

NOTICE OF INTENT

Department of Health Board of Examiners of Psychologists

Fees (LAC46:LXIII.601)

Notice is hereby given in accordance with the provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act, R.S. 49:950 et seq, that the Board of Examiners of Psychologists intends to amend Section 601 related to licensing fees for psychologists in accordance with the Louisiana Licensing Law for Psychologist 37:2353.C(1), 37:2354B(1), C(1) and E(2), 37:2356A(6), 37:2357A(2), 37:2365.C and D; the Administrative Procedures Act §968 and 971; and current requirements promulgated under the LAC46:LXIII.§§305, 701.B, and 1101.

Title 46 PROFESSIONAL AND OCCUPATIONAL STANDARDS Part LXIII. Psychologists Subpart 1. General Provisions

Chapter 6. Fees

Chapter 6. Fees §601. Licensing Fees.

LICENSING FEES	AMOUNT
Application for Licensure	\$200
Application for Provisional Licensure	200
Application for Temporary Registration	200
Application for Authorization to Provide Telesupervision (Valid 1 year, per supervisor, per application)	\$25 for first supervisee, \$10 for each thereafter
Jurisprudence Examination Fee	75
Oral Examination (Licensure, specialty change or additional specialty)	250
License Renewal	400
License Renewal Fee for Psychologists Qualifying under R.S. 37:2354.E. for a reduced rate	200
Provisional License Renewal	100
Reinstatement of Lapsed License (Application plus renewal fee)	600
Processing Fees for Paper Renewals	50
License Renewal Extension Request	25

AUTHORITY NOTE: Promulgated in accordance with R.S. 37:2354.

HISTORICAL NOTE: Promulgated by the Department of Health and Hospitals, Board of Examiners of Psychologists, LR 33:648 (April 2007), amended LR 39:311 (February 2013), amended LR 41:2618 (December 2015), amended LR 47: (2021)

Family Impact Statement

The Board of Examiners of Psychologists hereby issues this Family Impact Statement as set forth in R.S. 49:972. The proposed Rule related to the licensing fees imposed by this agency are not anticipated to have an impact on the stability of the family; authority and rights of parents regarding the education and supervision of their children; functioning of the family; behavior and personal responsibility of children as it relates to promptly facilitating the licensure of qualified professionals who may work with families and families of school aged children to promote their health, education and well-being; family earnings and family budget; or the ability of the family or a local government to perform the function as contained in the proposed rule.

Poverty Impact Statement

The proposed modifications impact licensed psychologists. The rules do not have any known or foreseeable negative impact on any child, individual or family as defined by R.S. 49:973.B. Specifically, there is no known or foreseeable effect on the general public or impoverished household income, assets, and financial security; early childhood development and preschool through postsecondary education development; employment and workforce development; taxes and tax credits; or, child and dependent care, housing, health care, nutrition, transportation, and

utilities assistance.

Small Business Analysis

In accordance with R.S. 49:965.6, the Board of Examiners of Psychologists has conducted a Regulatory Flexibility Analysis and found that the proposed amending of this Rule only impacts the fee schedule and will have negligible to zero impact on small businesses compliance or reporting requirements.

Provider Impact Statement

The proposed rules are anticipated to have a negligible impact on providers as defined by HCR 170 of 2014 Regular Legislative Session. Specifically, this rule assesses a nominal increase in fees that will impact license renewals, temporary registration applications for out of state psychologists providing services in Louisiana, or individuals requesting alternative means for providing in person supervision. However, there is no known or foreseeable negative effect or additional requirements placed on the provider that would impact services, staffing level requirements, or qualifications required to provide the same level of service or the overall ability of the provider to provide the same level of service.

Public Comments

Interested persons may submit written comments to Jaime T. Monic, Executive Director, 4334 S. Sherwood Forest Blvd., Suite C-150, Baton Rouge, LA 70816. All comments must be submitted by 12 noon on March 8, 2021.

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