

HEALTH PROFESSIONS ACT 56 OF 1974

RULES FOR THE REGISTRATION OF PSYCHOMETRISTS

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In terms of [section 32](#) (1) read with [section 61](#) (4), of the Medical, Dental and Supplementary Health Service Professions Act, 1974 (Act No. 56 of 1974), the South African Medical and Dental Council made the rules set out in the Schedule hereto in substitution of the rules published under Government Notice No. R. 1042 of 26 May 1978, as amended by Government Notice No. R. 1103 of 11 June 1982, as amended by Board Notice 758 of 1982, as amended by Government Notice No. R. 2218 of 7 October 19133, as amended by Board Notice 865 of 1983.

SCHEDULE

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1. The Professional Board for Psychology may register any person as a psychometrist who -
 - (a) holds an honours degree recognised for this purpose by the Professional Board; or
 - (b) has been registered as a psychotechnician or who is eligible for such registration and holds an honours degree in psychology or industrial psychology from a university approved by the Professional Board; or
 - (c)
 - (i) holds a honours degree in psychology or industrial psychology from a university approved by the Professional Board; and
 - (ii) have obtained at least six months' practical experience in psychometric techniques under supervision of a psychologist approved by the Professional Board for Psychology, which practical experience must be certified as satisfactory by the Professional Board; and
 - (iii) have been successful in an examination conducted by the Professional Board on completion of the practical experience referred to in rule c (i) (ii) above.
- Note:** Provided that an application to complete the practical experience had to be submitted to the Professional Board within two years after completion of the academic requirements referred to in rule 1 (c) (1) above and further that the practical experience had to be completed within a period of three years from the date of approval of the application by the Professional Board.
2. Withdrawal-The rules published under Government Notice No. R. 1042 of 26 May 1978, as amended by Government Notice No. R. 1103 of 11 June 1982, as amended by Board

Notice 758 of 1982 as amended by Government Notice No. R.2218 of 7 October 1983 as amended by Board Notice 865 of 1983, are hereby withdrawn.