



Welcome!



Thank you for your interest in Kaycee Reese, PhD Neuropsychological Services and Consulting! Here is some general information about services, the process, cost, insurance, etc. **After reading through the following information**, please see the links and information at the **bottom of this page for next steps & booking evaluations and free 10-minute phone consultations.**

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## ***Overview***

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- The comprehensive neuropsychological evaluation includes:
  - Neuropsychological testing (or developmental testing for younger children)
  - Psychological evaluation
    - Including evaluation of mood, emotional functioning, social functioning, and adaptive functioning as warranted/needed
  - Academic evaluation
- The in-person portion of the evaluation takes place on one day with your child in our office (our Florida location is in Tampa, FL and our Massachusetts location is in Watertown, MA).
- Other portions (e.g., intake, feedback sessions) occur via telehealth (virtual video conferencing and/or phone).

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## ***Fees & Payment Information:***

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- **I do not accept insurance** in the practice, but can provide you with the documentation after completion of the evaluation that you can submit to your insurance company for a possible reimbursement for a portion of the evaluation.
- In Florida, I am a direct pay provider, **accepting the Step Up for Students FES-UA Scholarship.**
- Costs and Fees\*\*\*:
  - Comprehensive neuropsychological evaluation:
    - Ages 6 years and up is \$4,000

- Ages 3 to 5 years is \$3,000
  - Ages 2 years and under is \$2,600
- In some cases, targeted or brief/focused evaluation may be recommended after an intake/consultation, and fees will be discussed beforehand.
- Intelligence (IQ) Testing Only or PsychoEd Evals: Stand-alone, standardized assessments of IQ only or a psychoeducational evaluation (IQ and academic achievement) for ages 5 years and up, ranging from \$800-1,200)
- Targeted/Focused Evaluation may be recommended by Dr. Reese assessing one or two specific domains/areas of concern and may include a targeted evaluation of attention or impulsivity (e.g., ADHD symptoms), academic progress monitoring (educational achievement), or emotional/psychological functioning for the purpose of diagnostic clarification or confirmation and/or to monitor response to treatment/interventions. An initial intake/clinical interview, review of pertinent records and past evaluations and a brief face-to-face in-person testing of specific skills are included with a written report outlining findings and recommendations with a feedback session with parents/caregivers and costs range from \$800 - \$3,000 depending on Dr. Reese's recommendations.
- Consultation services can be requested or recommended, and are billed at an hourly rate of \$350, billed by 15-minute increments. Examples include:
  - special education meeting attendance/participation
  - follow-up consultation or additional feedback sessions with parents and/or providers
  - additional written letters of support or clarification
  - additional review of records
  - phone calls initiated by the parent/caregiver
  - emails initiated by the parent/caregiver
  - additional child/adolescent feedback appointments
  - Initial intake/clinical interview and review of records without further in-person/direct testing (e.g., review of recent school evaluation or outside testing reports)

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## ***The Process***

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**The comprehensive neuropsychological or developmental evaluation process involves the following parts:**

- An intake session via virtual visit with parents (without child present) to review your concerns and ask specific questions about your child as well as review an intake document that you will fill out prior to that visit
- Completion of questionnaires and forms I will send for parents and teachers to complete online
- In-person testing session with your child (typically about the length of a school day, but this varies)
- A feedback session (virtual) with parents (typically 4 weeks after the in-person testing session) to discuss the results and recommendations from the evaluation. After this, a written report will be provided to you that includes all of the findings and recommendations (for example, recommendations for school, home-based recommendations for parents, any other resources and strategies or therapeutic recommendations that are appropriate).

**\*\*\*We understand that the costs for neuropsychological evaluation services are a substantial investment. If you are interested in payment plan options, please let us know.**

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## ***Out-of-Network Insurance:***

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If you would like to first contact your insurance company about possible coverage or reimbursement for a portion of the neuropsychological evaluation with an "out-of-network" provider:

- Ask your insurance provider if your child is covered for the following testing/billing service codes:
  - 90791
  - 96116
  - 96132
  - 96133
  - 96136
  - 96137

- Specify the reason for testing (this can include suspected or rule-out diagnoses or problems and known or previously given diagnoses)
  - Many insurance companies will only cover testing if it is deemed "medically necessary", so it helps to frame testing reasons in the context of any medical issues, if any (e.g., premature birth, head injury, epilepsy, etc.)
  - Most insurance companies will not cover testing for learning/academic/school problems. Thus, it is helpful to frame the concerns instead by describing them in a more medical context.
    - For example, instead of telling the insurance company your child is having "school problems" or "reading difficulties," you could say "Neuropsychological testing is being recommended to rule out an organic/medical cause for problems with variable attention, trouble with memory, and difficulty with impulse control."
- The following webpage and video may be helpful in terms of how to talk to your insurance company about potential coverage for some of the evaluation:
  - <https://www.mghclaycenter.org/parenting-concerns/playing-the-insurance-game-when-is-testing-covered/>
    - Note- the codes for psychological testing and neuropsychological testing discussed on that page have since changed- be sure to ask about the codes listed above.

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### **NEXT STEPS & BOOKING:**

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- **If you are ready to move forward and book an evaluation** (*the in-person testing portion*), **you can book a date OR view the available openings at:**
- [Book Testing in Massachusetts](#)
- [Book Testing in Florida](#)
- **For evaluations, the \$500 deposit can be paid when booking online with a major credit card** (American Express, MasterCard, Visa, and Discover). If you are using FES-UA Scholarship funds, this can be paid directly through their online system. Once you select a date, you will be sent a Services Contract and a deposit is required to hold the date (this will be applied to the full evaluation cost, remainder due in full on the day of testing; if canceled or no-showed by the client, this portion is not refundable). The appointment will only be confirmed once the Services Contract is completed by electronic signature and the non-refundable deposit is received.

- **If you have additional questions**, you can **book a free 10-minute initial consultation phone call at: [Book A 10-Minute Phone Consultation](#)**

Please let me know if you have further questions!

Best,

Kaycee Reese, PhD