

(a) To qualify for a license, an applicant shall be an individual who meets the requirements of this section.

(d) The applicant shall have a doctoral degree that:

(1) Is from an accredited college or university and based on a program of studies whose content was primarily psychological; [or]

(2) Is based on a program of studies judged by the Board to be substantially equivalent in subject matter and extent of training to a doctoral degree in psychology from an accredited college or university; OR

(3) IS BASED ON THE DOCTORAL PROGRAM IN HUMAN DEVELOPMENT ~~OF THE EASTERN SHORE OUTREACH PROGRAM OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND COLLEGE PARK, WHICH BEGAN IN THE 1986-87 ACADEMIC YEAR IF THE APPLICANT:~~

(I) OBTAINED THE DOCTORAL DEGREE PRIOR TO JANUARY 1, 1992;

(II) HAS A MASTER'S DEGREE IN PSYCHOLOGY; AND

(III) HAS AT LEAST 3 YEARS OF SUPERVISED EXPERIENCE IN PSYCHOLOGY APPROVED BY THE BOARD; AND

(IV) HAS PASSED THE EXAMINATION GIVEN BY THE BOARD UNDER THIS SUBTITLE ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1, 1993.

(e) Except as otherwise provided in this subtitle, the applicant shall pass an examination given by the Board under this subtitle.

(f) ~~(1)~~ The applicant shall have at least 2 years of professional supervised experience in psychology that is approved by the Board. At least 1 year of this required experience shall have occurred after the doctoral degree is awarded.

~~(2) FOR AN APPLICANT QUALIFYING FOR A LICENSE UNDER SUBSECTION (D)(3) OF THIS SECTION, THE APPLICANT SHALL MEET THE REQUIREMENT UNDER THIS SUBSECTION MAY BE MET BY THE PERFORMANCE OF PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES AS A PSYCHOLOGY ASSOCIATE UNDER THE DIRECT SUPERVISION OF A LICENSED PSYCHOLOGIST.~~

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 1992. It shall remain effective for a period of one year and, at the end of September 30, 1993, with no further action required by the General Assembly, this Act shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.

May 26, 1992

The Honorable Thomas V. Mike Miller, Jr.  
President of the Senate