

## PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

**Department of Commerce and Insurance**

**HB Section(s): 7.445**

**State Committee of Psychologists**

**Program is found in the following core budget(s): Professional Registration Administration**

**1a. What strategic priority does this program address?**

- Strengthen our regulatory relationships while ensuring a level playing field to protect and advocate for the general public
- Develop our team, reward great performance, and retain top talent
- Innovate to make it easier to connect and work with us

**1b. What does this program do?**

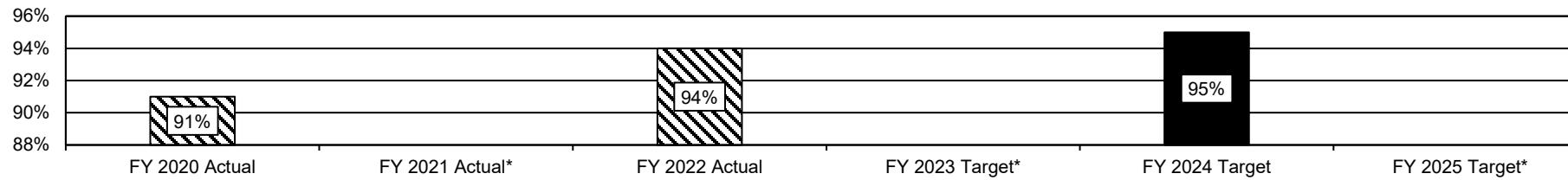
- The State Committee of Psychologists protects the public by licensing qualified psychologists and behavior analysts by examination and evaluation of minimum competency.
- Enforces standards by implementing legislation and administrative rules.
- Investigates complaints and determines discipline of licensees in violation of statutes and regulations and also investigates complaints about those practicing without a license.
- The committee may promulgate, by rule, Ethical Rules of Conduct governing the practices of psychology, which are based upon the ethical principles promulgated and published by the American Psychological Association.

**2a. Provide an activity measure(s) for the program.**

	<b>FY 2020 Actual</b>	<b>FY 2021 Actual</b>	<b>FY 2022 Actual</b>	<b>FY 2023 Target</b>	<b>FY 2024 Target</b>	<b>FY 2025 Target</b>
Applications Received	206	258	300	300	300	300
Licensed Professionals	2,802	3,061	3,033	3,050	3,050	3,050
Outreach Events	17	10	10	10	10	10

**2b. Provide a measure(s) of the program's quality.**

**Percentage of Licensees Satisfied / Highly Satisfied With the Licensure Process**



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Licensees were surveyed about their experience with the committee's licensure procedures, customer service, website and communications.

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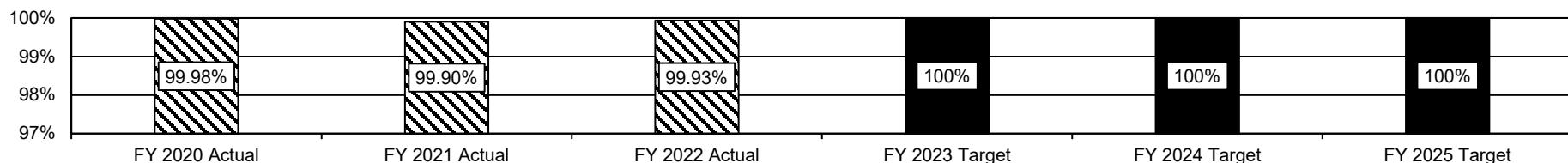
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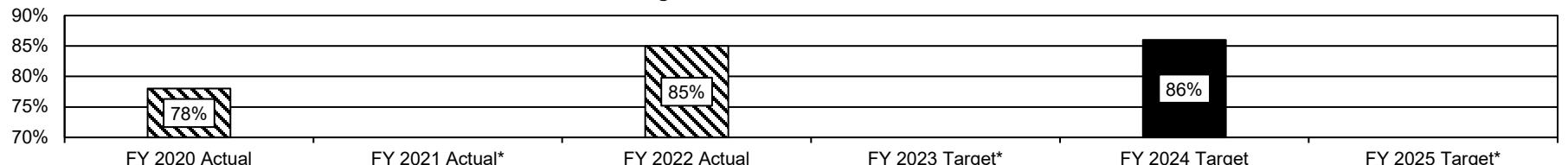
2c. Provide a measure(s) of the program's impact.

Percentage of Licensees Having No Disciplinary Action



2d. Provide a measure(s) of the program's efficiency.

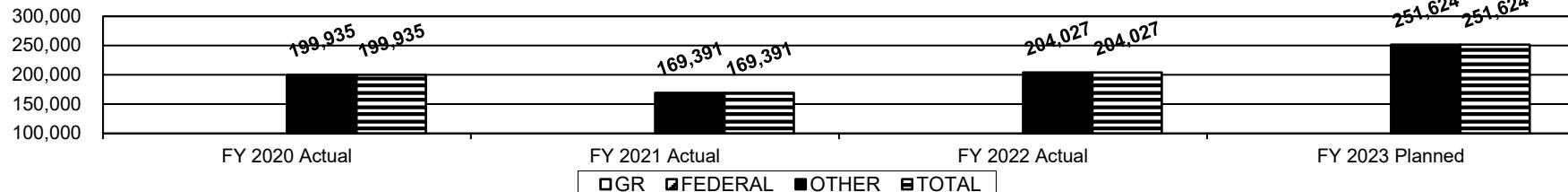
Percentage of Licensees Who Renew Online



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3. Provide actual expenditures for the prior three fiscal years and planned expenditures for the current fiscal year. (Note: Amounts do not include fringe benefit costs.)

Program Expenditure History



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**4. What are the sources of the "Other " funds?**

State Committee of Psychologists Fund (0580)

**5. What is the authorization for this program, i.e., federal or state statute, etc.? (Include the federal program number, if applicable.)**

State Statute: Sections 337.010-337.093 and 337.100-337.165, RSMo.

**6. Are there federal matching requirements? If yes, please explain.**

N/A

**7. Is this a federally mandated program? If yes, please explain.**

No