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## FEDERAL GRANT AWARDED TO HELP WITH COVID-19 RELIEF

*Grant focuses on supporting E.Passport initiative to increase access to care and increasing education regarding the licensure process to expand license portability*

**Tyrone, Georgia (July 20, 2020)** - The Human Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) of the US Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) has awarded ASPPB federal funding to help provide support for the 2020 Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Security Act (CARES). As part of the 2020 funding, and in hopes of increasing access to mental health care services via telepsychology, ASPPB is excited to announce that the E.Passport application fee (\$400) will be waived starting today through December 31, 2020. If you already applied for an E.Passport and paid the application fee, refunds are being issued in the order in which applications were received. If you have not received your refund by August 1, 2020, please email us at [psypro@asppb.org](mailto:psypro@asppb.org).

In order to be eligible for the E.Passport, one of the requirements is that the applicant must have a current and active psychology license, based on a doctoral degree, in at least one PSYPACT participating state. The current PSYPACT participating states are:

Arizona – AZ HB 2503 (Enacted on 5/17/2016)  
Colorado - CO HB 1017 (Enacted 4/12/2018)  
Delaware - DE HB 172 (Enacted 6/27/2019)  
Georgia - GA HB 26 (Enacted 4/23/2019)  
Illinois - IL HB 1853 (Enacted 8/22/2018)  
Missouri - MO HB 1719/MO SB 660 (Enacted 6/1/2018)  
Nebraska - NE L 1034 (Enacted 4/23/2018)  
New Hampshire- NH SB 232 (Enacted 7/10/2019)  
Nevada - NV AB 429 (Enacted on 5/26/2017)  
Oklahoma - OK HB 1057 (Enacted 4/29/2019)  
Pennsylvania - PA SB 67 (Enacted 5/8/2020)  
Texas - TX HB 1501 (Enacted 6/10/2019)  
Utah - UT SB 106 (Enacted on 3/17/2017)  
Virginia - VA SB 760 (Enacted 4/11/2020) \*Effective 1/1/2021  
North Carolina - NC 361 (Enacted 7/1/2020) \*Effective 3/1/2021

If you have any questions, please email us at [psypro@asppb.org](mailto:psypro@asppb.org).

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