours. A trainee who is working full-time and receiving two hours a week of supervision may have one hour of formal individual supervision and one hour of small group supervision. A trainee who is practicing clinically for 20 or fewer hours a week, though, may</p>	<p>A candidate must pass two examinations. The first is a state jurisprudence examination. The candidate prints it out and mails it when registering supervision.</p> <p>The second is the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology, a national board examination developed by the ASPPB (http://www.asppb.net). OPR will communicate eligibility to the testing company, and the candidate will be allowed to register and schedule an examination. The exam is administered at computerized testing centers on an ongoing basis. A candidate who has registered and paid the \$600 fee will be issued an ATT and allowed to schedule in any jurisdiction.</p> <p>The Board will communicate EPPP scores to the candidate. Vermont allows examination retakes, subject to policies set by the testing company. A candidate who fails an examination attempt must wait at least 60 days.</p>	<p>In order to be approved to take the licensing examination, candidates must submit a license application. Certified transcripts should be requested directly from the university. There is a \$175 application fee.</p> <p>Candidates should submit license applications at least 60 days in advance of the time they plan to take the examination.</p> <p>Three professional references must be submitted before a license can be issued.</p> <p>There is a \$75 fee to register supervision. All forms can be downloaded from the OPR site (http://vtprofessionals.org/opr/1/psychologists).</p>

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	<p>following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Statistical Methods • Professional Ethics <p>The Vermont Board will allow a candidate to take up to six credit hours of supplemental coursework to make up for deficiencies in the master's program. However, no more than three credit hours may be supplemented in any one content area.</p> <p>A doctoral program must be housed in an appropriately accredited institution. Generally speaking, the program is expected to be accredited by the American Psychological Association or Canadian Psychological Association or to have joint designation through the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards and the National Register of Health Service Providers in Psychology. However, other programs, including those outside the jurisdiction of the ASPPB, may be accepted if they meet equivalent standards.</p>	<p>credit only individual supervision.</p> <p>A candidate who works a full-time week but receives only an hour of supervision will be credited with only 20 hours of experience.</p> <p>In most cases, a trainee is not allowed to credit experience hours in a year where fewer than 700 were accrued. However, exceptions may be made, at Board discretion, when there are unforeseen circumstances.</p> <p>The Vermont Board will credit only supervised experience that took place in the preceding five years.</p>		
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	<p>At this level, at least 400 hours of coursework must take place in a campus setting. Again, internship is not figured in to this total.</p> <p>A candidate at the doctoral level is still required to demonstrate only three credit hours each of statistical methods and professional ethics. However, there must be at least nine credit hours each in psychopathology, assessment, and intervention.</p> <p>The psychopathology and assessment content areas must include at least three credit hours of generalist or foundations coursework. Child or adult psychopathology, advanced abnormal psychology, and DSM/ICD are among the course offerings that will satisfy the requirement for foundational psychopathology. The generalist assessment requirement can be satisfied by intellectual, personality, or psychological assessment or by an introduction to psychometric measurement.</p> <p>A doctoral level candidate is also allowed six credit hours of supplemental coursework with no more than three in</p>			
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	any content area.			
<p>Virginia</p> <p>he Virginia Board of Psychology issues licenses for clinical psychologists, applied psychologists, and school psychologists. The Board also issues license to 'limited school psychologists' and sex offender treatment providers.</p> <p>The clinical psychology license is extended to those with training in either clinical or counseling psychology. The applied psychology license covers other fields such as social psychology, industrial/organizational psychology, and developmental psychology.</p> <p>Psychologist licenses</p>	<p>Clinical psychologists must complete doctoral degrees at regionally accredited institutions. APA-accredited clinical and counseling psychology programs meet requirements. Other programs may be accepted if they meet an extensive set of standards adopted by the Virginia Board.</p> <p>Clinical psychologists and school psychologists are required to complete both an internship and a residency.</p> <p>Clinical psychologist internships may be accredited or approved by APA, the Association of Psychology Postdoctoral and Internship Centers</p>	<p>Clinical psychologists and school psychologists are required to complete both an internship and a residency.</p> <p>Clinical psychologist internships may be accredited or approved by APA, the Association of Psychology Postdoctoral and Internship Centers (APPIC), or the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards/National Register.</p> <p>School psychologist internships may be accredited or approved by APA, APPIC, or NASP. In either case, an internship experience can be accepted if it is found to</p>	<p>The Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP) is another licensing requirement. Clinical psychologists and school psychologists take the examination while completing residency requirements. They can receive authorization after they have completed educational requirements.</p> <p>The examination is administered on an ongoing basis around the country. Candidates should be prepared to pay \$600 when registering and another \$79.56 when scheduling. Candidate bulletins are available on the ASPPB site.</p>	<p>In-state candidates first apply to the Board when preparing to begin postdoctoral practice. Educational documentation, including official transcripts, must be submitted at this time. Official internship documentation and registration of postdoctoral supervision are also submitted. Applications and supplemental forms are available in Word form on the Board site. Click here to download the forms. The Board notes that applicants are required to review statutes and regulations. Psychologist applications carry a \$200 fee. It costs \$50 to register a residency.</p>

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<p>require graduate level education and an examination process. Some require supervised practice.</p>	<p>(APPIC), or the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards/National Register.</p> <p>School psychologist internships may be accredited or approved by APA, APPIC, or NASP. In either case, an internship experience can be accepted if it is found to meet equivalent standards.</p> <p>The residency encompasses an additional 1,500 hours and may be completed in a period of one to three years.</p> <p>Residency usually takes place at the postdoctoral level and requires Board approval. However, clinical psychologists may apply hours from</p>	<p>meet equivalent standards.</p> <p>The residency encompasses an additional 1,500 hours and may be completed in a period of one to three years.</p> <p>Residency usually takes place at the postdoctoral level and requires Board approval. However, clinical psychologists may apply hours from pre-doctoral practicum if the experience meets standards found in 18VAC125-20-54 D of Virginia code. In order for experience at this level to be credited, at least one hour of supervision (individual or group) must be provided for every eight hours of client contact and service-related activity.</p>		
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	<p>pre-doctoral practicum if the experience meets standards found in 18VAC125-20-54 D of Virginia code. In order for experience at this level to be credited, at least one hour of supervision (individual or group) must be provided for every eight hours of client contact and service-related activity.</p> <p>Weekly supervision at the postdoctoral level can take either of the following forms: two hours of individual supervision or one hour of individual and two hours of small group.</p>	<p>Weekly supervision at the postdoctoral level can take either of the following forms: two hours of individual supervision or one hour of individual and two hours of small group.</p>		
<p>Washington</p> <p>Washington psychologists are regulated by the Department of Health (DOH) and the Board of Psychology Credentialing. Licensure is</p>	<p>If the program was not accredited by the American Psychological Association or the Canadian Psychological Association, the candidate will need to document three semester hours in the</p>	<p>A total of 3,300 hours of experience is required. Practicum and formal internship are both mandatory. Practicum experience must be at least 300 hours and take place over a minimum of two</p>	<p>The candidate must take a series of examinations. The Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP) is the first one attempted. It is a national board examination which is administered throughout the</p>	<p>Application packets are available online and can be downloaded by clicking here. The initial application form, along with the \$291 fee, should be sent to the DOH office in Olympia. Additional supplemental materials</p>

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<p>based on education, examination, and supervised professional experience.</p>	<p>following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Biological basis of behavior ● Social basis of behavior ● Cognitive-affective basis of behavior ● Individual differences ● Scientific and professional ethics ● Statistics and psychometrics ● Research methodology and design ● Psychology history and systems ● Techniques of data analysis ● Human 	<p>semesters. The remaining hours may be pre- or postdoctoral. Pre-internship hours must meet standards in WAC 246-924-053 (http://apps.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=246-924-053) in order to be credited. Before beginning such an experience, the doctoral student is to meet with professionals from the pre-internship program as well as his or own academic program and jointly set down goals. Fully 60% of the experience must consist of client contact. For every 20 hours, the student will need two hours of supervision and two hours of additional learning experiences like co-therapy sessions, seminars, and case conferences. At least 75% of the required supervision must be provided by a licensed psychologist who meets experience requirements; the remaining supervision may be provided by an experienced psychiatrist, clinical or advanced social worker, mental health counselor, marriage and family therapist, or license-exempt psychologist. Practicum hours beyond the stated 300 minimum may be counted as pre-internship if</p>	<p>nation. A candidate may view content outlines and get an overview of the process at the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (ASPPB) site. However, the candidate must be authorized by Washington State before registering or paying the \$600 fee. The jurisprudence examination is in multiple choice format. It is administered on a monthly basis at the DOH office in Tumwater. Study materials are available on the DOH website. A list of upcoming exam dates is available as well. Click here to see the dates. The exam is open book, but the passing score is set high: 90%. A candidate who does not pass a first attempt will be allowed to retake the exam. A candidate who does not pass a second attempt will need to petition for permission to make another attempt. A plan will be required and a two month wait time imposed.</p>	<p>should be sent straight to the Board office. Normally supervision is verified directly. In the event a supervisor is deceased or cannot be located, another psychologist may serve as professional reference. Application status can be monitored online. DOH processes applications in the order received and publicly posts where, date-wise, they are in the review process. Military spouses and domestic partners are eligible for expedited licensing. There is a supplemental application form.</p>
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> development • Cultural and individual diversity • Psychopathology and dysfunctional behavior • Psychopharmacology <p>There should be at least two courses in diagnosis and assessment and at least three courses focusing on providing effective treatment and evaluating the effectiveness of said treatment.</p> <p>The program must include practicum and internship experiences that meet Board requirements (as outlined below). The dissertation must be "psychological in nature". If the school curriculum does not include seven hours of AIDS training, the candidate will need to pursue this separately at some point before licensure.</p>	<p>they meet this set of standards.</p> <p>The internship must comprise at least 1,500 hours. The internship program may be accredited by the APA or a member of the Association of Psychology Postdoctoral and Internship Centers. If not, it must meet requirements set out in WAC 246-924-056 (http://apps.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=246-924-056). The program must provide adequate breadth. A licensed psychologist must be designated as bearing responsibility for program integrity and quality. At this level, at least 25% of experience must be met through direct client contact. At least 75% of internship supervision must be provided by a licensed psychologist who meets experience standards. Every 40 hours of experience should include two hours of face-to-face individual supervision focused on actual service delivery as well as two hours of additional learning experiences. Internship hours in excess of 1,500 may also be credited provided they meet the stated standards. The remainder of the requirement is met through supervised professional experience in</p>		
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		<p>which a qualified professional takes responsibility for services provided. Supervision is to take place according to a written supervision agreement. At least half the supervision must be provided by a licensed psychologist.</p>		
<p>West Virginia</p> <p>The West Virginia Board of Examiners of Psychologists licenses psychologists with both master's and doctoral level education (http://www.wvpsychbd.org/). There is no distinction in scope of practice once full licensure has been attained. However, psychologists who have a master's as their highest degree must work under supervision for several years longer before they achieve full licensure.</p>	<p>Licensure at the doctoral level is dependent on graduation from a regionally accredited educational institution. At least half of credits must be post-master and "psychological in nature". The Board notes that some courses may be accepted as psychological even if the word 'psychology' does not appear. However, they must be taught by a professional with a graduate psychology degree.</p>	<p>Doctoral level psychologists will need a total of two years of supervised experience.</p> <p>The first year is typically earned in an APA-accredited internship or in a non-APA internship that is under the direction of the psychology program. At least 25% of the internship is to be spent in direct client contact – this is 500 hours. There are to be two hours of regularly scheduled individual supervision per 40-hour week and two hours of additional learning activities like group-supervision or co-therapy sessions.</p> <p>A student may opt for a part-time internship experience, but in all but "exceptional circumstances", the student is expected to complete the internship in no more than 24 months.</p> <p>Before beginning postdoctoral practice, a</p>	<p>The psychologist must pass two examinations: a national board examination and a state oral examination.</p> <p>The Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP) was developed by the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards and is administered throughout the nation. Candidates must have their education evaluated by the state board before they can be authorized to test. They may visit the ASPPB site in advance, though, for candidate bulletins and study resources (www.asppb.net).</p> <p>The candidate must take the EPPP by the end of the first year as a Supervised-Psychologist. A failure will not disqualify, but the examination must be passed by the end of the second year.</p>	<p>Candidates make their first application to the Board after educational requirements have been met. They should contact the Board to receive application packets (http://www.wvpsychbd.org/Requirements%20for%20Licensure.htm).</p> <p>Fees are as follows: \$100 for application, \$100 for temporary licensure, and \$350 for oral examination. There is a \$100 fee for continuation of the oral examination (if required).</p> <p>EPPP candidates will pay a \$50 fee to West Virginia for eligibility and then a \$600 fee to the examination company.</p>

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		<p>candidate must submit paperwork to the Board; an approved candidate will become a "Supervised-Psychologist". The supervisee must have a supervisor who has met requirements beyond those required for initial licensure and has been issued a gold card indicating such status. West Virginia allows fees to be paid for supervision. There is a list of approved supervisors available on the Board site (http://www.wvpsychbd.org/SuperviseePages.htm).</p> <p>During the postdoctoral period, the Supervised-Psychologist must have at least one hour a week of individual supervision (even if working part-time). Sessions must take place at least once every two weeks. There must be a total of one hour for every 20 hours of clinical practice. Additionally, the supervisor must be available for telephone consultation at other times when the Supervised-Psychologist is practicing. The supervisor will take professional responsibility and co-sign documents.</p> <p>The activities a psychologist</p>	<p>The oral examination is not taken until all requirements (including supervised practice) have been met.</p> <p>The purpose of the oral examination is to determine the limits of the psychologist's scope of practice as well as to assess knowledge of matters like legalities and ethics. The candidate will present documents that represent his or her range of competencies and intended scope of practice. Among the documents will be a supervision report, a competency form, and a minimum of three work samples. The Board has published several information sheets to let Supervised-Psychologists know what to expect at the examination and to help them prepare (http://www.wvpsychbd.org/oral%20examination%20materials.htm).</p> <p>In order to pass, at least 60% of members in attendance must confer. A failure results in the loss of practice privileges. However, the Board may offer feedback and allow for reexamination. In some cases, the examinee may be granted a</p>	
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		<p>carries out under supervision will play a large role in determining scope of practice later. Supervised-Psychologists are subject to quarterly reports.</p>	<p>continuance. The Board will make specific requirements -- for example, further supervised practice -- and grant the candidate up to a year to fulfill them.</p> <p>Psychologists who later wish to expand their scope of independent practice must submit evidence of appropriate education.</p>	
<p>Wisconsin</p> <p>The Department of Safety and Professional Services issues psychologist licenses to individuals who practice clinical psychology in Wisconsin (http://dsps.wi.gov/Default.aspx?Page=862369c7-1b68-420f-ac18-4318b99c040c). The Department also issues independent school psychologist licenses to school psychologists who wish to broaden their scope of practice beyond that authorized by the Department of Public Instruction.</p> <p>Generally speaking, a person must have a license to use the title 'psychologist'. However, social</p>	<p>To practice clinical psychology, one needs a doctoral degree in psychology from a regionally accredited institution. There are six acceptable accrediting agencies in the United States.</p>	<p>Wisconsin requires 3,000 hours of supervised professional experience. The first 1,500 hours may be pre- or postdoctoral. The second 1,500 hours must be postdoctoral. The supervisor should have at least three years of post-license experience and have completed training in supervision.</p> <p>For the first 1,500 hours, trainees must have two hours of individual supervision each week. They are also expected to have an additional two hours of complementary learning experiences: for example, seminars, group supervision, or co-therapy sessions with another professional.</p> <p>Once candidates reach their</p>	<p>The Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP), a national board examination developed by the Association of State and Psychology Boards (ASPPB), is another requirement. It assesses knowledge in eight competency areas; a bulletin is available on the ASPPB site (http://www.asppb.net).</p> <p>The EPPP is typically taken while the candidate is completing supervised experience requirements. Board permission is required. \$600 will be due upon registration. The exam is administered around the nation.</p> <p>A Wisconsin candidate who fails a first or second attempt at the EPPP is allowed to</p>	<p>Applications and supplemental materials are available on the Department site (http://dsps.wi.gov/Default.aspx?Page=3f8864f9-c322-47e3-bccf-15357628d18f).</p> <p>The application packet includes a self-evaluation and a description of intended practice. In the description of intended practice, candidates will note what types of assessment, intervention, and services they are adept at. They will also note which practice areas they have a basic level of competency that will allow them to handle routine cases, but where they may require consultation for non-routine cases.</p> <p>Candidates are apprised of application status at multiple</p>

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<p>psychologists are exempted; they must have appropriate education or training and file a statement to this effect. A license is not required to carry out certain academic and research-related activities; a full description of license exemptions is found in chapter 455 of state code (http://dsps.wi.gov/Documents/Board%20Services/Codebooks/62D%20POD%20Psychology-Book%20OCTOBER%202012.pdf).</p>		<p>second 1,500 hours, supervision requirements drop to one hour per week.</p>	<p>retake the exam after three months have elapsed. A candidate who fails a third attempt will need to do additional training before reapplying to the Board.</p> <p>The ethics test assesses knowledge of statutes and administrative code; it can be accessed online from a home computer that runs Microsoft Internet Explorer. Wisconsin requires a score of 80% for clinical psychologists. The licensing agency notes that the exam is untimed and candidates may opt to work on it in multiple sessions over a period of up to three months.</p>	<p>points. The application fee is processed first, then the application. Candidates receive email notification when new materials are added to their files; they may also check application status online (http://dsps.wi.gov/Default.aspx?Page=1521432d-dddd-4dd9-9cff-c7f79d47c58b). An email will be sent when all requirements have been met. Once the licensing information shows up in the online system, the individual will be eligible for employment as a psychologist.</p> <p>If there are concerns (for example, criminal history), the application will undergo an additional review, and the process will take longer. In some instances, the candidate will be asked to appear before the Board. This is termed an oral examination.</p> <p>For timely review, applicants should turn in materials 30 days in advance of a scheduled Board meeting.</p>
<p>Wyoming</p>	<p>A prospective psychologist will need a doctoral degree from an appropriately</p>	<p>Psychologists work under supervision for the equivalent of two full-time years. One</p>	<p>The licensing examination is the Examination for Professional Practice in</p>	<p>The necessary forms and supporting documents can be downloaded from the Board</p>

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<p>Wyoming psychologists are licensed by the Wyoming Board of Psychology (http://plboards.state.wy.us/Psychology). A license is required to provide direct psychological services. A license is not required to practice industrial/organizational psychology consultation or to conduct psychological research provided that services are provided only indirectly to third parties.</p> <p>Licenses are granted to individuals on the basis of education, examination, and supervised practice. Individuals who have met all educational requirements may be granted provisional licenses which will authorize them to work at community or state mental health centers in rural parts of the state; graduates may complete their postdoctoral requirements in other settings, but will hold a lower status.</p>	<p>accredited institution. If the institution is located in the United States, it must be accredited by one of the six regional accrediting agencies. If located in Canada, it must be a member of the Association of Universities and Colleges of Canada. International programs are evaluated individually.</p> <p>The program must include a formal internship.</p> <p>If the program is not accredited by the American Psychological Association (APA), it must meet standards adopted by the Board.</p> <p>The program must include at least three semester hours in each of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The history and systems of psychology • The biological basis of behavior • The cognitive-affecti 	<p>year must be pre-doctoral internship.</p> <p>Internships may be accredited by the American Psychological Association or registered with the Association of Psychology Postdoctoral and Internship Centers.</p> <p>The other 1,500 hours may be pre- or postdoctoral. The following requirements apply to pre-internship:</p> <p>The practicum or clerkship must be overseen by the psychology program and must consist of experiences that the student has been academically prepared for. 60% of the experience is to consist of direct client assessment and intervention services. For every 20 hours of experience, two hours of face-to-face individual supervision is to be scheduled. A licensed psychologist must provide 75% of supervision. The other supervision may be provided by a psychologist, clinical social worker, mental health counselor, or marriage and family therapist (LMFT). An LMFT who acts as supervisor must have at least five years of experience; a psychiatrist, social worker, or</p>	<p>Psychology. It is taken while the resident or provisional licensee is in the process of completing postdoctoral practice hours. An application must first be submitted to the Board.</p> <p>Once approved, the candidate will receive registration information. A testing fee (currently \$600) will be due upon registration. The test is administered throughout the country.</p> <p>Study resources are available on the site of the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards, the organization that developed the exam (http://www.asppb.net). A scaled score of 500 is the minimum accepted for passing.</p> <p>The candidate must pass the examination within two years of the time permission is granted. If a candidate does not do so but is still interested in pursuing licensure, he or she must wait two years before reapplying.</p>	<p>site (http://plboards.state.wy.us/Psychology/forms.asp). A candidate who applies for a provisional license will have the following documents submitted directly by the institution or individual:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • official transcripts • three professional references • internship verification forms (from training director and supervisor) <p>Evidence of citizenship or lawful presence is required.</p> <p>A candidate who applies to the Board for the first time seeking a standard license must provide all of the above documents plus verification of postdoctoral practice and examination.</p> <p>A candidate who has held state credentialing in any profession must provide</p>
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Research design and methodology <p>The student will need to do two years or 1,500 hours in residence.</p>	<p>hours to 52 per year. The license also grants the professional more autonomy in the work setting; the requirement that documents be signed by a supervisor is waived. A psychologist who holds provisional licensing may receive up to 20% of supervision over the telephone.</p>		
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