

75323 Basic Services-Psychology Staff

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Every psychology clinic shall have a clinical psychologist as defined in Section 1316.5(c), Health and Safety Code, designated as the professional director.

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The professional director's responsibilities, acting alone or through an organized staff, shall include: (1) Establishing, reviewing, and maintaining psychological policies and standards, which shall be reviewed at least annually. (2) Assuring the quality of psychological services provided to all patients treated by the clinic. (3) Establishing and implementing a system of peer review, pursuant to written procedures. (4) Ensuring that all personnel are qualified by training and experience to perform those services they are assigned to provide. (5) Reviewing credentials of the psychologists providing service in the clinic.

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At least one staff member of the clinic shall have admitting privileges to a hospital to ensure the availability of needed hospital services or a written plan, approved by the Department, to ensure that needed hospital services are available.