



CHAPTER 90
ARTICLE 18G - PSYCHOLOGY PRACTICE ACT

N.C.G.S. § 90-270.149.

Prohibited acts.

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- § 90-270.149(a)

Except as permitted in G.S. 90-270.138 and G.S. 90-270.139, it shall be a violation of this Article for any person not licensed in accordance with the provisions of this Article to represent himself or herself as a psychologist, licensed psychologist, licensed psychological associate, or health services provider in psychology.
- § 90-270.149(b)

Except as provided in G.S. 90-270.138 and G.S. 90-270.139, it shall be a violation of this Article for any person not licensed in accordance with the provisions of this Article to practice or offer to practice psychology as defined in this Article whether as an individual, firm, partnership, corporation, agency, or other entity.
- § 90-270.149(c)

Except as provided in G.S. 90-270.138 and G.S. 90-270.139, it shall be a violation of this Article for any person not licensed in accordance with the provisions of this Article to use a title or description of services including the term "psychology," or any of its derivatives such as "psychologic", "psychological", or "psychologist", singly or in conjunction with modifiers such as "licensed", "practicing", "certified", or "registered".

END OF SECTION TEXT

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APPARATUS I
5 ACTS

Amendment lineage

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Nº	YEAR	ACT	CHARACTER		
01	1967	c. 910, s. 16	ENACTED		
02	1979	c. 670, s. 3	AMENDED		
03	1979	c. 1005, s. 3	AMENDED		
04	1993	c. 375, s. 1	AMENDED		
05	2020	S.L. 2020-82, s. 1(a)	AMENDED		

APPARATUS II

2 AUTHORITIES

Authorities referenced

Every G.S. cross-reference appearing in the text of this section, in order of first appearance. Nothing is characterized; the operative language is quoted from the section itself.

REFERENCE	APPEARS IN	OPERATIVE LANGUAGE IN THIS SECTION
G.S. 90-270.138	(a)	"Except as permitted in"
G.S. 90-270.139	(a)	"as permitted in G.S. 90-270.138 and"

APPARATUS III

Citation

FULL SECTION

N.C. Gen. Stat. § 90-270.149 (2020).

PINPOINT

N.C. Gen. Stat. § 90-270.149(a) (2020).

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HISTORY PARENTHETICAL, AS PRINTED BY THE STATE

(1967, c. 910, s. 16; 1979, c. 670, s. 3; c. 1005, s. 3; 1993, c. 375, s. 1; 2020-82, s. 1(a).)

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