

PSYCHOLOGICAL EXAMINATION (refer to 10.29.9.12 NMAC)

The testing and interviewing performed to determine and applicant's suitability to serve as a law enforcement officer in New Mexico will be designed, administered, and scored in such a manner that it insures that no applicant is discriminated against for reasons of age, sex, race, or cultural heritage.

1. Psychological testing shall include:
 - a. A measure of reading ability.
 - b. A measure of psychopathology
 - c. A measure of normal personality functioning.
2. A face to face interview with the applicant.
3. Submittal of a detailed written narrative report and this form (LEA-4), with the completed application, will be mailed to the Department of Public Safety at the above address.
4. If the applicant is **not recommended** for certification, the examining psychologist is directed to submit LEA-4 and the Narrative Report to the Department of Public Safety **within thirty (30) days of the determination. In addition, the applicant must be informed of their right to appeal under 10.29.9.12 (C) NMAC (copy on reverse side of form).**

Psychological Statement of Applicant

The following statements are being made for the purpose of obtaining a psychological evaluation. I understand that the information submitted is for evaluation purposes and I also understand that answering any of the questions in the affirmative will not disqualify me from admission or certification. **(Applicant must check a response for each question.)**

	Yes	No
1. Have you ever been hospitalized or committed, either voluntarily or involuntarily, to any institution for the treatment of any mental or emotional disorder?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Have you ever received treatment for any substance abuse related disorder?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Have you ever been treated by any physician, psychologist, psychiatrist, or counselor for any mental or emotional disorder?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Have you ever been the subject of a psychological or psychiatric examination ordered by the court or Employer? THIS INCLUDES PRE-EMPLOYMENT EXAMINATIONS.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Have you ever received a psychological evaluation of "Applicant is not Recommended for employment as a law enforcement officer at this time"? If yes when _____.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. I have been advised of my APPEAL RIGHTS under 10.20.9.12 NMAC.		

I HEREBY AUTHORIZE RELEASE OF THIS REPORT TO MY EMPLOYING AGENCY AND NM THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TRAINING CENTER.

Name of Applicant _____ Applicant Signature _____ Date _____
Print or Type

Mental Examination Certificate

I am a licensed/certified psychologist in the State of _____. I have reviewed the New Mexico law enforcement officer job description. I have reviewed the test data and conducted a face-to-face the interview of the above named individual in order to screen for any apparent indicators of psychopathology, or significant mental or emotional difficulties which could reasonably be predicted to interfere with the applicants's intended duties as a law enforcement officer.

I conclude the following:

- Applicant **IS RECOMMENDED WITHOUT RESERVATION** for certification pending the successful completion of a NMDPS approved training academy.
- Applicant **IS NOT RECOMMENDED** for employment as a law enforcement officer at this time.

Please print or type

Name of Evaluator _____ License/Certification# _____
 State of issue _____ Contact/Office Telephone No. _____
 Office Mailing Address _____
Street or P.O. Box City State Zip

Email address: _____

- Reading ability test performed: WRAT Nelson-Denny Other _____
- Psychopathology test performed: MMPI-2 PAI Million-3 Other _____
- Normal personality test: 16 PF Leader IPI Other _____

Evaluator Signature _____ Date _____