



## **Psychological Testing Informed Consent and Fee Schedule**

### **Informed Consent of Testing/ Evaluation Services**

#### **Overview Of The Process:**

- Intake appointments are to review history and background related to the referral question and to determine which tests are appropriate. Information will be gathered from a variety of sources, including client interview, record gathering, and collateral contacts. We will request that you sign a Release of Information form for collateral contacts, including but not limited to: current/ previous treatment providers, teachers/ school administrators, relevant caregivers, social workers, or any other individual/ organization as appropriate.
- Testing is completed over the course of 1-3 sessions and may include verbal interviews, written responses, independent assessments on a computer, and self-report measures. Parent(s)/ guardians will be asked to complete written inventories in addition to the minor's testing.
- A feedback session (if appropriate) will be scheduled within 30 days of the final testing session during which the evaluator will review the results and recommendations with the client or guardian(s).
- Written reports will only be released if the client balance has been paid in full.

#### **Testing Billed to Insurance:**

- Clients are responsible for determining their insurance coverage of psychological evaluations. The CPT codes that may be billed for testing include: 90791, 96130, 96131, 96136, and 96137. It is recommended that you contact your insurance company and inquire about these services codes specifically prior to your initial evaluation.
- If you have a copay, you will be responsible for the copay at every session (intake, each testing session, and the feedback session).
- If you have a high-deductible plan, you will be responsible for the entire insurance-contracted rate. It will apply toward your deductible.
- There are certain kinds of testing that insurance will not cover (e.g. psychoeducational testing, private school admissions testing, giftedness testing). The evaluations are self-pay only. Please see the Psychological Testing Fee Schedule for more information.
- Richmond Creative Counseling will resubmit any claims denied on the basis of incorrect coding however services denied due to lack of coverage will be reprocessed once before becoming the financial responsibility of the client.

#### **Testing Billed to Client/ Responsible Party:**

- Clients are responsible for the full service fee as outlined on the Psychological Testing Fee Schedule.

- Clients are required to pay at least \$500 at the time of the first session which will be applied toward the total testing fee.
- Written reports and/ or final result review sessions will not be furnished and/ or scheduled until client balance is paid in full.

#### Additional Services:

- There may be times when additional testing is warranted/ recommended based on the results of the initial evaluation. There may be additional charges associated with this additional testing. This will be discussed with client and, if agreed upon, will be billed at \$180 an hour.
- There may be times when additional record review (beyond the first hour) or collateral contacts (beyond what is standard) is required. If additional time is requested by the client for reviewing extensive documents or coordinating with multiple collateral contacts, this additional time will be billed at \$180 an hour.

### **Testing Description and Fee Schedule**

All psychological testing includes in-person interviews, test administration, scoring, interpretation, and a comprehensive written report. All testing is performed by Dr. Colleen Dolan, PsyD, LCP or Dr. Leslie Kimball, PhD, LCP. *Please note that most testing is not covered by insurance and is an out-of-pocket cost.*

**Full Psychodiagnostic Evaluation:** A comprehensive assessment of cognitive, social-emotional, personality, and environmental factors that can help explain an individual's emotional state, behaviors, and functioning. The evaluation can help clarify diagnoses and make specific treatment recommendations for management of symptoms and other identified areas of concern. It does not include assessment of autism or substance abuse.

**Age Range:** 6+

**Tests:** IQ/Cognitive (WISC-V or WAIS-IV)  
Personality testing (M-PACI, MACI, or MCMI and Rorschach as appropriate)  
Child interview and self-report forms (as applicable)  
Parent and teacher report forms (e.g., BASC-3, CDI, BRIEF-2)

**Time:** 1-hour parent or client interview  
4 hours of testing with client (over 2 separate appointments)  
Up to 1 hour of record review/collateral contacts (or more as needed)  
1-hour feedback session

**Cost:** \$1200-1500 (additional fees apply if more time is needed)

**ADHD Testing:** A comprehensive evaluation for ADHD that includes cognitive/IQ testing, clinical interview, record review, self-report forms, and observer-report forms (e.g., parent, teacher, partner). Includes treatment and educational recommendations for management of symptoms.

**Age range:** 6+

- Tests:** IQ/Cognitive (WISC-V or WAIS-IV)  
Attention/Executive Functioning (e.g., selected subtests of the NEPSY-II)  
Client interview and self-report forms (as applicable)  
Parent, teacher, observer report forms (e.g., Conners 3, BRIEF-2, BASC-3, BRIEF-A as applicable)
- Time:** 1-hour parent interview (for child) or client interview (for adult)  
3-4 hours of testing with client (over 2 separate appointments)  
Up to 1 hour of record review/collateral contacts (or more as needed)  
1-hour feedback session
- Cost:** \$1000 (additional fees apply if more time is needed)

**Trauma Assessment:** A comprehensive assessment of trauma symptoms such as dissociation, avoidance, intrusive experiences, and common belief systems that develop with the experience of trauma. Includes specific treatment recommendations for providers.

- Age range:** 8+
- Tests:** Child/client interview, self-report forms, and projectives (e.g., TSCC/TSI-2, TABS, ACES, Rorschach)  
Parent and teacher report forms, as applicable (e.g., BASC-3)
- Time:** 1-hour parent interview  
2-4 hours of testing with client (may be over 2 separate appointments)  
Up to 1 hour of record review/collateral contacts (or more as needed)  
1-hour feedback session
- Cost:** \$1200 (additional fees apply if more time is needed)

**Full Psychoeducational Evaluation:** A comprehensive assessment of cognitive, educational, and social-emotional factors that affect educational and occupational performance. It includes a full IQ test and achievement testing to assess for learning disabilities; short-term and long-term memory; and screening for ADHD, anxiety, and depression. Information is gathered on the individual's social,

medical, educational, mental health, and family history to rule out any other contributing factors. Includes interview with parent, teacher, and other providers as applicable.

**Age range:** 6+

**Tests:** IQ/Cognitive (WISC-V or WAIS-IV)  
Achievement (WIAT-IV)  
Memory (WRAML-3)  
Child interview and self-report forms (as applicable)  
Parent and teacher report forms (e.g., Conners 3, BASC-3, BRIEF-2)

**Time:** 1-hour parent interview  
4-6 hours of testing with client (over 2 separate appointments)  
Up to 1 hour of record review/collateral contacts (or more as needed)  
1-hour feedback session

**Cost:** \$1600-1800 (additional fees apply if more time is needed)

**Gifted or Learning Disability Evaluation:** A straightforward assessment of IQ and achievement level, often used for admission to specific programs for gifted students or students with learning disabilities. Results are presented in comparison to other same-age and same-grade level peers regarding cognitive ability and achievement level in mathematics, writing, reading, and oral language.

**Age range:** 6+

**Tests:** IQ/Cognitive (WISC-V or WAIS-IV)  
Achievement (WIAT-IV)

**Time:** 1-hour parent interview  
3-4 hours of testing with client (over 2 separate appointments)  
Up to 1 hour of record review/collateral contacts (or more as needed)  
1-hour feedback session

**Cost:** \$900-1000 (additional fees apply if more time is needed)

**Private School Admissions Testing/Cognitive or IQ Only:** Includes the WISC-V or WAIS-IV (depending on age) for an assessment of cognitive ability. Includes IQ score and breakdown of verbal comprehension, non-verbal/perceptual reasoning, fluid reasoning, working memory, and processing speed. Often used for admission to private schools or to identify intellectual disability.

**Age range:** 6+

**Tests:** IQ/Cognitive (WISC-V or WAIS-IV)

**Time:** 20-30 minute parent interview  
1.5-2 hours of testing with client

**Cost:** \$400-500 (additional fees apply if more time is needed)

**By signing this document I acknowledge my financial responsibility for all Psychological Testing services rendered.**