

## Hills District Speech Therapy 2025 Fee Schedule

1st December 2024

Dear Valued Client,

On the 6<sup>th of</sup> January 2025 we will be updating fee schedule.

Prices will increase slightly in most areas of our service.

## Why is this Happening?

To continue our high-quality service and to facilitate the rising costs across all areas of our service. Where possible we have kept price increases minimal and some have remained the same.

We continue to offer a discount for private fee-paying clients as we acknowledge that the administrative, staff training and auditing costs to us are also reduced.

## 2025 HDST Service Price List

Speech Therapy Sessions All session fees include the additional time required for pre and post planning.  30-minute therapy session 45-minute therapy session 60-minute therapy session	NDIA Cost based on 193.99 per hour \$135.78 \$184.28 \$232.78	Discounted Cost All other clients \$118 \$162 \$206
Offsite therapy sessions when 2 or more clients are seen in same offsite location. Travel fee is reduced. (face to face session time includes time for clinician to complete communication to parent/ carer and communicate with teacher)	NDIA Cost based on 193.99 per hour	Discounted Cost All other clients
30-minute therapy session	\$155.17	\$128
45-minute therapy session	\$203.67	\$172
60-minute therapy session	\$252.17	\$216
Standard Group Sessions Group sizes consist of 3-8 participants and are run by one allied health	NDIA Cost based on 193.99 per hour	Discounted Cost All other clients



professional (OT or SP) and supported by an allied health assistant.		
60-minute group therapy session	\$91.69-\$149.3	\$91.69-\$149.3
90-minute group therapy session	\$111.74-\$196.10	\$111.74-\$196.10
120-minute group therapy session	\$131.8-\$242.9	\$131.8-\$242.9
Further information regarding group services can be found on our website this includes our multi-disciplinary groups		
Other Costs		
Non face to face services – based on hourly rate of \$193.99/hour	Hourly rate \$193.99	Hourly rate \$193.99
Additional Travel fee – charged at 193.99/ hour – measured at 6-minute increments	Hourly rate \$193.99	Hourly rate \$193.99
Report fees – based on hourly rate of \$193.99/hour	Hourly rate \$193.99	Hourly rate \$193.99

Specialist Services OT clinic OMD clinic Feeding clinic All therapy session fees include time required for pre and post planning	NDIA Cost based on 193.99 per hour	Discounted Cost All other clients	
30-minute therapy session	\$155.19	\$137	
45-minute therapy session	\$203.68	\$180	
60-minute therapy session	\$252.18	\$222	
Report fees – based on hourly rate of \$193.99/hour	Hourly rate \$193.99	Hourly rate \$193.99	
Non face to face services – based on hourly rate of \$193.99/hour	Hourly rate \$193.99	Hourly rate \$193.99	

Cancellation Fees	Cost- all clients
Cancellation fee (correct notice given- 24 hours)	No charge
Cancellation fee (less than 24 hours notice given and non-face to face service is not applicable)	\$55
Cancellation fee (less than 1 hour or no notice given)	90% of cost of session



AHA/Student Speech and OT Therapy Sessions (run by AHA or student and supervised by a senior allied health professional) All session fees include time required for pre and post planning and supervision	NDIA Cost based on 193.99 per hour	Discounted Cost All other clients
30-minute therapy session	\$99.53	\$85
45-minute therapy session	\$135.27	\$122
60-minute therapy session	\$156.97	\$140

## More Information

At HDST, we endeavour to keep our clients informed of our approaches and clinical decisions. This includes providing you with insight into what constitutes a standard session at HDST (please visit: <a href="https://hdspeechtherapy.com.au/fees/">https://hdspeechtherapy.com.au/fees/</a>). Our iceberg visual is a summarised view of all the elements that form a successful, quality delivery of therapeutic services at HDST.

Our management and administration team would be most happy to give you any further information or answer any questions regarding the price increase. You can also provide feedback to us at any time by filling out our online feedback form <a href="https://www.hdspeechtherapy.com.au/feedback">www.hdspeechtherapy.com.au/feedback</a>

We thank you again for choosing Hills District Speech Therapy to provide you with high quality intervention and to work with you to reach your goals. We are committed to continuing to provide this high level of care.

Many thanks, The Team at Hills District Speech Therapy