

PSYCHOLOGIST MILITARY QUICK REFERENCE SHEET

Texas State Board of Examiners of Psychologists

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ALL MILITARY SERVICE MEMBERS, VETERANS, AND SPOUSES

The Council will waive the [application fee](#) for those applicants who are active military service members, veterans, or married to active military service members.

Proof of military service. (DD-214, military ID, etc.)

Proof of marriage to a military service member. (Copy of military dependent ID, PCS orders to installation in Texas, etc.)

OR

Proof that within 5 years preceding the application date, the spouse held a license issued by this agency.

ADDITIONAL WAIVERS FOR OUT OF STATE LICENSEES ONLY

The Council will waive the following materials for the licensure types for applicants **who hold an active license in another jurisdiction with substantially equivalent qualifications for license**. Applicants unable to demonstrate substantial equivalence will have to provide all documentation and information indicated in the application.

LICENSED PSYCHOLOGIST (LP)

A copy of the law reflecting the current licensing standards for psychologists in the jurisdiction that issued your out-of-state license, with the following relevant portions **highlighted** for easy reference:

Waives transcript and EPPP score.

- The requirement of a doctoral degree in psychology
- A cutoff score on the EPPP of at least 70% (scaled score of 500)
- Two years of a minimum of 3,000 hours of supervised experience under a licensed psychologist

Written Verification of Licensure sent directly from licensing authority (unless only available online)

MILITARY SERVICE CREDIT (LP)

A military service member or military veteran will receive credit for one year or 1,750 hours of post-doctoral supervised experience, if the following has been met. ***Waives the submission of post-doc supervised experience form.***

- Proof the military service member or military veteran delivered psychological services within the military for at least one year following conferral of a doctoral degree in psychology.

LICENSED PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATE (LPA)

A copy of the law reflecting the current licensing standards for psychology associates in the jurisdiction that issued your out-of-state license, with the following relevant portions **highlighted** for easy reference:

Waives transcript and EPPP score.

- The requirement of a graduate degree primarily psychological in nature consisting of at least 42 hours, with 27 hours in psychology courses.
- A cutoff score on the EPPP of at least 70% (scaled score of 500)
- Minimum of 6 semester hours of supervised experience under a licensed psychologist

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MILITARY SERVICE CREDIT (LPA)

A military service member or military veteran will receive credit for one year or 3,000 hours of post-graduate supervised experience, if the following has been met. ***Waives the submission of post-graduate supervised experience form.***

- Proof the military service member or military veteran delivered psychological services within the military for at least one year following conferral of a graduate degree in psychology (or primarily psychology).

LICENSED SPECIALIST IN SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGY (LSSP)

A copy of the law reflecting the current licensing standards for school psychologists in the jurisdiction that issued your out-of-state license, with the following relevant portions **highlighted** for easy reference: ***Waives all education, training, and supervised experience requirements and PRAXIS score.***

- The completion of a training program in school psychology approved or accredited by the American Psychological Association or the National Association of School Psychologists, or graduate degree in psychology with specific coursework set out in 22 TAC §463.9; and
- Passage of the PRAXIS School Psychology Examination

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MILITARY SERVICE CREDIT (LSSP)

A military service member or military veteran will be deemed to have met the internship requirements in 22 TAC §463.9(f) if the following has been met. ***Waives the submission of internship supervised experience form.***

- Proof the military service member or military veteran delivered school psychology services within the military for at least one year following conferral of a graduate degree in psychology.

Please attach this form and the supporting documentation to your online application. [How-To guides](#) are available on our website that can assist you in applying online.

If you have any questions please email staff through the [Contact Us](#) page. Please select “Psychology” from the drop-down menu.