

## STATE OF ARIZONA JOB CODE SPECIFICATION

<b>FLSA:</b>	<b>EXP</b>	<b>Job Code:</b>	<b>ACV78572</b>
<b>Job Class Code:</b>	<b>780</b>	<b>Salary Schedule:</b>	<b>AREG</b>
<b>EEO Category:</b>	<b>02</b>	<b>Grade:</b>	<b>22</b>
<b>Workers Comp Code:</b>	<b>8833</b>		

<b>Job Code Established:</b>	<b>09/29/69</b>	<b>Effective Date:</b>	
<b>Job Code Revised:</b>	<b>10/01/98</b>	<b>Effective Date:</b>	

**JOB CODE SERIES:** Psychology, Mental Health and Related Series

**JOB CODE TITLE:** PSYCHOLOGIST II

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**CHARACTERISTICS OF THE CLASS:** Under general direction, performs the more advanced and difficult psychological assignments; acts frequently as the senior psychologist coordinating and supervising a clinical or research project or other psychology program of moderate size; and performs related work as required.

**EXAMPLES OF DUTIES:** Performs work involving difficult problems of diagnosis or treatment; organizes advanced demonstration projects and innovative or experimental treatment units in a mental health program; acts as chief psychologist for a large State rehabilitation program, supervising all testing and psychological evaluations, designing and developing new evaluation instruments and techniques, and providing leadership for a major rehabilitation unit organized to serve a state mental health program; serves as consultant in psychology to a statewide program of services in community mental health; assesses mental health needs in communities and plays major roles in development of new community mental health clinics and centers and in evaluation of construction grants and funding applications; performs advanced or complex psychological evaluations that frequently are used in connection with criminal court cases; consults with government officials at all levels of government; represents program before public forums, professional meetings, and community programs; organizes and participates in conducting and evaluating advanced research projects; prepares and reviews reports; maintains records.

### **KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES:**

**Knowledge of:** psychological testing and evaluation; the methods, techniques and procedures of psychological counseling and therapy; contemporary thought and current trends in psychology, sociology and mental health; the principles and procedures of scientific methodology including experimental design, data analysis and psychological measurements.

**Skill/Ability to:** communicate verbally and in writing; perform statistical analysis and evaluation testing; lead or to provide professional consultation to a testing or evaluation unit or a treatment team; perform professional counseling and therapy with individuals or groups; apply research principles, methods and psychological measurements to the problems of mental disorder.

**SPECIAL SELECTION FACTORS:** Required within 30 calendar days of appointment: must be eligible for and apply to the State Board of Psychologist Examiners for certification as a psychologist in the State of Arizona. Required for continuing employment: must receive an affirmative evaluation of credentials by the State Board of Psychologist Examiners within 90 calendar days after appointment. Required for permanent status: must receive certification by the State Board of Psychologist Examiners within one year of appointment. Required for continuing employment: affirmative evaluations of credentials by the State Board of Psychologist Examiners.