

Table 30
Types and Levels of Financial Support Available in U.S. Departments of
Psychology by Type of Department and Institution: 1999-2000

	Doctoral		Master's	
	Public (<u>N</u> =228)	Private (<u>N</u> =155)	Public (<u>N</u> =136)	Private (<u>N</u> =63)
Teaching Assistantships				
% depts offering teaching assistantships to first-year students	78	39	52	35
% depts offering teaching assistantships to advanced students	86	77	57	40
Average stipend paid per academic year				
Median	\$8,750	\$6,250	\$4,500	\$5,000
Q1-Q3	\$5,970-\$10,450	\$2,000-\$10,428	\$3,000-\$6,000	\$2,275-\$7,275
Average hours worked per week				
Median	20	13	15	15
Q1-Q3	15-20	8-20	10-20	10-20
Depts offering tuition remission ^a				
% depts giving full tuition remission	55	33	21	17
% depts giving partial tuition remission	34	30	24	17
Research Assistantships				
% depts offering research assistantships to first-year students	78	39	52	35
% depts offering research assistantships to advanced students	85	69	50	35
Average stipend paid per academic year				
Median	\$8,575	\$6,746	\$4,000	\$4,500
Q1-Q3	\$5,500-\$10,388	\$3,700-\$10,485	\$3,000-\$5,126	\$2,625-\$7,375
Average hours worked per week				
Median	20	15	15	12
Q1-Q3	15-20	10-20	10-20	10-20
Depts offering tuition remission ^a				
% depts giving full tuition remission	52	32	24	22
% depts giving partial tuition remission	36	28	24	17

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Traineeships				
% depts offering traineeships to first-year students	18	14	3	6
% depts offering traineeships to advanced students	43	28	10	14
Average stipend paid per academic year				
Median	\$9,430	\$8,200	\$4,050	\$6,000
Q1-Q3	\$7,150-\$12,000	\$5,600-\$12,654	\$1,850-\$5,700	\$3,800-\$14,000
Average hours worked per week				
Median	20	20	15	16
Q1-Q3	16-20	15-20	10-20	12-20
Depts offering tuition remission ^a				
% depts giving full tuition remission	25	16	2	3
% depts giving partial tuition remission	11	9	3	8
Fellowships/Scholarships				
% depts offering fellowships/ scholarships to first-year students	71	68	26	27
% depts offering fellowships/ scholarships to advanced students	63	64	22	24
Average stipend paid per academic year				
Median	\$10,000	\$7,500	\$2,200	\$3,500
Q1-Q3	\$5,000-\$12,000	\$3,450-\$12,400	\$1,063-\$5,000	\$1,000-\$5,500
Average hours worked per week				
Median	20	16	10	13
Q1-Q3	15-20	10-20	9-20	5-20
Depts offering tuition remission ^a				
% depts giving full tuition remission	48	41	6	11
% depts giving partial tuition remission	25	32	7	21

Source: 2000 Graduate Study in Psychology. Compiled by the APA Research Office.

Note. All stipends are reported in U.S. dollars. Average number of hours worked per week is based on a 20-hour work week.

^a Percentages may not add to 100, as a number of departments offer neither full nor partial tuition remission.