

## Mission Statement

*The Board of Certified Psychometrists (BCP) mission and purpose is to provide a certification process for Psychometrists. This is accomplished by continuing improvement and annual administration of a comprehensive examination that ensures verification of knowledge, minimum competence, and enhancement of professional experience. In addition the BCP promotes the value of Psychometry along with providing public and professional awareness of quality in Psychometry practice.*



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*National Certification —  
Professional Recognition*

## Board of Certified Psychometrists offers:

### ***Psychometrist Certification***



[www.PsychometristCertification.org](http://www.PsychometristCertification.org)

## About the BCP

The Board of Certified Psychometrists (BCP) began as a committee of dedicated Psychometrists with an interest in the certification of psychometry by objectively and quantitatively defining the minimum level of competency necessary to perform their profession. As interest grew, the BCP was incorporated as a professional not-for-profit organization which provides a Certified Specialist in Psychometry Exam (CSPe) annually.



The CSPe was designed and constructed to be consistent with and in compliance with the standards for educational and psychological tests

published jointly by the *American Educational Research Association*, the *National Council for Measurement in Education* and the *American Psychological Association*.



## Sitting for the CSPe

The requirements to sit for the examination consist of: educational, experience, and supervision components.

- ✧ A candidate must have a minimum of a Bachelor's degree.
- ✧ 2000 -3000 hours of experience, and
- ✧ Must have verification of supervision by a licensed psychologist or equivalent in professional experience.

For more information regarding the CSPe requirements, an application, and when and where the CSPe will be offered please refer to the *CSPe Candidate Handbook* available on our website :

[PsychometristCertification.org](http://PsychometristCertification.org)

## Benefits of obtaining a CSP

- ✧ Authentication & assessment of practice-based knowledge by an independent organization – *a way to prove you have the knowledge needed for the profession*;
- ✧ Recognition by other professionals, employers, universities, medical facilities, colleagues and the public;
- ✧ Meeting the standard of professional services to the public and profession;
- ✧ Enhanced professional credibility;
- ✧ Ability to negotiate improved compensation;
- ✧ Professional growth and development;
- ✧ Superior job/career opportunities;
- ✧ Advanced professional responsibility and visibility;
- ✧ Designation that is nationally and internationally valued;
- ✧ Secures standards developed by Psychometrists;
- ✧ Exclusive networking with other credentialed professionals;
- ✧ Supports the promotion of psychometry as a profession;

- ✧ Immediate online verification of certification;
- ✧ Enhancement of the rights of Psychometrists to positively influence test development and use;
- ✧ Abiding by documented Code of Ethics for CSPs; and
- ✧ Ability to purchase some professional products from vendors (B-Level Qualification for ordering products through PAR; for Master's level CSPs this can include C-Level Qualifications).

## Benefits for Employers of CSP's

- ✧ Preferred by most neuropsychologists;
- ✧ Favored by NAN/Div40 members;
- ✧ Competitive advantage in promoting services to clients;
- ✧ The only standardized and recognized minimum standard of competence;
- ✧ Decrease training time;
- ✧ Increased productivity;
- ✧ Potentially lower liability and liability insurance premiums; and
- ✧ Greater likelihood of reimbursement (e.g., Medicare).



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