

The Grand Pacific Health Neurodiversity Assessment Service (NAS) provides low-cost Autism and Cognitive assessments for people of any age, focusing on children and young adults. We aim to provide consumers and their families or carers with an understanding of their unique support needs. We have developed our service using the current Australian Guidelines for the Assessment and Diagnosis of Autism: [National Guideline for the assessment and diagnosis of autism in Australia](#) | [Autism CRC](#).

Each assessment is tailored to the unique needs of the consumer. NAS currently consists of three assessment stream offerings, which include:

- Cognitive Assessment
- Autism Assessment
- Combined Autism & Cognitive Assessment

In some circumstances, these assessments may support applications for funding (e.g. within the school or the NDIS) and can help inform appropriate support services in the community and at home.

Grand Pacific Health is a for-purpose, primary health care organisation, whose services focus on physical health, mental health, youth health, Aboriginal health & chronic disease management.

Grand Pacific Health's vision is for equitable health care where access to affordable, quality and culturally appropriate health services does not depend on where you live, or your background.

GPH acknowledge the Traditional Custodians of the land upon which our places of work are located. We value, respect, and embrace the cultural diversity of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities.

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Information for Referrers

Referring to NAS

The National guidelines highlight the importance of medical evaluation in a comprehensive assessment of Autism, therefore our service welcomes referrals via GP, Psychiatrist, or Paediatricians.

NAS can support consumers, their family/carers and service providers with information regarding the service, recommended assessment pathway and referral options. However, an assessment can only proceed once a referral from a doctor is received.

Referrals can be provided to NAS through:



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Eligibility

Our clinicians can provide Autism and Cognitive assessments for people 6 years and over who have speaking language skills.

Fees

There are fees to access this service. GPH has kept these as low as possible. Please contact our team at via phone [1800 929 101](tel:1800929101) or email nas@gph.org.au to request a copy of our NAS Fee Schedule.

More information

For further details please refer to our NAS service brochure, fee schedule, or contact our NAS team over phone or email using the contact details on the back.

Medicare rebates

The service includes Medicare rebates to reduce the out-of-pocket costs where eligibility is met. This includes the Complex Neurodevelopmental Disorder Medicare Items. Better Access to Mental Health items (accessed within a Mental Health Treatment Plan) may be used under strict and limited circumstances, typically for post assessment counselling and support planning.

Assessment Results and Reporting

After completion of the final assessment a written report will be provided to the referring practitioner that outlines the assessment findings and any recommendations for future care.

