



PSB-HOA Testing Tips

Note: Students must read this prior to signing up for a PSB test date.

The PSB Health Occupations Exam is an **ADMISSION** exam for all Health Professions programs; it is not a **PLACEMENT** exam. This means that you want to score your best the first time, as you can only take the exam twice.

Prospective health professions students are more likely to achieve higher scores on the PSB test if you have completed each of the following steps:

- ✓ Passed all prerequisite courses with grades of C or better for the health professions program you intend on applying to.
- ✓ Attended PSB Prep Workshops for math, reading/spelling, and natural science review to strengthen any weak areas that you may have.
- ✓ Purchased a PSB Exam Workbook either in the bookstore or on-line and have completed practice questions for each of the sections on the exam: academic aptitude (verbal, math, and non-verbal), spelling, reading comprehension, natural science, and vocational aptitude.

If you have not completed each of the steps listed above, it is recommended that you do not sign up for a PSB test today. Complete all of the steps first, and then register to take a PSB test.

The PSB exam should be taken prior to submitting your application to a Health Professions program. Be sure to allow time for a second attempt at the PSB exam, if necessary, before the application deadline. Students must wait a minimum of 30 days between testing attempts.

This book is available in the ECC bookstore: PSB Health Occupations Exam Practice Questions: PSB Practice Tests & Review for the Psychological Services Bureau, Inc. (PSB) Health Occupations Exam.

You may want to buy this book on line, Pass the PSB Complete Health Occupations Aptitude Exam Study Guide and Practice Test Questions.

Helpful web sites:

<http://quizlet.com/17989716/new/original>

<http://quizlet.com/subject/PSB>

<http://www.riggsinst.org/28rules.aspx>

http://grammar.ccc.commnet.edu/grammar/misspelled_words.htm

Your PSB test is scheduled on _____ at _____.
(date) (time)

Your PSB course code is _____.