



# Private Autism/ADHD Assessment Clinics - Essex

Assessments for autism and ADHD are offered under the NHS for all ages, however some people may choose to explore a private assessment for a variety of reasons. The contacts on this information sheet are *not* recommended or endorsed by SNAP but aim to give families a starting point for their own research. When considering a private assessment there are some important things to discuss or consider.

- What is the **occupation** and the **qualifications** of the person(s) carrying out the assessment?
- Does the clinic follow the **NICE guidelines** for assessment?
- What are the **full costs** involved?
- What type of **assessment tool(s)** do they use?
- What do they offer **following the assessment** and what will be included in any **reports**?
- If you are seeking an **ADHD** assessment and considering **medication** options following a diagnosis, is this something the clinic can provide and what costs are involved? *Please bear in mind the NHS may not take on a private prescription.*
- Is the clinic also commissioned by the NHS to do assessments?
- Are they able to refer onto therapy services if required e.g. Speech and Language or Occupational Therapy?

## Acorn Autism Specialists

**Website:** <https://www.acorn-autism.co.uk/>

**Email:** [info@acorn-autism.co.uk](mailto:info@acorn-autism.co.uk)

**Telephone:** 01376402284

**Address:** Acorn Autism Specialists, Suite A, Bridgefoot Studios, Kelvedon, Braintree, CO5 9BE

**Services:** Autism assessment for children, young people and adults



## Autism Anglia

**Website:** <https://www.autism-anglia.org.uk/Pages/Category/diagnostics>

**Email:** [info@autism-anglia.org.uk](mailto:info@autism-anglia.org.uk)

**Telephone:** 01206577678

**Address:** Head Office address 59 North Hill, Colchester, CO1 1QF

**Services:** Autism assessment for children, young people and adults



## Essex Autism Service

**Website:** <https://www.essexautismservice.com/>

**Email:** [info@essexautismservice.com](mailto:info@essexautismservice.com)

**Telephone:** 01843663116

**Address:** Clinic in Colchester

**Services:** Autism assessments, with additional ADHD and ARFID assessments for children, young people and adults



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## The Holly Hospital (Nuffield Health)

Website: <https://www.theholly.com/services/paediatrics-children-essex/>

Online Enquiry: <https://www.theholly.com/contact-us/get-in-touch/>

Telephone: 02085053311

Address: High Road, Buckhurst Hill, Essex IG9 5HX

Services: Autism, ADHD, Developmental Delay, Dyslexia and Dyspraxia assessments for children



## Mina Essex

Website: <https://www.minaessexautismadhdiddiagnosticcentre.com/>

Email: mina.medical@hotmail.com

Telephone: 01702460164

Address: 277 South Avenue, Southend-on-Sea, SS2 4HS



## National Autistic Society

Website: <https://www.autism.org.uk/what-we-do/diagnosticservices>

Online Enquiry: <https://www.autism.org.uk/what-we-do/diagnosticservices/enquiry>

Address: The Lorna Wing Centre in Bromley Kent



## The Priory Group

Website: <https://www.priorygroup.com/private-camhs>

Email: chelmsford@priorygroup.com

Telephone: 03308221429

Address: Priory Hospital Chelmsford, Stump Lane, Springfield Green, Chelmsford, Essex, CM1 7SJ (as well as other clinics nationally)



## Provide Wellbeing

Website: <https://www.providewellbeing.co.uk/services/autism-assessment/>

Online Enquiry: <https://www.providewellbeing.co.uk/contact-us/>

Telephone: 03003039966

Address: Clinics in Braintree, Chelmsford, Colchester and Halstead

Services: Autism and ADHD assessment for children, young people and adults



## Sundance House

Website: <https://www.sundancehouse.co.uk/>

Email: psychologyservices@sundancehouse.co.uk

Telephone: 07407320297

Address: Sundance House Limited, 131-133 Roman Road, Mountnessing, Brentwood, CM15 0UD

Services: Autism, ADHD, Cognitive Functioning, Social Communication Difficulties, Dyslexia and a range of mental health assessments for children, young people and adults.



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