

PSYCHOLOGICAL TESTING

Psychological testing may be sought or recommended for a number of reasons. Due to the nature of testing, a thorough evaluation is necessary in order to determine which if any, instruments would be recommended to answer the presenting questions. The cost of this evaluation is \$250.00, which is due in full prior to the evaluation. At the end of the evaluation, recommendations for your specific needs will be discussed and a written cost estimate of the proposed psychological battery will be provided.

In some circumstances, once testing has begun, I may find that additional instruments or supplemental subtests may add value to the overall battery. I will make every effort to inform you as early as possible in the process should this occur. At that time, you will have the option of including additional tests and the costs and benefits will be reviewed with you. You will have the opportunity to decide at that time to proceed with the original proposal or adopt a new proposal; however, once the final report has been generated, no additional instruments may be added.

The examiner and all instruments used are current and meet the Broward, Dade, and Palm Beach County School Boards criteria for assessments. As such, the public school system is required to consider the information when determining educational plans for students, provided they have received a copy of the evaluation. With the exception of court ordered tests (in which case the court becomes the owner of the report and your confidentiality is limited) individuals or their parents are the owners of the psychological report. Often it may be beneficial to share this information with other professionals or institutions and you may find that I make recommendations for you to do so in my report. However, it is up to you how you choose to disseminate this information. With your written request, I will provide a copy of the testing results to others of your choice.

Due to the costs associated with testing, payments may be distributed over time. A payment plan must be mutually agreed upon in advance. **However, due to the time intensive nature of report writing, a final report will not be generated or released until the balance is paid in full.**

I, _____ (print name), consent to psychological testing for
_____ (name of person being tested).

Signature: _____ Date: _____