

Rule Summary and Fiscal Analysis

Part A - General Questions

Rule Number: 4732-9-01

Rule Type: Amendment

Rule Title/Tagline: Requirements for admission to the examination for a psychologist license.

Agency Name: State Board of Psychology

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I. Rule Summary

1. Is this a five year rule review? No
 - A. What is the rule's five year review date? 9/18/2019
2. Is this rule the result of recent legislation? No
3. What statute is this rule being promulgated under? 119.03
4. What statute(s) grant rule writing authority? 4732.06
5. What statute(s) does the rule implement or amplify? 4732.06, 4732.10
6. What are the reasons for proposing the rule?

Proposed amendments to make training supervision requirements the same for all psychologist license candidates without regard to program accreditation.

7. Summarize the rule's content, and if this is an amended rule, also summarize the rule's changes.

Rule 4732-9-01 specifies requirements for licensure as a psychologist under various sections of ORC 4732.10, including requirements for supervised training in the practice of psychology. The proposed changes serve to make the pre-licensure training

requirements parallel for applicants with degrees from APA-accredited programs and candidates with doctoral degrees from programs without APA accreditation. Previous amendments resulted in more stringent requirements for those with APA-accredited degrees, resulting in a lower bar for training supervision for candidates from programs without APA accreditation. By making the training requirements identical regardless of the accreditation status of a given degree program, these changes foster consistency in the pre-licensure training for Ohio's psychologists.

8. **Does the rule incorporate material by reference?** No
9. **If the rule incorporates material by reference and the agency claims the material is exempt pursuant to R.C. 121.71 to 121.76, please explain the basis for the exemption and how an individual can find the referenced material.**

Not Applicable

10. **If revising or re-filing the rule, please indicate the changes made in the revised or re-filed version of the rule.**

Not Applicable

II. Fiscal Analysis

11. **As a result of this proposed rule, please estimate the increase / decrease in revenues or expenditures affecting this agency, or the state generally, in the current biennium or future years. If the proposed rule is likely to have a different fiscal effect in future years, please describe the expected difference and operation.**

This will have no impact on revenues or expenditures.

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Not Applicable

12. **What are the estimated costs of compliance for all persons and/or organizations directly affected by the rule?**

Not Applicable

13. **Does the rule increase local government costs? (If yes, you must complete an RSFA Part B). No**

14. **Does the rule regulate environmental protection? (If yes, you must complete an RSFA Part C). No**

III. Common Sense Initiative (CSI) Questions

15. Was this rule filed with the Common Sense Initiative Office? Yes

16. Does this rule have an adverse impact on business? Yes

A. Does this rule require a license, permit, or any other prior authorization to engage in or operate a line of business? Yes

Psychologists engaged in the training of license candidates need to be licensed as psychologists.

B. Does this rule impose a criminal penalty, a civil penalty, or another sanction, or create a cause of action, for failure to comply with its terms? Yes

A cause of action if the form of a denial of a license application could be created if an applicant's training or other requirements are not conducted in compliance with the rule.

C. Does this rule require specific expenditures or the report of information as a condition of compliance? Yes

As part of the psychologist license application, applicants are required to cause third parties, including supervisors, to report the outcome of training placements to the board on a prescribed form for review and approval.