

**REVISED PROPOSED REGULATION OF
THE BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGICAL EXAMINERS**

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EXPLANATION – Matter in *italics* is new; matter in brackets ~~omitted material~~ is material to be omitted.

AUTHORITY: §1, NRS 641.100, 641.110, 641.226 and 641.228.

A REGULATION relating to the Board of Psychological Examiners; revising provisions relating to the fees charged by the Board for certain services; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel’s Digest:

Existing law authorizes the Board of Psychological Examiners to prescribe an application fee for registration as a psychological assistant, psychological intern or psychological trainee. (NRS 641.226) This regulation establishes the application fee for registration as a psychological assistant, psychological intern or psychological trainee in the amount of \$150.

Existing law authorizes the Board of Psychological Examiners to charge and collect: (1) a fee of not more than \$850 for the biennial renewal of a license of a psychologist; and (2) a fee of not more than \$200 for the restoration of a license suspended for the nonpayment of the biennial renewal fee. (NRS 641.228) Existing law also: (1) provides for the automatic suspension of a license if the licensee fails to pay the biennial renewal fee; and (2) authorizes the Board to reinstate the suspended license if the licensee pays the renewal fee and the fee for the restoration of the suspended license. (NRS 641.222) This regulation increases the fee for the biennial renewal or reinstatement of a license of a psychologist from \$500 to \$600.

Existing law also authorizes the Board of Psychological Examiners to charge and collect: (1) a fee of not more than \$250 for the initial registration of a psychological assistant, psychological intern or psychological trainee; and (2) a fee of not more than \$150 for the renewal of the registration of a psychological assistant, psychological intern or psychological trainee. (NRS 641.228) Existing regulations set the fee for the: (1) initial registration of a psychological assistant, psychological intern or psychological trainee at \$250; and (2) renewal of the registration of a psychological assistant, psychological intern or psychological trainee at \$150. (NAC 641.019) This regulation reduces the fee: (1) for the initial registration of a psychological assistant from \$250 to \$150; (2) for the initial registration of a psychological intern from \$250 to \$75 and for the renewal of a registration of a psychological intern from \$150 to \$75; and (3) for the initial registration of a psychological trainee from \$250 to \$30 and for the renewal of a registration of a psychological trainee from \$150 to \$30.

During the 2017 Legislative Session, the licensing and oversight of behavior analysts and related occupations were transferred from the Board of Psychological Examiners to the Board of Applied Behavior Analysis. (Chapter 437 of NRS; chapter 588, Statutes of Nevada 2017, at page 4218) This regulation makes conforming changes by removing references to the fees charged and collected by the Board of Psychological Examiners for such licenses.

Section 1. NAC 641.019 is hereby amended to read as follows:

641.019 1. Except as otherwise provided in NRS 641.228, the Board will charge and collect the following fees:

For an application for licensure.....	\$150
<i>For an application for registration as a psychological assistant, psychological intern or psychological trainee</i>	<i>150</i>
For the state examination for licensure administered by the Board pursuant to NAC 641.112 for 641.113	Actual costs to the Board plus \$100
For the issuance of an initial license	25
For the biennial renewal or reinstatement of a license as a psychologist.....	500 600
For the biennial renewal or reinstatement of a license as a licensed behavior analyst.....	400
For the biennial renewal or reinstatement of a license as a licensed assistant behavior analyst.....	275
For the registration of a firm, partnership or corporation	300
For the placement of a license on inactive status	100
For the biennial renewal of a license on inactive status	100

For the initial registration of a psychological assistant { psychological	
intern or psychological trainee}	{250} 150
<i>For the initial registration of a psychological intern.....</i>	<i>75</i>
<i>For the initial registration of a psychological trainee</i>	<i>30</i>
For the renewal of a registration of a psychological assistant {	
psychological intern or psychological trainee}	150
<i>For the renewal of a registration of a psychological intern</i>	<i>75</i>
<i>For the renewal of a registration of a psychological trainee.....</i>	<i>30</i>
For the restoration to active status of a license as a psychologist on inactive	
status	250
{For the restoration to active status of a license as a licensed behavior	
analyst on inactive status if the restoration occurs during the first year of	
the biennium in which the license was issued or renewed	300
For the restoration to active status of a license as a licensed behavior	
analyst on inactive status if the restoration occurs during the second year	
of the biennium in which the license was issued or renewed	100
For the restoration to active status of a license as a licensed assistant	
behavior analyst on inactive status if the restoration occurs during	
the first year of the biennium in which the license was issued or	
renewed.....	175
For the restoration to active status of a license as a licensed assistant	
behavior analyst on inactive status if the restoration occurs during	
the second year of the biennium in which the license was issued or 40}

~~renewed~~.....

For the registration of a nonresident consultant 100

For reproduction and mailing of material for an application 30

For a change of name on a license 30

For a duplicate license 30

For copies of the provisions of NRS relating to the practice of psychology
~~and applied behavior analysis~~ and the rules and regulations adopted by
the Board 30

For a letter of good standing 20

For the review and approval of a course or program of continuing
education..... 30

2. The Board will annually determine the actual costs to the Board for the state examination administered by the Board pursuant to NAC 641.112 ~~for 641.113~~ for purposes of determining the fee charged and collected pursuant to subsection 1.

3. In accordance with NRS 353C.115 and NAC 353C.400, the Board will charge and collect from any person whose check or other method of payment is returned to the Board or otherwise dishonored because the person had insufficient money or credit with the drawee or financial institution to pay the check or other method of payment or because the person stopped payment on the check or other method of payment a fee of \$25 or such other amount as may subsequently be required by NRS 353C.115 and NAC 353C.400.