

Table 19
Number of Students Who Applied to, Were Accepted by, and Enrolled in U.S. Psychology Programs in
2009-10, by Institution Type and Program Area

Program area		Public institutions			Private institutions		
		Applied	Accepted	Enrolled	Applied	Accepted	Enrolled
Health service provider subfields							
Clinical Psychology	Sum	21,172	2,068	1,449	20,009	5,494	3,351
	Median	98	10	7	118	27	17
	Q1	45	7	5	57	11	8
	Q3	173	15	10	213	48	30
	N of programs	174	174	174	142	142	142
Counseling Psychology	Sum	6,211	1,268	1,093	6,356	2,916	2,023
	Median	65	10	8	56	17	13
	Q1	39	6	5	22	7	6
	Q3	87	17	15	120	57	30
	N of programs	92	92	92	70	70	70
School Psychology	Sum	2,636	731	509	1,489	621	366
	Median	29	9	7	36	16	10
	Q1	15	6	4	19	7	5
	Q3	50	13	9	52	24	16
	N of programs	75	75	75	32	32	32
School Counseling	Sum	282	177	145	409	240	283
	Median						
	Q1						
	Q3						
	N of programs	5	5	5	8	8	8
Geropsychology	Sum	.	.	.			
	Median	.	.	.			
	Q1	.	.	.			
	Q3	.	.	.			
	N of programs	0	0	0	1	1	1
Health Psychology	Sum	760	151	93	368	126	64
	Median	20	5	4			
	Q1	12	3	1			
	Q3	34	8	6			
	N of programs	22	22	22	7	7	7
Forensic Psychology	Sum	708	396	359	1,470	792	536
	Median				38	26	15

	Q1				26	14	10
	Q3				72	44	24
	N of programs	6	6	6	21	21	21
Sport Psychology	Sum	.	.	.	301	127	76
	Median	.	.	.			
	Q1	.	.	.			
	Q3	.	.	.			
	N of programs	0	0	0	6	6	6
Psychoanalytic Psychology	Sum	25	12	8	.	.	.
	Median				.	.	.
	Q1				.	.	.
	Q3				.	.	.
	N of programs	1	1	1	0	0	0
Rehabilitation Psychology	Sum	117	50	47	59	36	20
	Median						
	Q1						
	Q3	.	.	.	.	.	.
	N of programs	3	3	3	3	3	3
Child and Adolescent Psychology	Sum	1,052	71	47	898	112	65
	Median						
	Q1						
	Q3						
	N of programs	9	9	9	5	5	5
Neuropsychology	Sum	212	60	36	566	20	14
	Median						
	Q1						
	Q3						
	N of programs	5	5	5	3	3	3
Community Counseling	Sum	364	238	171	335	161	104
	Median						
	Q1						
	Q3						
	N of programs	5	5	5	5	5	5
Mental Health Counseling	Sum	387	159	126	1,288	742	410
	Median				67	24	18
	Q1				29	16	12
	Q3				103	42	40

	N of programs	6	6	6	12	12	12
Marriage and Family Therapy	Sum	80	33	22	770	526	386
	Median				31	25	16
	Q1				25	15	10
	Q3				63	39	27
	N of programs	2	2	2	18	18	18
Family Psychology	Sum	.	.	.	178	130	49
	Median	.	.	.			
	Q1	.	.	.			
	Q3	.	.	.			
	N of programs	0	0	0	1	1	1
Humanistic Psychology	Sum	30	8	8	407	236	118
	Median						
	Q1						
	Q3						
	N of programs	1	1	1	5	5	5
Other practice subfields	Sum	.	.	.	5	3	1
	Median	.	.	.			
	Q1	.	.	.			
	Q3	.	.	.			
	N of programs	0	0	0	1	1	1
Subtotal: health service provider subfields	Sum	34,036	5,422	4,113	35,208	12,361	7,887
	Median	57	10	7	67	21	15
	Q1	30	6	5	30	10	7
	Q3	112	15	11	149	46	26
	N of programs	406	406	406	340	340	340
General Psychology (Theory, History, and Philosophy)	Sum	450	162	119	2,401	1,420	1,025
	Median	26	10	7	43	15	14
	Q1	7	2	2	17	7	6
	Q3	48	17	12	128	60	41
	N of programs	15	15	15	27	27	27
Experimental Psychology (General)	Sum	1,910	519	363	1,362	254	148
	Median	16	6	5	24	8	6
	Q1	8	3	3	14	5	3
	Q3	36	12	8	125	15	11
	N of programs	65	65	65	19	19	19
Experimental Psychology	Sum	456	125	90	49	6	4

(Applied)	Median	15	4	4			
	Q1	4	3	3			
	Q3	38	7	5			
	N of programs	22	22	22	2	2	2
Physiological Psychology	Sum	49	7	7	11	1	1
	Median	13	2	2	11	1	1
	Q1	2	0	0	11	1	1
	Q3	23	4	4	11	1	1
	N of programs	4	4	4	1	1	1
Developmental Psychology	Sum	2,095	488	340	1,059	200	108
	Median	22	4	2	31	4	2
	Q1	10	2	1	14	2	0
	Q3	37	7	5	48	6	4
	N of programs	80	80	80	30	30	30
Social and Personality Psychology	Sum	3,726	346	234	1,829	291	138
	Median	45	4	3	52	3	2
	Q1	26	2	2	21	1	2
	Q3	87	7	5	107	6	4
	N of programs	65	65	65	25	25	25
Community Psychology	Sum	402	88	64	183	46	35
	Median	35	5	4			
	Q1	14	4	3			
	Q3	53	11	7			
	N of programs	11	11	11	6	6	6
Educational Psychology	Sum	690	283	219	189	99	76
	Median	15	6	4			
	Q1	8	4	2			
	Q3	22	10	8			
	N of programs	41	41	41	8	8	8
Neuroscience	Sum	423	103	68	632	74	47
	Median	19	4	3	43	3	3
	Q1	8	2	1	21	2	1
	Q3	27	7	5	50	7	5
	N of programs	23	23	23	17	17	17
Industrial/ Organizational Psychology	Sum	4,169	1,053	674	1,744	799	463
	Median	44	10	6	38	12	8
	Q1	25	6	4	13	6	3

	Q3	58	16	10	52	22	16
	N of programs	86	86	86	41	41	41
Human Factors	Sum	261	100	62	14	1	4
	Median	20	7	3			
	Q1	15	3	2			
	Q3	27	11	7			
	N of programs	13	13	13	1	1	1
Gender Psychology	Sum	.	.	.	5	5	5
	Median	.	.	.			
	Q1	.	.	.			
	Q3	.	.	.			
	N of programs	0	0	0	1	1	1
Comparative Psychology	Sum	32	5	1	.	.	.
	Median				.	.	.
	Q1				.	.	.
	Q3				.	.	.
	N of programs	2	2	2	0	0	0
Cognitive Psychology	Sum	2,555	395	254	1,269	107	73
	Median	29	5	3	48	3	3
	Q1	16	3	2	18	2	1
	Q3	46	8	5	79	6	5
	N of programs	68	68	68	25	25	25
Consulting Psychology	Sum	54	10	8	7	6	4
	Median						
	Q1						
	Q3						
	N of programs	2	2	2	1	1	1
Biological Psychology	Sum	712	79	51	45	4	1
	Median	22	3	2			
	Q1	12	2	1			
	Q3	34	5	3			
	N of programs	23	23	23	1	1	1
Quantitative Psychology/ Psychometrics	Sum	367	116	84	108	16	9
	Median	11	4	2			
	Q1	7	2	1			
	Q3	14	6	4			
	N of programs	30	30	30	5	5	5

Psychopharmacology	Sum	.	.	.	52	50	32
	Median	.	.	.			
	Q1	.	.	.			
	Q3	.	.	.	.	.	.
	N of programs	0	0	0	3	3	3
Human Development and Family Studies	Sum	187	58	35	15	1	1
	Median						
	Q1						
	Q3						
	N of programs	6	6	6	1	1	1
Behavioral Psychology	Sum	938	255	190	149	49	42
	Median	26	6	4			
	Q1	16	3	2			
	Q3	37	10	10			
	N of programs	32	32	32	6	6	6
Multicultural Psychology	Sum	35	23	16	.	.	.
	Median				.	.	.
	Q1				.	.	.
	Q3				.	.	.
	N of programs	1	1	1	0	0	0
Other	Sum	77	29	24	155	100	68
	Median						
	Q1						
	Q3						
	N of programs	5	5	5	4	4	4
Subtotal: research and other subfields	Sum	19,588	4,244	2,903	11,278	3,529	2,284
	Median	24	5	4	32	6	4
	Q1	13	3	2	14	3	2
	Q3	44	9	6	60	13	8
	N of programs	594	594	594	224	224	224
Total, all subfields	Sum	53,624	9,666	7,016	46,486	15,890	10,171
	Median	33	7	5	48	13	9
	Q1	16	4	2	22	5	3
	Q3	65	12	8	104	33	21
	N of programs	1000	1000	1000	564	564	564

Source: 2010 Graduate Study in Psychology. Compiled by APA Center for Workforce Studies.

Note. Summary statistics are not reported where the N of programs is less than 10.

