



ACTION ALERT: SUPPORT PSYPACT NOW!

Dear psychology colleagues-

We warned you that you may be hearing a lot about this topic. We are in desperate need of your help to get the word out about passing PSYPACT.

We believe it will be introduced in the next special session on Friday, just a few days from now, so we have to act fast. Why the rush? If we can get PSYPACT into law, psychologists will be able to avail themselves of the free application fee for PSYPACT, which is usually \$400. The offer to cover the application cost is only available through the end of this calendar year. We must act quickly. It could save our community more than \$400,000!!

What is PSYPACT? It is an interstate compact that allows psychologists from PSYPACT states who join to provide services in other PSYPACT states without the usual licensure hassles. This will allow us to provide care to clients when they travel and offer more options for providers in underserved areas of the state. Fifteen states have passed PSYPACT and another 16 are in process. This is a rare opportunity to save psychologists some money.

“You’ve convinced me, now what do I need to do?”

Click [here](#) to find out who represents you. Call them and leave a message or send an email:

“This is [name]. I am a constituent and a psychologist and I need your help to make sure that PSYPACT is passed before December 31st of this year. Through the federal CARES Act, psychologists can avoid a \$400 application fee that allows them to practice via telehealth in other states that are already part of PSYPACT. The compact also makes more providers available to Minnesotans through telehealth. This legislation is supported by the Board of Psychology and has no opposition. In addition, it has no requirements for any additional appropriation. Please assist psychologists and your community by voting to pass PSYPACT. If you have questions please contact me at [phone] or [email]. Thank you.”