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### National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS) Service Agreement

A NDIS Service Agreement can be made between a participant and a provider, or a participant's representative and a provider. A participant's representative is someone close to the participant, such as a family member, or friend, or someone who manages the funding for supports under a participant's NDIS plan.

This Service Agreement is for, and is n	nade between <b>First Name</b> :			
	Last Name:			
who is a participant in the NDIS - NDI	S Number:			
NDIS Plan Start Date:/20 NDIS Plan Review Due Date://20				
	epresentative - if applicable) First Name: Last Name:			
and Willow Tree Psychology and Wel	lbeing.			
This Service Agreement will commen	ce on//20 for the period of months.			
	sessions to the participant during the time of this s may change as the participant's needs change.			

# **Purpose of this Service Agreement**

This Service Agreement is made for the purpose of providing supports under the participant's NDIS plan. The parties agree that this Service Agreement is made in the context of the NDIS, which is a scheme that aims to:

- Support the independence and social and economic participation of people with disability, and
- Enable people with a disability to exercise choice and control in the pursuit of their goals and the planning and delivery of their supports.

### **Schedule of Supports**

The provider agrees to provide the participant relevant support services outlined within the participants NDIS plan and goals. Relevant supports include:

- Individual Therapy for Early Childhood
- Individual Assessment, therapy and/or training
- Behaviour Management plan, training in behaviour management

# Responsibilities of the Provider

The provider agrees to:

- Provide supports that meet the participant's needs at the participant's preferred times
- Communicate openly and honestly in a timely manner
- Treat the participant with courtesy and respect
- Consult the participant/ representative on decisions about how supports are provided
- Give the participant a minimum of 24-hours-notice if the provider has to change a scheduled appointment to provide supports



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- Give the participant the required notice if the provider needs to end the Service Agreement (see 'Ending this Service Agreement' below for more information)
- Protect the participant's privacy and confidential information
- Provide supports in a manner consistent with all relevant laws, including the National Disability Insurance Scheme Act 2013 and rules, and the Australian Consumer Law;
- Keep accurate records on the supports provided to the participant

### Responsibilities of the participant/participant's representative

The participant/participant's representative agrees to:

- Inform the provider about how they wish the supports to be delivered to meet the participant's needs
- Treat the provider with courtesy and respect
- Talk to the provider if the participant has any concerns about the supports being provided
- Give the provider a minimum of 48-hours-notice if the participant cannot make a scheduled appointment; and if the notice is not provided by then, the provider's cancellation policy will apply
- Give the provider the required notice if the participant needs to end the Service Agreement (see 'Ending this Service Agreement' below for more information.
- Let the provider know immediately if the participant's NDIS plan is suspended or replaced by a new NDIS plan or the participant stops being a participant in the NDIS.

### Fee Schedule

NDIS Item and Description	Fee Per Hour	Report Writing Fee
15_054_0128_1_3 (Capacity Building Supports)  Improve Daily Living Assessment, recommendation, therapy and/or training (incl.  AT). To be delivered by a psychologist.	\$234.83 (50 minutes face to face plus 10 minutes for writing case notes)	\$234.83 (Charged at one hour rate)
NDIS Item and Description	Fee Per Hour	Report Writing Fee
15_001_0118_1_3 (Capacity Building Supports)  Improve Daily Living Capacity Building Supports for Early Childhood Interventions (under 6)  To be delivered by a psychologist.	\$234.83 (50 minutes face to face plus 10 minutes for writing case notes)	\$234.83 (Charged at one hour rate)

#### **Travel Fee**

For all appointments outside of the clinic a travel fee will be charged at the hourly fee of \$234.83 – charged per minute (\$3.92 per minute), however, claimable travel is capped at 30 minutes each way, with a maximum 60-minute travel time both ways.

### **Cancellation and DNA Fees**

Cancellations or rescheduling an appointment at short notice, where the participant / participants representative has given less than 48-hours' notice will be charged at 100% of the total appointment cost including travel if applicable. Non-attendance / DNA will be charged as a cancellation.



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#### **Payments**

There are 3 different ways NDIS plan funds can be managed:

**Self-managed:** The Participant, or the participants plan nominee or child representative claims funding from the participants NDIS plan to pay providers themselves/on the participants behalf. Providers will invoice the participant directly for supports the participant has agreed they will provide.

**Plan-managed:** The participants plan management provider will make claims and pay providers on the participants behalf for supports the participant has agreed they will provide.

**NDIA-managed:** Providers will claim payment directly from the participants NDIS plan based on active service bookings. Where supports are NDIA-managed, the participants can only use an NDIS registered provider.

Willow Tree Psychology and Wellbeing are not an NDIS registered provider – we will not be able to see NDIA-managed/portal managed participants.

The provider will seek payment for their provision of supports after the satisfactory delivery of an NDIS session.

Please tick select a management option below;
Self-Managed 🔲
The Participant has chosen to self-manage the funding for NDIS supports provided under this
Service Agreement. After providing those supports, the provider will send the participant (or epresentative) an invoice for those supports for the participant to pay. The participant will posthe invoice by Direct Bank Deposit within 5 business days.
Plan-Managed 🔲
The participant has nominated the Plan Management Provider to manage the funding for
NDIS supports provided under this Service Agreement. After providing those supports, the

### Changes to this Service Agreement

If changes to the supports or their delivery are required, the parties agree to discuss and review this Service Agreement. The parties agree that any changes to this Service Agreement will be in writing, signed, and dated by the parties.

provider will claim payment for those supports from the nominated Plan Manager via invoice.

The plan manager will pay the invoice by Direct Bank Deposit within 5 business days.

#### **Ending this Service Agreement**

If either party wish to end this Service Agreement, they must give 1 months' notice. If either party seriously breaches this Service Agreement the requirement of notice will be waived.

### Feedback, complains and disputes

If the participant wishes to give the provider feedback, the participant can talk directly to the treating psychologist of Willow Tree Psychology and Wellbeing via phone 08 8233 0828 or <a href="mailto:info@willowtreepsychology.com.au">info@willowtreepsychology.com.au</a>.

If the participant is not happy with the provision of supports and wishes to make a complaint, the participant can talk to Rocco Luppino (Principal Clinical Psychologist - Willow Tree



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Psychology and Wellbeing; Director – Willow Tree Group PTY LTD) by phone 08 8233 0828 or via info@willowtreepsychology.com.au

If the participant is not satisfied or does not want to talk to anyone from Willow Tree Psychology and Wellbeing to resolve the problem, the participant can contact the National Disability Insurance Agency (NDIA) by calling 1800 800 110, visiting one of their offices in person, or visiting nais.gov.au for further information.

# **Agreement Signatures**

The parties agree to the terms and conditions of this Se	ervice Agreement.
Signature of participant/participants representative	
Name of participant/participants representative	_
Signature of provider	
Name of provider	_
Self-Managed Details (If Applicable)	
Name of person managing plan	Mobile Number
Email address (for sending invoices)	
Plan-Managed Details (If Applicable)	
Plan Manager Name	Contact Person Name
Plan Manager Email (for sending invoices)	Plan Manager Fax (if applicable