













Psychology Interjurisdictional Compact (PSYPACT)

The **Psychology Interjurisdictional Compact (PSYPACT)** is an interstate compact designed to facilitate the practice of **telepsychology** and the **temporary in-person, face-to-face practice** of psychology across state boundaries. As a psychologist licensed in a PSYPACT state, you can apply to either or both practices in [telepsychology](#) and/or [conduct temporary in-person, face-to-face practice](#) in PSYPACT states. PSYPACT is governed by the [PSYPACT Commission](#) which is the governing body responsible for creating and finalizing the Bylaws and Rules and Regulations. The Commission is also responsible for granting psychologists the authority to practice telepsychology and temporary in-person, face-to-face practice of psychology across state boundaries.

HERE IS WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

TO PRACTICE TELEPSYCHOLOGY	TO CONDUCT TEMPORARY PRACTICE
 PSYPACT Commission Requirements	 PSYPACT Commission Requirements
In order to practice telepsychology under the authority of PSYPACT, the PSYPACT Commission requires that a psychologist obtain an Authority to Practice Interjurisdictional Telepsychology (APIT) .	In order to conduct temporary practice under the authority of PSYPACT, the PSYPACT Commission requires that a psychologist obtain a Temporary Authorization to Practice (TAP) .
 Authority to Practice Telepsychology Requirements	 Authority to Practice Telepsychology Requirements
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Possess an active ASPPB E.Passport (see requirement below). ▪ Hold a full, unrestricted license to practice psychology and be physically located in your PSYPACT home state of licensure ▪ Provide attestations. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Possess an active ASPPB Interjurisdictional Practice Certificate (IPC) (see requirement below). ▪ Hold a full, unrestricted license to practice psychology in a PSYPACT state. ▪ Provide attestations.
 ASPPB E.Passport Requirements	 ASPPB IPC Requirements
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Have a current, active psychology license based on a doctoral degree in at least on PSYPACT state. ▪ No disciplinary action listed on any psychology license. ▪ Have a doctoral degree in psychology from a program that was accredited by APA/CPA or designated as a psychology program by the ASPPB/National Register Joint Designation Committee. Official transcript must be sent to ASPPB from institution granting degree. ▪ Successful completion of the Examination for Professional Practice (EPPP) with a score that meets or exceeds the established ASPPB recommended passing score at the time of application. ▪ Annual renewal with three (3) hours of continuing education relevant to the use of technology in psychology. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Have a current, active psychology license based on a doctoral degree in at least on PSYPACT state. ▪ No disciplinary action listed on any psychology license. ▪ Have a doctoral degree in psychology from a program that was accredited by APA/CPA or designated as a psychology program by the ASPPB/National Register Joint Designation Committee. ▪ Official transcript must be sent to ASPPB from institution granting degree. ▪ Annual renewal.
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To apply click on START MY APPLICATION . APIT Fee: \$40 (one-time fee) ASPPB E.Passport Application Fee: \$400 ASPPB E.Passport Annual Renewal Fee: \$100	To apply click on START MY APPLICATION . TAP Fee: \$40 (one-time fee) ASPPB IPC Application Fee: \$200 ASPPB IPC Annual Renewal Fee: \$50
 Time Limit – It is unlimited	 Time Limit – 30 days per calendar year per PSYPACT state
 Scope of Practice	 Scope of Practice
Subject to the Receiving State's Scope of practice	Subject to the Distant State's scope of practice
 Initiation and Provision of Psychological Services	 Authority and Law
When treating a client/patient in a Receiving State, a psychologist must initiate a client/patient contact while physically located in a psychologist's Home State via telecommunications technologies.	A psychologist practicing into a Distant State under the TAP will be subject to the Distant State's authority and law.

For additional information, please click [PSYPACT](#).