

Starting the diagnostic assessment journey with Playology Clinic

★ BEFORE YOU BEGIN: DO YOU KNOW WHAT YOU NEED? ★

- If you already have a good sense of the areas you'd like to explore – such as autism, ADHD, or learning differences – you're welcome to move straight into the formal assessment process below.
- If you're unsure, your first session can be a separate consultation to discuss your child's needs and options. We'll provide recommendations for next steps and may suggest screeners to help identify any areas of concern. Please note these initial consultations are not part of the standard package fees, and will incur a standard session fee.

▶ Start of Formal Assessment

Our assessments are billed as a flat fee per component type (e.g., parent session, child sessions, feedback). Questionnaires are included as part of the fee for the parent/carer session. Payment is made after each session.

STEP 1: PARENT/CARER SESSION

- A session just with parents/carers (no child) to gather important background information. Available in-clinic or via telehealth (phone or video).
- Tip: If you'll have your child with you, we recommend telehealth for privacy.



STEP 2: QUESTIONNAIRES

- We will email questionnaires to parents/carers and your child's school.
- These are essential – we cannot complete the assessment process without them.



STEP 3: ASSESSMENT SESSION/S WITH YOUR CHILD

- Your child will attend usually 1–3 sessions depending on the assessment type.
- We work at your child's pace – sessions can be shortened or split across days if needed.



STEP 4: REPORT WRITING AND SCHEDULING FEEDBACK

- Once all questionnaires and sessions are complete, we'll prepare your child's report.
- We'll then schedule a feedback session to go through the results and recommendations with you.
- Important: Delays in returning questionnaires will delay the final report and feedback.



STEP 5: FEEDBACK SESSION

- We meet to discuss the assessment findings, answer your questions, and plan next steps together. You'll receive an electronic copy of the report immediately after this session.

