



Developmental Services
Psychological Assessment
 Monitoring Protocol

Psychological assessment is the evaluation and interpretation of intelligence, aptitudes, interests, academic achievement, adjustment and motivations, or any other attributes in an individual that relate to learning, educational or adjustment needs.

Cite	Standard	Probes
Explanation of Monitoring Tool Symbols/Codes  Alert: Denotes a critical standard or cite relating to health, safety and rights. A deficiency requires a more intense corrective action and follow-up cycle. “W” Weighted Element: A “W” followed by 2.0 or 4.0 in the Cite column denotes elements that <i>have a greater impact on the monitoring score.</i> “R” Recoupment: An “R” in the Cite column denotes an element that is subject to recoupment of funds by the State if the element is “Not Met.”		
B. Provider Qualifications and Requirements		
1 W4.0	 Providers of psychological assessment services are licensed psychologists by the Department of Health	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Area Office enrollment files for evidence of current licensure. • If this is an onsite review, ask to see the provider’s license.
C. Service Limits and Times		
2 W2.0	The provider performs no more than one psychological assessment per year.	Review claims data, and records to determine that service limits are being observed.
3	The provider only includes assessment services provided by a licensed psychologist.	Review claims data, and records to determine that service limits are being observed.
4	Provider is authorized to render psychological assessment services.	Review provider records for a service authorization.
5	Provider renders services and supports at a frequency and intensity as defined in the service authorization.	Review provider records for a service authorization and compare these to claims data and the provider’s billing documents.
D. Documentation		
6 R	Provider has at a minimum copies of the evaluation report.	Review claims data and other records to determine that documentation is available and maintained as required. The evaluation report is submitted to the waiver support coordinator prior to or at the time of the claim submission. This Cite is subject to recoupment as reimbursement documentation if not available.