



Continuing Competency Program for Psychologists in the NWT

Continuing Competence Programs (CCP) are registration mechanisms to support the regulated professional in maintaining their competencies and skills as a professional service provider throughout the life of their registration. CCPs promote high standards of care, ethics, and professionalism and are mandatory for regulated professionals, as established by the applicable profession legislation, and enforced by the Registrar, Chief of Profession Regulation. The following is a snapshot of your CCP requirements and what they include. You are required to maintain a logbook to track activities and hours to produce in the event of an audit.

The CCP requirements for Psychologists includes:

Participating in courses, conferences, or workshops as a presenter or facilitator, including those with a focus on Indigenous issues in psychology.	Mentorship activities, including supervision of a provisional psychologist.
Practice or consultation with professional peers to acquire knowledge and skills, including those with a focus on Indigenous issues in psychology.	Participation in a committee established by the Minister or other board relating to psychology.
Self-directed learning or study, including those with a focus on Indigenous issues in psychology.	Participation in Indigenous cultural awareness training.

Hours Required:

- Complete 25 hours of CCP activities each year beginning February 1 and ending on January 31 of the following year.
- A maximum of 12.5 hours **may** be completed in **each** category above.
- A minimum of 5 hours each year **must** be completed from the activities listed in the **blue square** of the above CCP table.

The complete Psychology Profession Regulations and full CCP requirements under the Health and Social Services Professions Act can be viewed here: [Psychology Profession Regulations \(gov.nt.ca\)](http://gov.nt.ca)