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4783-1-01 Application for certification.

- (A) All applicants for certification as a certified Ohio behavior analyst shall file an application with the board, under oath ~~and duly notarized, on a form~~ in a format prescribed by the board and accompanied by the appropriate fee.
- (B) In accord with division (A) of section 4783.04 of the Revised Code, all applications for certification shall include:
- (1) Written verification from the “Behavior Analyst Certification Board” or its successor organization that the person holds a current, valid certificate as a board certified behavior analyst or determination by the board that the applicant has met the equivalent requirements pursuant to criteria set forth in paragraph (B)(1)(a) of rule 4783-4-01 of the Administrative Code;
 - ~~(2) (2) The grade transcript, bearing official seal, sent directly to the board office by each graduate university or college attended by the applicant;~~
 - ~~(3) (3) Notarized statements from those persons who have supervised the applicant’s professional work experience in applied behavior analysis shall be submitted on a form prescribed by the board, incorporated herein by reference as form PSY COBA SUP 1 and available on the board’s website www.psychology.ohio.gov. Said statements shall set forth the supervisor’s own qualifications, familiarity with the applicant, the extent of the supervision over such applicant, the inclusive dates and number of hours of work supervised, the number of individual and group supervision hours weekly, and an evaluation of the applicant’s performance;~~
 - ~~(4) (4) A completed, notarized application on a form prescribed by the board, incorporated herein by reference as form PSY COBA APP 1 and available on the board’s website www.psychology.ohio.gov.~~
 - ~~(5) (2)~~ Not less than three letters of reference from individuals substantially familiar with the applicant’s professional conduct, competencies, and personal character. The letters shall be sent directly to the board office and shall come from:
 - (a) A psychologist or a school psychologist licensed by this board; or
 - (b) A psychologist or a school psychologist licensed by another state, territory, the District of Columbia, or Canada when the supervised experience took/takes place in that other jurisdiction or the psychologist or the school psychologist is/was practicing legally in Ohio; or
 - (c) A board certified behavior analyst in good standing certified by the “Behavior Analyst Certification Board”; or
 - (d) A professional clinical counselor, independent social worker, or independent marriage and family therapist licensed under Chapter 4757. of the Revised Code; or
 - (e) A certified Ohio behavior analyst.
- (C) The application for certification shall be deemed to lapse if the applicant has not successfully completed all requirements for certification within three years after initial filing. Thereafter, a new application shall be necessary for a candidate to pursue certification.
- (D) The entrance examiner appointed by the board pursuant to division (A) of section 4732.10 of the Revised

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Code shall determine whether an applicant meets the requirements of the applicable division (A) of section 4783.03 of the Revised Code. If the entrance examiner determines that an applicant does not meet the requirements, the examiner shall propose to deny the application.