

Department of Health  
Rulemaking Hearing Rules  
Board of Examiners in Psychology  
Division of Health Related Boards

Chapter 1180-1  
General Rules Governing the Practice of Psychologists, Senior Psychological Examiners,  
Psychological Examiners, and Certified Psychological Assistants

Chapter 1180-2  
Rules Governing Psychologists

Chapter 1180-4  
Rules Governing Certified Psychological Assistants

Amendments

Rule 1180-1-.02, Necessity of Licensure and Certification, is amended by adding the following language as new paragraph (5):

- (5) Use of Titles
- (a) Any person who possesses a valid, unsuspended and unrevoked psychologist license issued by the Board has the right to use the title "Psychologist" and to practice psychology, as defined in T.C.A. § 63-11-203.
  - (b) Any person who possesses a valid, unsuspended and unrevoked psychological examiner or senior psychological examiner license issued by the Board has the right to use the titles "Psychological Examiner" or "Senior Psychological Examiner," as applicable, and to practice psychology, as defined in T.C.A. § 63-11-202.
  - (c) Any person who possesses a valid, unsuspended and unrevoked psychological assistant certification issued by the Board has the right to use the title "Certified Psychological Assistant" and to practice psychology under supervision as defined in Rule 1180-4-.01.
  - (d) Violation of this rule regarding use of titles shall constitute unprofessional conduct and subject the licensee or certificate holder to disciplinary action.

Authority: T.C.A. §§ 4-5-202, 4-5-204, 63-1-145, 63-1-146, 63-11-104, 63-11-201, 63-11-202, 63-11-203, 63-11-205, 63-11-206, 63-11-207, 63-11-208, and 63-11-215.

Rule 1180-2-.02, Qualifications for Licensure, is amended by deleting subpart (2) (d) 3. (iii) in its entirety and renumbering the present subpart (2) (d) 3. (iv) as (2) (d) 3. (iii).

Authority: T.C.A. §§ 4-5-202, 4-5-204, 63-11-104, 63-11-203, and 63-11-208.

Rule 1180-2-.03, Procedures for Licensure, is amended by deleting subparagraphs (12) (f) and (12) (g) in its entirety and substituting instead the following language, so that as amended, the new subparagraphs (12) (f) and (12) (g) shall read:

- (12) (f) Instead of submitting the documentation required in subparagraphs (12) (b) and (12) (c), applicants who have been continuously licensed in good standing for five (5) or more years in another jurisdiction may submit proof of current certification by the ABPP, or current listing in the National Register of Health Service Providers, or cause to have submitted a Certificate of Professional Qualification (CPQ) sent directly from the ASPPB to the Board's administrative office.
  
- (12) (g) Notwithstanding the provisions of subparagraph (12) (f) or T.C.A. § 63-11-208 (d) (2) (A), under no circumstances shall an applicant for licensure by reciprocity with HSP designation be approved without successful completion of the qualifying internship required in rule 1180-2-.02 (2) (a) and the postdoctoral supervised experience required in rule 1180-2-.02 (2) (d).

Authority: T.C.A. §§ 4-5-202, 4-5-204, 63-11-104, 63-11-203, 63-11-208, and 63-11-211.

Rule 1180-4-.03, Procedures for Certification, is amended by deleting paragraph (13) in its entirety.

Authority: T.C.A. §§ 4-5-202, 4-5-204, 63-11-104, 63-11-201, and 63-11-207.

The rulemaking hearing rules set out herein were properly filed in the Department of State on the 27th day of July, 2006 and will become effective on the 10th day of October, 2006. (07-24-06)