



ASPPB Certificate of Professional Qualification in Psychology (CPQ) QUICK GUIDE

**Read the ASPPB Mobility Program Policies and Procedures for a comprehensive look at the Mobility Program and requirements. Note: Requirements are subject to change and are determined by the Mobility Committee.*

The CPQ is a means by which a doctoral level licensed psychologist can easily demonstrate to a psychology board that he or she has met ASPPB recommended standards for licensure which include specific requirements relative to his or her educational background, supervised experience, and performance on the EPPP.

Application Checklist



License

- Must have a current active psychology license, based on a doctoral degree, in an ASPPB member jurisdiction, with no disciplinary action listed on any psychology license.



Education

- Must have doctoral degree from a regionally accredited institution, clearly listed in psychology, that included a minimum of 3 academic years of full time graduate study.
- Transcript must be sent directly to ASPPB from institution granting degree.
- Graduates from non APA/CPA accredited programs must be able to demonstrate at least 1 course (3 semester credits or equiv.) in ALL specific substantive areas as identified in the Mobility Program Policies and Procedures.
- Must demonstrate a minimum of 1 continuous academic year of full time residency* at the educational institution granting the doctoral degree.

* Residency means physical presence, in person, at the educational institution in a manner that facilitates the full participation and integration of the individual in the educational and training experience and includes faculty student interaction. Models that use in person contact for shorter durations throughout a year or models that use video teleconferencing or other electronic means to meet the residency requirement are NOT acceptable.



Supervised Experience

- Must have two years of supervised experience, at least one of which shall have been completed after doctoral degree conferred, for a minimum of 3,000 total clock hours. The minimum standard requirement shall be 1 hour per week of individual face-to-face supervision from a licensed doctoral psychologist.
- Each year [or equivalent] shall be comprised of no less than 10 months, but no more than 24 months, and at least 1,500 hours of professional service including direct contact, supervision and didactic training.



Examination

- Successful completion of the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP) with a score that meets or exceeds the established ASPPB recommended passing score at the time of application.



Professional Work Experience

- Must demonstrate at least 5 years of professional, post licensure work experience at the independent level, verified by a licensed doctoral level psychologist who was licensed during the entire time period attested to.

Renewal Requirement

Annual renewal by submission of established fee and documentation of a current active license in an ASPPB member jurisdiction. Failure to renew will cause the certificate to expire.