

Department of Finance		Fund: 3064
STATE OF CALIFORNIA MANUAL OF STATE FUNDS		PAGE 1 Renumbered From:
<u>Legal Title</u> Mental Health Practitioner Education Fund		
<u>Legal Citation/Authority</u> Chapter 437, Statutes of 2003 (AB 938) Health and Safety Code section 128458		
<u>Fund Classification</u> <u>GAAP Basis</u> Governmental/Special Revenue Fund	<u>Fund Classification</u> <u>Legal Basis</u> Governmental/Other Governmental Cost Fund	
<u>Purpose</u> Chapter 437, Statutes of 2003, created the Licensed Mental Health Service Provider Education Program (program) to be funded by a \$10 surcharge on specified mental health professionals' licensing fees at the time of renewal. Commencing January 1, 2005, any licensed mental health service provider who provides direct patient care in a publicly funded facility or a mental health professional shortage area may apply for grants under the program to reimburse his or her educational loans related to a career as a licensed mental health service provider. The Mental Health Practitioner Education Fund was created as a depository for the additional \$10 assessment fee imposed on specified mental health professionals for the purpose of supporting the program.		
<u>Administering Agency/Organization Code</u> Office of Statewide Health Planning and Development/Org 4140		
<u>Major Revenue Source</u> \$10 surcharge on mental health professionals' licensing fees.		
<u>Disposition of Fund (upon abolishment)</u> Pursuant to Government Code 16346, in the absence of language that identifies a successor fund, any balance remaining in this fund upon abolishment shall be transferred to the General Fund.		
<u>Appropriation Authority</u> The money in this fund is available upon appropriation by the Legislature.		
<u>State Appropriations Limit</u> Excluded – Revenues in this fund are not proceeds of taxes, however, when transferred, may become proceeds of taxes. These revenues have a logical, direct relationship with the use or purposes for which they are used.		
<u>Comments/Historical Information</u>		