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Information for the Provisional Psychologist

The Provisional licensure period is:

- **Legislated to be three (3) years from the date of initial licensure** – extensions cannot be granted.
- **A period of supervision and not training** – it is a time to demonstrate your competence and readiness to enter into independent practice. Supervision should be fairly evenly distributed across the practice hours.
- **A period of direct supervision throughout the entire Provisional period** – thus even after one has completed their 1500 hours they must still be under the direct supervision of their supervisors at the rate of 6 hours for each 160 hours of practice until Full Practice is awarded.
- During this period of licensure one must successfully complete the 1500 hour supervised practice requirement, the EPPP and the SCP established oral examination before one can be awarded a license to practice independently or Full-Practice licensure.
- **Direct observation** of your work with clients must occur periodically throughout the Provisional period and must be clearly identified and logged.

Once admitted to the Register as a Provisional Psychologist you will be required to submit the following document (this document must be approved by the Registration Committee of the College before you may begin to count hours toward the 1500 hour supervised practice requirement):

- A "Supervision Plan" which clearly outlines the goals and objectives to be met during supervision. The Supervision Plan must be signed by all supervisors (primary and secondary).

During the Provisional licensure period the following must be submitted/completed:

- Supervision/practice logs which are endorsed by at least the primary supervisor and yourself at the mid-point (750 hours) and end-point (1500 hours) of the 1500 hour supervised practice period.
- "MRA Assessment Rating Form" – completed by the primary supervisor or all supervisors together at the mid and end points of the 1500 hour supervised practice period. The supervised practice hours must be endorsed by your supervisor(s) as having been successfully passed in order to count toward the 1500 hour requirement.
- The Examination for the Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP). Only three (3) attempts are allowed at passing the exam.

Once you are approved for the SCP oral examination, which is the final requirement you must meet before you are eligible for Full Practice licensure, you must submit once you receive the call for submission:

- An Authorized Practice Endorsement (APE) application if relevant (including the application fee for APE). The application includes a rating by your supervisor with regard to your competence to diagnose. The forms must be signed by the supervisor and yourself.
- Materials for the examination: an assessment sample, an intervention sample, a professional statement, and a current curriculum vitae sent electronically. Work samples must be cosigned by your supervisor. If you are applying for the (APE) your work samples must include diagnoses. The exam fee must be submitted.
- Only 3 attempts are allowed at passing the oral examination.