

## Think Psychologists Fee Schedule 2021

Fee (inc. item number)	Full amount to be paid on the day	Rebate from Medicare	Out of pocket expense
<b>1 hour Consultation Private - IO4</b> 46 - 60 minutes	\$214.41	NIL (If eligible, Private Health rebate may apply)	\$214.41
<b>NDIS Funded Clients Only</b> Plan or Self Managed	\$214.41 (NDIS Recommended Rate for Psychology)	NIL	NIL
<b>1 hour Consultation</b> with a <u>GP Mental Health Care Plan</u> - 80110	\$214.41	\$87.45	\$126.96
<b>1 hour Consultation</b> with <u>Clinical Psychologist</u> - 80010	\$214.41	\$124.50	\$89.91
<b>1 hour Consultation</b> with <u>Provisional Psychologist</u>	\$156.16	NIL	NIL
<b>NDIS Funded Clients Only</b> with <u>Provisional Psychologist</u>	\$156.16 (NDIS Recommended Rate for Psychology)	NIL	NIL

Payment is required on the day of Service and Invoices must be Paid in Full.

**Please note:**

- The Fee Schedule will be updated in line with the currency of the NDIS Price Guide and reflects the recommendations of the Australian Psychological Association.
- The Australian Psychological Association recommended rate for Psychology in 2021 – 2022 is \$267 for a 50-minute psychology session. We have reduced this rate to be in line with the NDIS price guide.
- Your child is not required at the initial consultation as this appointment allows the psychologist to gather a developmental history.
- If you have provided the clinic with a current GP Mental Health Treatment Plan (MHTP) then you will be entitled to claim a rebate from Medicare.

The full amount **must** be received first by our clinic and then the claim will be processed – note a MHTP has limitations, and these should be discussed with your GP. The Mental Health Treatment Plan does not apply to the initial appointment.



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# Assessments

Rebates are **Not** available from Medicare for any assessment. Please contact your own private health fund to determine if a rebate is applicable. (Item numbers are not available for assessments).

## Cognitive Assessment:

The 'Intellectual Ability' assessment is a cognitive assessment. The cost is **\$1,545**.

We require a 50% (\$772) deposit to confirm this assessment.

### Includes:

The assessment is usually completed over a **Three appointment process**.

- The first appointment being between the psychologist and the parent/s to discuss openly their concerns and for the psychologist to gather a developmental history for the assessment.
- The second appointment is the assessment with your child.
- The third appointment is for the parents to receive feedback and the results from the psychologists findings.
- The written report will be finalised based on assessment and forwarded to you upon completion.

The Vineland Adaptive Behavioural Scale has an additional cost of **\$90**.



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# ASD Assessment:

## The cost of this assessment is \$1,965

Please note we require a 50% (\$982) deposit to confirm this assessment.

- A **valid referral is required from a paediatrician** for us to undertake this assessment.

We will forward an invoice to you should you decide to accept this appointment. The balance is required at the final appointment. A diagnostic report from the assessment will be finalised and sent to you within 4 weeks of the feedback appointment.

## Includes:

- The first appointment being between the psychologist and the parent/s to discuss openly their concerns and for the psychologist to gather a developmental history for the assessment.
- The second appointment is the assessment with your child.
- The third appointment incorporates the administration of the formal cognitive assessment. If you have had a cognitive assessment we will need you to bring that assessment to your first appointment so that we can review and incorporate the information within the entire assessment process. A pre-existing cognitive assessment must have been conducted within the last 2 years.
- The fourth appointment is for the parents to receive feedback and the results from the psychologist's findings.
- The written report will be finalised based on assessment and forwarded to you upon completion.



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# Dyslexia Assessment:

**The cost of this assessment is \$1,965.**

Please note we require a 50% (\$982) deposit to confirm this assessment.

This is a comprehensive assessment that takes place over four sessions.

## **Includes**

- The first appointment being between the psychologist and the parent/s to discuss openly their concerns and for the psychologist to gather a developmental history for the assessment.
- The second and third appointments involve the assessment phase with the child.
- The fourth appointment is for the parent/s to receive feedback and the results from the psychologist's findings.
- The written report will be finalised based on assessment and forwarded to you upon completion.



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# Cogmed Program:

**The cost of this program is \$1,300.**

Please note we require a 50% (\$650) deposit to confirm commencement of this program.

## **Includes:**

- 5 Week Program
- Initial consultation for Cogmed which includes a brief working memory consultation discussion (no written report)
- Q & A regarding Cogmed and determining your child's suitability to the program is an additional \$210.
- If you would like a written report there is a fee of \$275.



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**Please see the following Conditions:**

- **We are NOT a bulk billing clinic** – There is an **out of pocket** expense per consultation.
- Payment is required on the day - immediately after session and is required before rebates can be applied.
- A Medicare Rebate can be claimed **if** you have a Mental Health Treatment Plan. (MHTP)
- We are Not Registered NDIS provider, although we welcome Plan-Managed or Self-Managed clients.
- Consultations are 60mins and charged as such – even if you are late.
- Cancellation/ Reschedule fee will apply without **48 hours notice**.
- Invoices are considered **Overdue** if they have not been paid within **7 days**. Overdue Invoices will incur a **late payment processing fee of \$10** per reminder.
- Failure to pay fees will necessitate the involvement of a debt collection agency. Costs associated with this action become the responsibility of the family.



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