PROPOSED REGULATION OF THE BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGICAL EXAMINERS

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Requesting NAC regulations regarding Expedited licensure by endorsement; As charged to us in NRS 641.195

Expedited license by endorsement as psychologist: Requirements of applicants from substantially equivalent states.

- 1. The Board may issue a license by endorsement as a psychologist to an applicant who is licensed in a state that is substantially equivalent to the licensing requirements outlined in this regulation.
- 2. An applicant for license by endorsement pursuant to this section must meet the following requirements:
 - a) Hold a doctorate degree in Psychology from a graduate program that is APA accredited (or equivalent). As described in NAC 641.170; section 4 R038-16.
 - b) Have completed a Pre-doctoral Internship with 2,000 hours that meet the requirements set forth in <u>NAC 641.080</u>
 - c) Have completed a Postdoctoral Fellowship with 1,750 hours that meet the requirements of <u>NAC 641.080</u>
 - d) Obtain a score of 500 or higher on the EPPP.
 - e) Hold a license in good standing in the substantially equivalent jurisdiction from which they are currently licensed.
 - 1) Verification of license in good standing MUST be sent directly from the jurisdiction and may not be sent by the applicant.
 - 2) The Board will maintain an up to date list of states whose licensing requirements are aligned with section 2 and 3 of this regulation on the Board website. It can also be obtained through direct request from the Board office.
 - f) A complete set of fingerprints and written permission authorizing the Board to forward the fingerprints in the manner provided in NAC 641.160
- 3. An applicant who has been licensed in another jurisdiction in good standing for 5 or more years is required 1,500 hours for Pre-Doctoral Internship and 1,500 hours for Postdoctoral Fellowship for a total of 3,000 in total.
- 4. Applicants from not substantially equivalent jurisdictions must complete all psychological application requirements as prescribed by the Board.