**Legal Title**  
Vocational Nurse and Psychiatric Technician Examiners Fund, Professions and Vocations Fund

**Legal Citation/Authority**  
Chapter 1689, Statutes of 1951  
Business and Professions Code sections 2840-2897.5 and 4500-4548

**Fund Classification**

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**Purpose**  
The purpose of the fund was to provide money for the regulation and licensing of persons engaged in the practice of vocational nursing under the Vocational Nursing Practice Act.

All of the transactions in the Vocational Nurse and Psychiatric Technician Examiners Fund are conducted through the Vocational Nurses Account (Fund No. 779) and the Psychiatric Technicians Account (Fund No. 780). Refer to Funds 779 and 780 for further information.

**Administering Agency/Organization Code**  
Refer to Funds 0779 and 0780

**Major Revenue Source**  
Refer to Funds 0779 and 0780

**Disposition of Fund (upon abolishment)**  
Refer to Funds 0779 and 0780

**Appropriation Authority**  
Refer to Funds 0779 and 0780

**State Appropriations Limit**  
**Excluded** – Revenues in this fund are not proceeds of taxes, however, when transferred, may become proceeds of taxes. These revenues are used to regulate the activities engaged in by the payers.

**Comments/Historical Information**  
Chapter 1689, Statutes of 1951 created the Board of Vocational Nurse Examiners and the Vocational Nurse Examiners Fund.

Chapter 1851, Statutes of 1959 created a licensing and regulatory program for Psychiatric Technicians to be administered by the Vocational Nurse Examiners and provided that the Vocational Nurse Examiners Fund would be used for the deposit of revenues received and payment of expenses incurred.

Chapter 1323, Statutes of 1968 changed the name of the fund and the administering agency to their present titles.