



# AL NEURODEVELOPMENT - CONSENT & LIABILITY AGREEMENT

## 1. INFORMED CONSENT & NATURE OF SERVICE

The client and/or legal guardian (hereafter referred to as "the Client") acknowledges and understands that **AL Neurodevelopment** provides neurodevelopmental support, mentoring, and educational coordination.

- **Non-Clinical Guarantee:** While services are led by a practitioner and are evidence-based, the Client understands that neurodevelopmental progress is non-linear and specific outcomes cannot be guaranteed.
- **Methodology:** The Client consents to the use of integrated strategies, including but not limited to sensory based activities, cognitive exercises, and emotional regulation coaching.

## 2. COMPREHENSIVE MEDICAL & BEHAVIOURAL DISCLOSURE

To ensure the safety of the learner and the practitioner, full transparency is mandatory.

- **Disclosure Requirement:** The Client must disclose all known medical conditions (e.g., epilepsy, heart conditions, allergies), physical injuries, and specific behavioural triggers (e.g., history of physical aggression, self-harm, or flight risk).
- **Indemnity for Non-Disclosure:** AL Neurodevelopment shall not be held liable for any incidents, injuries, or escalations resulting from information that was withheld or inaccurately reported during the intake process.

## 3. ASSUMPTION OF RISK (PHYSICAL & BEHAVIOURAL)

The Client acknowledges that sessions often involve physical movement, community outreach, and emotional processing.

- **Inherent Risk:** The Client accepts that all physical activity and community based learning carry inherent risks that cannot be entirely eliminated, despite rigorous dynamic risk assessments.
- **Behavioural Escalation:** In cases of behavioural crises, the Client understands that the practitioner will prioritise safety through de-escalation. The Client accepts that these episodes carry a risk of physical exertion or environmental impact.

## 4. LIMITATION OF LIABILITY

- **Professional Duty of Care:** The liability of AL Neurodevelopment is strictly limited to the exercise of reasonable professional duty of care within the scope of the agreed-upon service.
- **Third-Party Actions:** AL Neurodevelopment is not liable for the actions, omissions, or advice of third-party professionals (e.g., OTs, SaLTs, EPs) even if coordinated by AL Neurodevelopment.
- **Guidance Compliance:** AL Neurodevelopment accepts no liability for injuries or setbacks occurring when the Client or learner fails to follow the specific safety guidance or strategies provided by the practitioner.



## 5. SESSION ENVIRONMENT (HOME & COMMUNITY)

For outreach sessions, the Client agrees to:

- Ensure a safe and appropriate environment for learning.
- Remain reachable (unless a "lone-working with minor" agreement is specifically in place).
- Disclose any environmental hazards prior to the practitioner's arrival.

## 6. CONSENT CONFIRMATION

- The Client confirms they have read, understood, and agreed to the terms above.
- Written consent required before services begin

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