

WHO CAN USE PSYCHOLOGICAL TESTS?

Psychological testing must be performed, or supervised by, mental health professionals who have been appropriately educated and trained in the administration and interpretation of psychological tests,. A trained technician can, under supervision, administer and score a psychological test, but the interpretation and reporting of findings of such tests must be done by individuals with appropriate assessment training.

Licensed psychologists should be familiar with the *Standards For Psychological Testing (APA, 1985)*. All mental health professionals who use tests should be familiar with both their state's testing guidelines and the ethical guidelines relating to testing procedures of their specific disciplines.