

APPENDIX B

Characteristics of the Population, Respondents, and Nonrespondents to the 2009 APA Salary Survey

		Respondents		Nonrespondents		Total sample	
		N	%	N	%	N	%
	N=	12,810	100.0	41,780	100.0	54,590	100.0
Current major field: health service provider subfields	Child clinical	560	4.4	1,387	3.3	1,947	3.6
	Clinical	5,302	41.4	18,090	43.3	23,392	42.9
	Clinical neuropsychology	170	1.3	411	1.0	581	1.1
	Counseling psychology	1,273	9.9	3,902	9.3	5,175	9.5
	Family Psychology	9	.1	25	.1	34	.1
	Forensic	93	.7	222	.5	315	.6
	Geropsychology	56	.4	128	.3	184	.3
	Health	238	1.9	599	1.4	837	1.5
	School	363	2.8	1,301	3.1	1,664	3.0
	Sport psychology	9	.1	41	.1	50	.1
	Subtotal: Health service provider subfields	8,244	64.4	26,630	63.8	34,874	63.9
Research and other subfields	Cognitive	147	1.1	311	.7	458	.8
	Community	112	.9	223	.5	335	.6
	Comparative	11	.1	30	.1	41	.1
	Developmental	413	3.2	969	2.3	1,382	2.5
	Educational	203	1.6	663	1.6	866	1.6
	Environmental	12	.1	28	.1	40	.1
	Experimental	140	1.1	370	.9	510	.9
	General/Methods & Systems	50	.4	214	.5	264	.5
	Industrial/Organizational	486	3.8	1,634	3.9	2,120	3.9
	Neurosciences	84	.7	277	.7	361	.7
	Personality	45	.4	133	.3	178	.3
	Physiological/Psychobiology	38	.3	115	.3	153	.3
	Psychopharmacology	36	.3	80	.2	116	.2
	Quantitative/ Math/ Psychometrics/ Stats	82	.6	179	.4	261	.5
	Social	340	2.7	731	1.7	1,071	2.0
	Subtotal: Research and other subfields	2,186	17.1	5,967	14.3	8,153	14.9
	Other fields	882	6.9	2,510	6.0	3,392	6.2
	Not specified	1,497	11.7	6,659	15.9	8,156	14.9
Highest degree	Ph.D.	10,197	79.6	29,580	70.8	39,777	72.9
	Ed.D.	300	2.3	1,412	3.4	1,712	3.1

	Psy.D.	1,636	12.8	6,186	14.8	7,822	14.3
	M.D.	3	.0	23	.1	26	.0
	Other doctorate or doctorate type not specified	114	.9	867	2.1	981	1.8
	Masters	520	4.1	3,439	8.2	3,959	7.3
	Baccalaureate/Associate	2	.0	21	.1	23	.0
	Certificate/diploma	1	.0	7	.0	8	.0
	Not specified	37	.3	245	.6	282	.5
Licensure status	Licensed and/or certified	7,819	61.0	25,193	60.3	33,012	60.5
	Not licensed/unknown	4,991	39.0	16,587	39.7	21,578	39.5
Gender	Men	5,623	43.9	17,647	42.2	23,270	42.6
	Women	7,186	56.1	24,126	57.7	31,312	57.4
	Transgender	0	.0	1	.0	1	.0
	Not specified	1	.0	6	.0	7	.0
Race/ethnicity	American Indian	30	.2	92	.2	122	.2
	Asian	279	2.2	801	1.9	1,080	2.0
	Hispanic	337	2.6	983	2.4	1,320	2.4
	Black	268	2.1	813	1.9	1,081	2.0
	White	9,410	73.5	26,628	63.7	36,038	66.0
	Other	1	.0	8	.0	9	.0
	Multiracial/multi-ethnic	84	.7	214	.5	298	.5
	Not specified	2,401	18.7	12,241	29.3	14,642	26.8
Region	New England	1,162	9.1	3,851	9.2	5,013	9.2
	Middle Atlantic	2,331	18.2	8,624	20.6	10,955	20.1
	East North Central	1,842	14.4	5,761	13.8	7,603	13.9
	West North Central	894	7.0	2,304	5.5	3,198	5.9
	South Atlantic	2,304	18.0	7,030	16.8	9,334	17.1
	East South Central	475	3.7	1,305	3.1	1,780	3.3
	West South Central	810	6.3	2,420	5.8	3,230	5.9
	Mountain	814	6.4	2,335	5.6	3,149	5.8
	Pacific	2,028	15.8	7,662	18.3	9,690	17.8
	Other US (eg, Puerto Rico)	43	.3	167	.4	210	.4
	Canada	10	.1	28	.1	38	.1
	Other	96	.7	279	.7	375	.7
	Not specified						
Age	Under 30	214	1.7	510	1.2	724	1.3
	30 – 34	1,124	8.8	2,595	6.2	3,719	6.8
	35 – 39	1,353	10.6	3,982	9.5	5,335	9.8
	40 – 44	1,276	10.0	4,058	9.7	5,334	9.8

	45 – 49	1,279	10.0	3,865	9.3	5,144	9.4
	50 – 54	1,515	11.8	4,582	11.0	6,097	11.2
	55 – 59	2,180	17.0	6,488	15.5	8,668	15.9
	60 – 64	2,045	16.0	6,547	15.7	8,592	15.7
	65 – 69	940	7.3	3,685	8.8	4,625	8.5
	70 or older	605	4.7	3,562	8.5	4,167	7.6
	Not specified	278	2.2	1,892	4.5	2,170	4.0
	Mean	51.4		53.4		52.9	
	Std Deviation	12.1		12.8		12.7	

Source: 2009 APA Salary Survey, Center for Workforce Studies.