

## OT Driving Assessment – Private Clients – Fee Schedule

Private driving assessment service package fee: **\$1470.00 (concession available)**

Service includes:	Benefits to you:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Road rules refresher pack</li> <li>✓ access to information and videos to prepare for assessment</li> <li>✓ OT off-road and on-road assessment</li> <li>✓ Driving instructor assessment fee</li> <li>✓ Full report to GP/specialist within one to two weeks of the assessment</li> <li>✓ Travel within 30 minutes each way of booked therapist; Note: additional travel calculated at \$150/hour</li> <li>✓ <b>Complementary access to online course: “Preparing Senior Driver’s for an OT driving assessment”.</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Excellent clinical assessment and report</li> <li>✓ Understanding and time to work through the whole process</li> <li>✓ Support through the medical licencing process with QLD Transport</li> <li>✓ Reassurance if you are safe to drive</li> <li>✓ Understand why you are doing the assessment</li> <li>✓ Tips to prepare for the assessment</li> <li>✓ Future planning for driving</li> </ul>

### Lessons and Re-assessment:

Some clients may require a series of driving lessons and/or OT driving re-assessment. These will only be recommended where needed. These come at an additional cost, outlined as follows:

Lessons: will depend on your driving instructor and location – **varies between \$120 - \$150/lesson**

Re-assessment: **Flat fee \$810 (concession available)** including driving instructor fee and progress report to GP. This will typically be required for clients following stroke/ brain injury, cognitive impairment, and vehicle modifications.

### Vehicle Modifications:

An additional **\$440** fee will be incurred for clients requiring vehicle modification assessment (eg trial of wheelchair hoist) and coordinating this with the vehicle modifier.

### HOW TO PAY:

Direct debit – Account name: Accessing Home and Community; BSB: 034 093 | Account number: 778414  
Credit card – stripe link or Phone Chloe (Practice Manager) on 0407 671 621 to pay over the phone

Payment **MUST** be received 7 DAYS prior to the assessment, or the assessment will be cancelled.

A \$50 non-refundable deposit is required to confirm your booking.

For ongoing services, any late payment or failure to pay will result in late fees and debt collection via Local Recoveries Group.

Fee schedule is current commencing 01/08/2024 and is subject to review/change.



### **Cancellation Policy – self funded clients**

Notice of cancellation of appointment is payable for cancellation less than two clear business days prior to appointment. A cancellation fee on 100% of the face-to-face appointment fee applies if this notice is not provided.

We understand that driving and vehicle modifications assessments are a complex service requiring significant preparation from both you and Driving Well OT. We value the time and effort you've invested in this process and want to ensure that everything goes smoothly.

### **Steps Taken for Your Appointment:**

- Coordinating schedules among you, your family, the occupational therapist, the driving instructor, and possibly a vehicle modifier to find the perfect appointment slot, including matching the right professionals in your area.
- Visiting your GP to obtain the GP referral form and QLD Transport Medical Certificate.
- Processing your QLD Transport Medical Certificate at QLD Transport.
- Sending all necessary documents to Driving Well.
- Paying your non-refundable \$50 deposit.

We appreciate your dedication and the time spent preparing for your appointment.

### **Appointment Commitment:**

As you know, each driving assessment takes approximately 3 hours. If you are unable to keep your appointment, it is extremely difficult to fill that slot with another client on short notice. Therefore, we need ample notice to reschedule driving assessments effectively.

### **Important Requirements:**

- All paperwork must be received at least **seven days prior to your appointment**. Failure to do so will result in the postponement of your appointment.
- We require at least **seven days' notice for any cancellations**.
- Cancellations prior to seven days' notice will be refunded (less the \$50 deposit).
- Please understand that we need to assure commitment to your appointment. Cancellations made between **three and five business days** without a valid reason (such as hospitalization of yourself or an immediate family member) may result in Driving Well being unable to continue working with you.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation. Help us help you by adhering to these guidelines, allowing us to provide you with the best service possible

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