

Table 2

Educational Characteristics of 2009 Doctorate Recipients in Psychology by Employment Status

	Employment Status										Total
	Employed full time		Employed part time		Postdoctoral fellow		Unemployed, seeking		Unemployed, not seeking		N
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
N=	785	63.0	64	7.5	297	23.8	48	3.9	22	1.8	1,246
<i>Degree(s) earned</i>											
PhD	594	63.4	64	6.8	229	24.4	31	3.3	19	2.0	937
PsyD	187	62.3	30	10.0	64	21.3	16	5.3	3	1.0	300
EdD	1	33.3	0	0.0	1	33.3	1	33.3	0	0.0	3
PhD/JD	2	66.7	0	0.0	1	33.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
PsyD/JD	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
PhD/MD	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
PhD/RhD	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
<i>Subfield</i>											
Biological	4	50.0	1	12.5	2	25.0	1	12.5	0	0.0	8
Clinical	312	61.5	46	9.1	123	24.3	21	4.1	5	1.0	507
Clinical Child	34	57.6	4	6.8	18	30.5	1	1.7	2	3.4	59
Clinical Neuropsychology	9	25.0	0	0.0	24	66.7	1	2.8	2	5.6	36
Cognitive	25	61.0	2	4.9	13	31.7	1	2.4	0	0.0	41
Community	9	69.2	2	15.4	1	7.7	1	7.7	0	0.0	13
Comparative	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Counseling	70	68.0	12	11.7	15	14.6	3	2.9	3	2.9	103
Developmental	36	64.3	3	5.4	12	21.4	3	5.4	2	3.6	56
Educational	36	78.3	5	10.9	3	6.5	2	4.3	0	0.0	46
Engineering	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Environmental	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
Evolutionary	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
Experimental	8	36.4	0	0.0	12	54.5	1	4.5	1	4.5	22
Family	3	75.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	25.0	0	0.0	4
Forensic	8	66.7	1	8.3	2	16.7	1	8.3	0	0.0	12
General	7	87.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	12.5	0	0.0	8
Geropsychology	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Health	6	33.3	2	11.1	9	0.5	0	0.0	1	5.6	18
I/O	45	80.4	2	3.6	4	7.1	5	8.9	0	0.0	56
Neurosciences	17	31.5	2	3.7	31	57.4	3	5.6	1	1.9	54
Personality	2	50.0	0	0.0	2	50.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
Physiological	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Psycholinguistics	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Psychometrics	7	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	7

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Psychopharmacology	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Quantitative	5	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5
Rehabilitation	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
School	58	82.9	3	4.3	7	10.0	0	0.0	2	2.9	70
Social	53	74.6	4	5.6	10	14.1	2	2.8	2	2.8	71
Sports	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Systems/History/Methods	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Other in psychology	10	55.6	4	22.2	3	16.7	0	0.0	1	5.6	18
Not in psychology	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
Health service provider subfields	510	62.0	70	8.5	199	24.2	29	3.5	15	1.8	823
Research and other fields	263	64.6	23	5.7	95	23.3	19	4.7	7	1.7	407
Not specified	12	75.0	1	6.3	3	18.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	16

Source 2009 Doctorate Employment Survey, APA Center for Workforce Studies. March 2011.