

## TOP INDUSTRY SECTORS\*

FOR PHD IN CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY GRADUATES

Professionals with a PhD in Clinical Psychology are sought by employers nationwide in industries such as higher education, hospitals and health offices, and national security and international affairs.



COLLEGES, UNIVERSITIES, AND PROFESSIONAL SCHOOLS



GENERAL MEDICAL AND SURGICAL HOSPITALS



OFFICES OF OTHER HEALTH PRACTITIONERS



NATIONAL SECURITY AND INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS



ADMINISTRATION OF HUMAN RESOURCE PROGRAMS

## MOST IN-DEMAND JOB SKILLS

Job skills in the following areas are in greatest demand for professionals with a doctoral degree in clinical psychology.\*

- Clinical psychology
- Psychology
- Mental health
- Teaching
- Behavioral health



## TOP JOB TITLES

Most in-demand job titles for professionals with a PhD in Clinical Psychology\*

Clinical psychologist

Professor of psychology

Psychologist

Assistant professor of psychology

Neuropsychologist

## TOP JOB COUNTS



### INDUSTRY SECTOR

### % OF JOB POSTINGS

Healthcare and social assistance	42%
Educational services	41%
Public administration	12%
Professional, scientific, and technical services	2%
Finance and insurance	2%
Other	<1%

## MEDIAN ANNUAL WAGES FOR PSYCHOLOGISTS†

ACCORDING TO THE BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS

Psychologists, all other.....	\$95,710
Industrial-organizational psychologists.....	\$82,760
Clinical, counseling, and school psychologists....	\$73,270

ACCORDING TO THE BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS, THE DEMAND FOR CLINICAL, COUNSELING, AND SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGISTS IS EXPECTED TO

# INCREASE BY 20%

from 2014 to 2024, faster than the national average for all occupations.‡



\*Data for this analysis of 5,104 job postings for professionals with a PhD in Clinical Psychology from January 1, 2016, to December 31, 2016, was retrieved using [Burning Glass Technologies Labor Insight Real-Time Labor Market Information Tool](#). Results for industry sectors, job skills, job titles, and job counts are at the national level and may not reflect local and/or short-term job conditions and are subject to change. Some jobs may require other credentials besides completion of a degree. Walden makes no representation or guarantee that completion of Walden coursework or programs will permit an individual to obtain state licensure or other credential.

†Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, Occupational Outlook Handbook, 2016–2017 Edition, on the internet at [www.bls.gov/ooh/life-physical-and-social-science/psychologists.htm#tab-5](#) (viewed online June 27, 2017). National salary estimates may not reflect local and/or short-term economic or job conditions, do not guarantee actual salaries (or salary growth), and are subject to change.

‡Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, Occupational Outlook Handbook, 2016–2017 Edition, on the internet at [www.bls.gov/ooh/life-physical-and-social-science/psychologists.htm#tab-6](#) (viewed online June 27, 2017). National job growth estimates may not reflect local and/or short-term economic or job conditions, do not guarantee actual job growth, and are subject to change.