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TO: Kathleen Buchli, Code Reviser

FROM: Tami Thompson, Deputy Director of Regulatory Affairs *Tami M. Thompson*

SUBJECT: Rescind Examining Board of Psychology Policy Statement EBOP-20-02.2 |
Virtual Supervision for Psychology Internships and Preinternships
during and following the COVID-19 Declared Emergency

This memo serves as notice that the Examining Board of Psychology (board) is rescinding EBOP-20-02.2, Virtual Supervision for Psychology Internships and Preinternships during and following the COVID-19 Declared Emergency, which was filed August 8, 2023 and published in WSR 23-17-029.

This statement established the board's policy that, during the Coronavirus disease (COVID-19) declared emergency, the requirement for "face-to-face individual supervision" in chapter 246-924 WAC could be fulfilled by virtual supervision. This policy was extended past the COVID-19 declared emergency until the board could adopt permanent rules addressing the use of virtual supervision. The board is rescinding this policy because the board recently completed rulemaking on this subject, filed under WSR 25-15-068 and effective August 14, 2025. As a result, this policy statement is no longer needed.

Individuals requiring additional information on this should contact Nancy Delgado at psychology@doh.wa.gov.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

cc: Nancy Delgado, Program Manager

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