

# Your child has attended their Qb Test appointment

## What happens after the Qb Test is completed?

Your child's Qb Test results will be entered on to your child's record. The Qb clinician will share these result with the clinician who referred your child – they will review it along with all other completed documentation from home and school to support an ADHD assessment.

It is important to remind yourself at this stage that the Qb Test is not a stand-alone diagnostic assessment and the results will be measured by the clinician against all other information gathered to aid clinical judgement.

### What if my child could not complete the Qb Test?

Do not worry if your child does not complete the Qb Test. Reasons for non-completion can vary and include stress, speed of the test, age, and communication difficulties. The Qb Test does not suit all young people and we can offer a prompt alternative assessment that will not prolong your child's time on the ADHD assessment pathway. It is important that your child does not feel like they have failed for not completing the task as the Qb Test is not a suitable screening tool for all young people.

## When will my child see a clinician from the Neurodevelopmental Team?

If your child is not already under a clinician from Specialist CAMHS, they will be allocated a clinician from the Neurodevelopmental Team (NDT) to carry out the next steps in the ADHD assessment: a clinical observation and history. The waiting list for allocation can vary based on current demand.

If your child already has a Care Co-ordinator within the NDT, they will be sent the results of your child's Qb Test and they will be in touch with you to discuss the results.

If your child has a Care Co-ordinator in a different team within Specialist CAMHS then they will work with the NDT to complete your child's ADHD assessment jointly; this will occur alongside your child's usual CAMHS care. Please inform your Qb clinician of your Care Co-ordinator's name so they can share the Qb test results with them.

#### **Other Important Information:**

Please keep our service up to date with any changes of address or contact numbers during your child's journey on the pathway, or you may miss your appointment and could find yourself having to restart the ADHD assessment pathway.



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