

POLICY: 5.2.8

Requirements for Establishing GED® or HiSET® Testing Centers

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POLICY

The Technical College System of Georgia is the agency approved by the GED® Testing Service and the Educational Testing Service to establish both GED® Testing Centers and HiSET® Testing Centers in Georgia. In order to become a testing center, an entity must meet the following eligibility requirements, in addition to demonstrating a documented need for a testing center in its county or service delivery area.

The entity must be a:

- a. State Agency;
- b. Local Education Authority;
- c. Public Postsecondary Institution; or
- d. A Public Library System.

The Office of Adult Education will develop the process for establishing a testing center.

RELATED AUTHORITY

O.C.G.A. § 20-4-11 – Powers of Board

O.C.G.A. § 20-4-14 – TCSG Established; Powers and Duties

O.C.G.A § 20-4-18 – Management and Control of Adult Literacy and Postsecondary Technical Education Programs and Schools

TCSG State Board Policy 5.2.4 – High School Equivalency (HSE) Testing and Diplomas