Competencies

Table 1. Primary competences

Competencies	Definition (summary)
1-Needs analysis	Gathering information about the client's needs by means of methods, clarifying
	and analysing the needs to a point where meaningful further action can be taken.
2-Goal setting	Proposing and negotiating goals with the client, establishing acceptable and
	feasible goals, and specifying criteria for evaluating goal fulfilment at a later time.
3-Individual	Carrying out assessment by means of interviewing, testing and observation of
assessment	individuals in a setting relevant for the service demanded.
4-Group assessment	Carrying out assessment by means of interviewing, testing and observation of
	groups in a setting relevant for the service demanded.
5-Organizational	Carrying out assessment by means of interviews, surveys, and other methods and
assessment	techniques which are appropriate for studying organisations in a relevant setting.
6-Situational	Carrying out assessment by means of interviews, surveys, and other methods and
assessment	techniques which are appropriate for studying situations in a setting.
7- Product	Defining the purpose of the service or product, identifying relevant stakeholders,
definition &	analysing requirements and constraints, and drawing up specifications for the
requirement	product or service, taking into consideration the setting in which the service or
analysis	product is to be used.
8-Service or	Designing or adapting services or products in accordance with the requirements
product design	and constraints, taking into consideration the setting.
9-Service or	Testing the service or product and assessing its feasibility, reliability, validity, and
product testing	other characteristics, taking into consideration the setting.
10-Service or	Evaluating the service or product with respect to utility, client satisfaction, user
product evaluation	friendliness, costs and other aspects which are relevant in the setting in which the
	service or product is to be used.
11-Intervention	Developing an intervention plan that is appropriate for reaching the set goals in a
planning	setting relevant for the service demanded.
12-Direct person-	Applying intervention methods that directly affect one or more individuals in
oriented	accordance with the intervention plan, in a setting relevant for the service
intervention	demanded.
13-Direct Situation-	Applying intervention methods that directly affect selected aspects of the situation
oriented interve.	in accordance with the intervention plan, in a setting relevant for the service
	demanded.
14-Indirect	Applying intervention methods that enable individuals, groups or organisations to
intervention	learn and take decisions in their own interest.
15-Service-Product	Introducing services or products and promoting their proper use by clients or other
implementation	psychologists.
16-Evaluation	Designing a plan for the evaluation of an intervention, including criteria derived
planning	from the intervention plan and the set goals, in a relevant setting.
17-Evaluation	Selecting and applying measurement techniques that are appropriate for effecting
measurement	the evaluation plan, in a setting relevant for the service demanded.
18-Evaluation	Conducting analyses in accordance with the evaluation plan, and drawing
analysis	conclusions on the effectiveness of interventions in a relevant setting.
19-Giving	Providing feedback to clients, using appropriate oral and/or audio-visual means, in
Feedback	a setting relevant for the service demanded.
20-Report writing	Writing reports as to inform clients about the results of assessment, service or
1	product development, interventions, and/or evaluations, in a relevant setting.
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Table 2. Enabling competences

Competences	Definition (summary)
1-Professional	Choosing an appropriate strategy for dealing with the
strategy	problem(s) posed, based on a reflection on the professional
	situation and one's own primary competences
2-Continuing	Updating and developing one's primary and enabling
professional	competences, knowledge and skills in accordance with
development	changes in the field and the requirements of the
	psychological profession, national and European EFPA
	Regulations on EuroPsy.
3-Professional	Establishing and maintaining relationships with other
relations	professionals, as well as relevant organisations.
4-Research and	Developing new interventions, services and products that
development	fulfil current or future clients' needs and generate new forms
	of professional activity or business
5-Marketing &	Bringing current and new products and services to the
sales	attention of actual or potential clients, contacting clients,
	making business offers, selling services, etc.
6-Account	Establishing and maintaining relationships with clients,
management	monitoring clients' needs and satisfactions, identifying
	opportunities for professional activity or business.
7-Practice	Designing and managing the practice from which services
management	are rendered, whether as a small business or as part of a
	larger private or public organisation, including financial,
	personnel, and operational aspects, providing leadership to
	employees.
8-Quality	Establishing and maintaining a system for quality assurance
assurance	for the practice.
9-Self-reflection	Critical self-reflection on own practice and competence is a
	key feature of professional competence.

 Table 3. Research-oriented competencies

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1-Developing an adequate conceptual framework and conducting rigorous and	
updated_literature review	
2- Describing the objetive, method, and data collection process	
3-Conducting data analysis and description of results	
4- Writing reports using acceptable scientific guidelines	
5- Disseminating research conclusions and results	