



DISCLOSURE AND CONSENT CONCERNING CONSUMER AND INVESTIGATIVE CONSUMER REPORTS

This form, which you should read carefully, has been provided to you because Regent University (“Regent”) may request Consumer Reports and/or Investigative Consumer Reports from a consumer reporting agency (i.e. Background Checks). Regent will use any such report(s) within the School of Psychology and Counseling for practicum and internship-related purposes and for administrative and academic purposes that will help fulfill accreditation/program requirements and ensure appropriate ethical standards for professional conduct among students.

Consumer Reports or Investigative Consumer Reports will be obtained from HireRight, Inc., (“HireRight”) located at 2100 Main Street, Suite 400, Irvine, CA 92614. They can be contacted at 800-400-2761. You will be charged a fee of \$40.00 by Regent for obtaining this report. Any such reports may contain information bearing on your character, general reputation, personal characteristics, mode of living and credit standing. The types of information that may be obtained include, but are not limited to: social security number, criminal records checks, public court records checks, including civil, driving records, etc. The information contained in these reports may be obtained by HireRight from private or public record sources.

For California residents, under section 1786.22 of the California Civil Code, you may view the file maintained on you by HireRight. You may also obtain a copy of this file, upon submitting proper identification and paying the costs of duplication services, by appearing at HireRight’s offices in person, during normal business hours and on reasonable notice, or by mail; you may also receive a summary of the file by telephone. HireRight has trained personnel available to explain your file to you, including any coded information. If you appear in person, you may be accompanied by one other person, provided that person furnishes proper identification.

You are being given a copy of the “Summary of Your Rights Under the Fair Credit Reporting Act” prepared pursuant to 15 U.S.C. section 1681(g)(c). You have the right to request additional disclosures of the nature and scope of the investigation and a statement of your rights by contacting HireRight.

CONSENT

I have carefully read and understand this Disclosure and Consent form and, by my signature below, consent to the release of consumer and/or investigative consumer reports, as defined above, to Regent in conjunction with my practicum and/or internship and for other administrative and academic uses. I further understand that any and all information contained in my application or otherwise disclosed to Regent by me before, during or after my time of enrollment, if any, may be utilized for the purpose of obtaining the consumer reports or investigative consumer reports requested by Regent. I understand that if I enroll in Practicum and/or Internship while at Regent, Regent may request a consumer report and/or an investigative consumer report about me, as defined above, for practicum and/or internship-related or other purposes during the course of my enrollment. I understand that my consent will apply throughout my enrollment, to the extent permitted by law, unless I revoke or cancel my consent by sending a signed letter or statement to Regent at any time. This Disclosure and Consent form, in original, faxed, photocopied or electronic form, will be valid for any reports that may be requested by Regent.

Applicant Last Name _____ First _____ Middle _____

Social Security # _____ Date of Birth (for ID purposes only) _____

Drivers License # _____ State License was issued in _____ Phone # _____

Permanent Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Applicant Signature _____

Email address: _____

A Summary of Your Rights Under the Fair Credit Reporting Act

The federal Fair Credit Reporting Act (FCRA) promotes the accuracy, fairness, and privacy of information in the files of consumer reporting agencies. There are many types of consumer reporting agencies, including credit bureaus and specialty agencies (such as agencies that sell information about check writing histories, medical records, and rental history records). Here is a summary of your major rights under the FCRA. **For more information, including information about additional rights, go to www.ftc.gov/credit or write to: Consumer Response Center, Room 130-A, Federal Trade Commission, 600 Pennsylvania Ave. N.W., Washington, D.C. 20580.**

You must be told if information in your file has been used against you. Anyone who uses a credit report or another type of consumer report to deny your application for credit, insurance, or employment or to take another adverse action against you must tell you, and must give you the name, address, and phone number of the agency that provided the information.

You have the right to know what is in your file. You may request and obtain all the information about you in the files of a consumer reporting agency (your file disclosure). You will be required to provide proper identification, which may include your Social Security number. In many cases, the disclosure will be free. You are entitled to a free file disclosure if:

- a person has taken adverse action against you because of information in your credit report;
- you are the victim of identify theft and place a fraud alert in your file;
- your file contains inaccurate information as a result of fraud;
- you are on public assistance;
- you are unemployed but expect to apply for employment within 60 days.

In addition, by September 2005 all consumers will be entitled to one free disclosure every 12 months upon request from each nationwide credit bureau and from nationwide specialty consumer reporting agencies. See www.ftc.gov/credit for additional information.

You have the right to ask for a credit score. Credit scores are numerical summaries of your credit-worthiness based on information from credit bureaus. You may request a credit score from consumer reporting agencies that create scores or distribute scores used in residential real property loans, but you will have to pay for it. In some mortgage transactions, you will receive credit score information for free from the mortgage lender.

You have the right to dispute incomplete or inaccurate information. If you identify information in your file that is incomplete or inaccurate, and report it to the consumer reporting agency, the agency must investigate unless your dispute is frivolous. See www.ftc.gov/credit for an explanation of dispute procedures.

Consumer reporting agencies must correct or delete inaccurate, incomplete, or unverifiable information. Inaccurate, incomplete or unverifiable information must be removed or corrected, usually within 30 days. However, a consumer reporting agency may continue to report information it has verified as accurate.

Consumer reporting agencies may not report outdated negative information. In most cases, a consumer reporting agency may not report negative information that is more than seven years old, or bankruptcies that are more than 10 years old.

Access to your file is limited. A consumer reporting agency may provide information about you only to people with a valid need - usually to consider an application with a creditor, insurer, employer, landlord, or other business. The FCRA specifies those with a valid need for access.

You must give your consent for reports to be provided to employers. A consumer reporting agency may not give out information about you to your employer, or a potential employer, without your written consent given to the employer. Written consent generally is not required in the trucking industry. For more information, go to www.ftc.gov/credit.

You may limit "prescreened" offers of credit and insurance you get based on information in your credit report. Unsolicited "prescreened" offers for credit and insurance must include a toll-free phone number you can call if you choose to remove your name and address from the lists these offers are based on. You may opt-out with the nationwide credit bureaus at 1-888-5-OPTOUT (1-888-567-8688).

You may seek damages from violators. If a consumer reporting agency, or, in some cases, a user of consumer reports or a furnisher of information to a consumer reporting agency violates the FCRA, you may be able to sue in state or federal court.

Identity theft victims and active duty military personnel have additional rights. For more information, visit www.ftc.gov/credit.

States may enforce the FCRA, and many states have their own consumer reporting laws. In some cases, you may have more rights under state law. For more information, contact your state or local consumer protection agency or your state Attorney General. Federal enforcers are:

TYPE OF BUSINESS:	CONTACT:
Consumer reporting agencies, creditors and others not listed below	Federal Trade Commission: Consumer Response Center - FCRA Washington, DC 20580 1-877-382-4357
National banks, federal branches/agencies of foreign banks (word "National" or initials "N.A." appear in or after bank's name)	Office of the Comptroller of the Currency Compliance Management, Mail Stop 6-6 Washington, DC 20219 800-613-6743
Federal Reserve System member banks (except federal branches/agencies of foreign banks)	Federal Reserve Board Division of Consumer & Community Affairs Washington, DC 20551 202-452-3693
Savings associations and federally chartered savings banks (word	Office of Thrift Supervision Consumer Complaints Washington, DC

"Federal" or initials "F.S.B." appear in federal institution's name)	20552 800-842-6929
Federal credit unions (words "Federal Credit Union" appear in institution's name)	National Credit Union Administration 1775 Duke Street Alexandria, VA 22314 703-519-4600
State-chartered banks that are not members of the Federal Reserve System	Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation Consumer Response Center, 2345 Grand Avenue, Suite 100 Kansas City, Missouri 64108-2638 1-877-275-3342
Air, surface, or rail common carriers regulated by former Civil Aeronautics Board or Interstate Commerce Commission	Department of Transportation , Office of Financial Management Washington, DC 20590 202-366-1306
Activities subject to the Packers and Stockyards Act, 1921	Department of Agriculture Office of Deputy Administrator - GIPSA Washington, DC 20250 202-720-7051