

What is it?

The AHA program, or allied health assistant program, is an **individualised** program which is **recommended by clinicians** to aid children in achieving fundamental and basic **goals**.

Clinicians typically recommend the AHA program if they believe it can help a child reach specific goals, or if a family needs extra support with goals like **handwriting, fine motor skills, play skills, speech sounds** or **literacy**.

What does it involve?

All AHA's supporting a child in the AHA Program receive:

- Sessions planned by a qualified clinician for the AHA to facilitate.
- Weekly supervision between each session by the qualified clinician.
- The clinician will review session notes prior to sending them to families

The AHA Program is delivered as a block of 5 sessions.

If goals have not been met and further goal areas have identified, a second block of 5 sessions may be recommended by the clinician. If this is confirmed, the clinician will have a session plan with the AHA for the next 5-week block.

What is included?

- x1 initial program setup between the family and the supervising clinician to identify Program goals
- x1 information handover and Program session planning between the clinician and AHA
- x5 AHA-facilitated sessions
- x5 supervision meetings between clinician and AHA to review and plan each session
- x1 program review and reevaluation between the family and clinician

The AHA Program can be individualised to the needs of each client, dependent on their goals, functional status and needs. This includes, but is not limited to: **In-clinic sessions, off-site sessions (e.g. at school or home)** and **weekly or fortnightly sessions**.

Pricing Information

- AHA sessions = \$86.79/session
- Meetings (including session planning & supervision) are charged in 15 minute increments at an hourly rate of \$193.99
- Offsite sessions (e.g. school or home) incur additional travel costs.

