## **Appendix One: Questionnaire**

## Autism Assessment Pathway Questionnaire

the following questionnaire to help us of	ald confirm that you have read the attached information leaflet and that you are happy to complete calculate the cost of a typical assessment pathway for a child with possible autistic spectrum to estimate the amount of professional time involved in completing each assessment.
Thankyou for your help.	
Name	
Unit	
2. What age children do you see for possi	ble ASD
opre school only	
pre and primary school (0-11)	
0-16	
0-19	
Does pathway differ according to age? If so please des	scribe separate pathways in Q 3, 4 and 5

3. Do you run an inititial/triage/screening/stage one clinic to determine whether a child warrants a formal diagnostic assessment for ASD? If so please quantify profssional time involved.

	Pre School yes/no	time involved	Frequency of involvement in clinic	school age yes/no	time involved	Frequency of involvement in clinic
paediatrician (consultant)	-	•	÷	•	•	•
paediatrican (middle grade)			*	•	•	
child psychiatrist (consultant)	•	•	•	-	•	•
child psychiatrist (middle grade)	*	•	•	•	•	•
occupational therapist	-	•	•	•	•	
nurse/health visitor	-	•	*	•	•	•
nursery nurse	•	•	•		•	
speech therapist	•	•	•	(	•	•
psychologist	•	•	•	•	:	•
do not run clinic	<b>(</b>	•	<b>\$</b>	•	-	•

4. Diagnostic Pathway. Do you gather information from home and or educational settings? Please quantify time involved. Please allow for typical travel involved.

	Pre school or standard yes/no	time involved	frequency	school age yes/no	time invovled	frequency
Questionnaires to parents					•	:
Questionnaires to settings				•		•
home assessment by paediatrician	•	:	*	•	:	•
Home assessment by speech therapist	•	*	•		*	<b>\$</b>
Home assessment by nurse			•	•		
Home assessment by nursery nurse		*	(	•	*	•
Home assessment by psychologist		•	•			
Setting assessment by speech therapist	•	*	•	•	•	•
Setting assessment by paediatrician	1		<b>‡</b>	•		
setting assessment by nurse or health visitor		•				•
setting assessment by psychologist				•		:
setting assessment by nursery					•	

sta	indard or presch	ool time	involved	Frequency o		school age	ves/no	time inve	olved	Frequency	
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paediatrician (consultant)			*		•		•				•
paediatrican (middle grade)			•		•		•		•		•
child psychiatrist (consultant)			•		•		•		•		•
child psychiatrist (middle grade)			•		•		•		•		
nurse/health visitor			*		•		•		•		•
nursery nurse			•		•		•		•		•
speech therapist			•		•		•		•		•
osychologist	•		•		•		•		•		
support worker			•		•		•		•		*
occupational therapy			•		•		•		•		•
do not run clinic	•				•		•		•		•
. Do you run a feedback/suppo		wing diagn	osis. plea		<b>fessio</b> i me invol		ivolved	Freque	ncy of involv	vement in clinic	
no clinic		yes/no			THE HIVOR	ved		rreque	y or involv	†	
paediatrician		•				•					
child psychiatrist	(	•						•			
speech therapist	1										
psychologist		*									
occupational therapist		•					•				
nurse/health visitor				•				•			
nursery nurse		•									
support worker	(	•									
ssessments outside clinic). Als escribe below, including which	more and the second descent			Contract to the contract of th							
. Please quantify admin time-e	eg report wr	iting, book	ng clinic,	dictation				time	e involved		
A+C					-				-		
Paediatrician					•				•		
Psychiatrist					•				•		
Psychologist					•				•		
Nursing staff					-						
					*				•		
Nursing staff Speech therapy OT											
Speech therapy OT					•				•		
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## 10. Are you happy with the pathway you offer? To what degree is your pathway determined by available resources? If you could run your ideal pathway what would you add? We have not included ongoing support/parent education in "diagnostic pathway". Do you continue long term involvement with families beyond diagnosis and/or offer any psychoeducation? Do you have input from other agencies eg ed psych, social worker, portage, Early Bird?

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