

Client Informed Consent

I, _____, agree to allow the psychologist, Dr. Isabelle Beaulieu _____ or Dr. Jin Lee-Kim _____ to perform the following services:

_____ Neuropsychological testing, assessment or evaluation and report writing.

_____ School Visit and consultation with school personnel.

_____ Other (describe) _____

This agreement concerns _____ (name of patient). I understand that these services may include direct face to face contact, interviewing and/or testing. They may also include the psychologists' time required for the reading of records, consultation with other professionals, scoring of tests, interpreting the results, report writing and any other activities to support these services.

Nature and purpose of Assessment: The goal of the neuropsychological assessment is to measure attention, memory, language, problem solving, or other cognitive and psychological/emotional functions. A neuropsychological assessment may point to cognitive/emotional difficulties and suggest possible methods and treatments or accommodations. In addition to an interview where we will be asking you questions about background, academic history, mental health and current medical symptoms we may be using different techniques and standardized tests, including but not limited to, asking questions about knowledge of certain topics, reading, drawing figures and shapes, listening to recorded tapes, viewing printed material and manipulating objects.

Foreseeable Risks, Discomforts and Benefits: For some individuals assessments can cause fatigue, frustration and anxiousness.

Informed Consent for Treatment

I hereby agree and consent to participate in treatment/testing services provided by the psychologist. If the patient is under the age of 18 or unable to consent to treatment, I attest that I have legal custody of this individual and I am authorized to initiate and consent to treatment and/or legally authorized to initiate and consent to treatment on behalf of this individual.

I understand that the fee for this (these) service(s) will be as follows and that this is payable in full on the day of the evaluation. By signing this agreement I also understand that the psychologist and Oakland Neuropsychology Center is **OUT OF Network** with my insurance company. If any authorization requirements are necessary from my insurance company, I understand that the psychologist and Oakland Neuropsychology Center will not be responsible in any manner to obtain this or to complete any paperwork, including pre-authorizations for services.

Service Costs:

90791 *Diagnostic Interview (First Visit) \$300*

96136, 96137,96132, 96133 *Neuropsychological testing and evaluations services \$275/hour*

96138, 96139 *Neuropsychological testing by an examiner, \$255/hour*

Full Assessments typically range from \$2,800 to \$3,500, although it may be more or less, depending on the reason for the assessment and duration of testing.

Professional Fees: If you become involved with legal proceedings that require the psychologist’s participation, you will be expected to pay for any professional time the psychologist spends on your legal matter, even if the request comes from another party. The psychologist charges \$270/per hour for professional services she is asked or required to perform in relation to your legal matter. A copy fee of \$50 will be charged for record requests.

Billing and Payment: Fees are collected at the time of service. If your account has not been paid for more than 60 days and arrangements for payment has not been agreed upon, I have the option of using legal means to secure payment. This may involve hiring a collection agency or going to small claims court. (if such legal action is necessary, its costs will be included in the claim). In the case of a returned check an additional fee of \$30 will be charged.

Limits of Confidentiality: Information obtained during assessments is confidential and can ordinarily be released only with written permission. There are some special circumstances that can limit confidentiality including: a) a statement of intent to harm self or others, b) statements indicating harm or abuse of children or vulnerable adults; and c) issuance of a subpoena from a court of law. Other foreseeable limits to confidentiality for this assessment include:

I have read and agree with the nature and purpose of this assessment and to each of the points listed above. I have had an opportunity to clarify any questions and discuss any points of concern before signing.

_____ Date _____

Patient Signature (if 14 years or older)

Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian or Authorized surrogate (If applicable)

Witness _____ Date _____