## **Adult ADHD Resources**

# Using your medical insurance:

Some medical insurance plans may exclude coverage for evaluation of ADHD. If ADHD is diagnosed in the course of the evaluation, health insurance will usually cover the cost of the evaluation and treatment. To see if your insurance plan covers evaluation and treatment of ADHD, contact the plan's information number. If you need help checking with your medical insurance, make an appointment with Student Health Services' Health Promotion Department at 619-594-4133.

# **Psycho-educational Assessments**

Learning Development Services Mark Katz, PhD, Director Jeff Rowe, MD, Psychiatrist 3754 Clairemont Drive San Diego, 92117 (619) 276-6912 email: learndev@aol.com Holds Monday night informational meetings. http://learningdevelopmentservices.com/	Mark Lewkowicz, PhD 3551 Front St. San Diego 92103 619-297-0130 Accepts Blue Cross & Aetna
Allessandra Wall, PhD 311 Laurel Street San Diego, CA 92101 858-352-8027 http://www.psychsandiego.org/contact.htm	Ilan Zuk, PhD 311 Laurel Street San Diego, CA 92101 858-200-5671
Kristee Beres, PhD; (et al) Psychiatric Centers at San Diego 1550 Hotel Circle North, Ste. 270 San Diego, CA 92108 619-692-1581 http://www.psychiatriccenters.com/child_care.aspx	UCSD Adult ADHD Program David Feifel, MD, PhD 200 W. Arbor Drive San Diego 92103-8218 619-543-2827 No insurance accepted for assessment Insurance is accepted for medication. Occasionally evaluations are free for research trials.
Carrie Jaffe, Psy.D. 858-208-9689 Assessment only (fees depend on extent of assessment needed)	Abby Brewer-Johnson, Psy.D. 858-220-9666 Assessment & Treatment (fees depend on extent of assessment needed)
Paula Waisman, Psy.D 619-615-8240 Assessment only	Rochelle Perper, M.A. 619-275-2286 Assessment & Treatment Psychological Asst.

# Psychiatrists for Assessment and/or Medication

Prakash Bhatia, MD 7200 Parkway Drive, Suite 113 La Mesa, CA 91942 619-589-0552 office	Bryan Bruns, MD 3252 Holiday Ct. #100 La Jolla, CA 92037 858-535-0091	Catherine Moore, MD 591 Camino de la Reina, Ste. 820 San Diego, CA 92108 619-286-1010	Steve Elig, MD 1020 Prospect St. Ste. 415 San Diego, CA 92037 858-454-4256
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7695 Cardinal Ct. #A	140 Marine View Ave #110	591 Camino de la Reina, Ste. 820	4130 La Jolla Village Dr.
San Diego, CA 92123	Solana Beach 92075	San Diego, CA 92108	San Diego 92037
858-292-0567	858-350 - 4595	858-677-9222	858-485-6622

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## What to do if you do not have medical insurance:

If you have no medical insurance and cannot afford to pay out-of-pocket to see a psychiatrist, there are low cost programs in San Diego.

#### UCSD - Gifford Clinic

140 Arbor Drive

San Diego, California 92103 Phone: 619-497-6673

**Program:** For a new patient appointment, call on Monday between 8am – 12 pm for an appointment that

week to see a provider (call early, it is possible that all appointments are full by 8:20 am).

Fees: Sliding scale. With no income, service may be free.

Medication: Depending on income, you may be able to get the medication for free or low cost.

## Family Counseling Centers:

Hillcrest Counseling Center	Logan Heights	East County Counseling Center
550 Washington Street, Suite 201	Counseling Center	8788 Jamacha Road
San Diego, ČA 92103	2204 National Avenue	Spring Valley, CA 91977
Phone: 619-876-4440	San Diego, CA 92113	Phone: 619-515-2385
	Phone: 619-515-2355	

**Program:** You must pay for and see a therapist for an initial evaluation before seeing the psychiatrist (fees below). It is recommended that you have your medical records transferred for the psychiatrist to review. **Fees:** Sliding scale. Lowest fee for a therapist is \$50 initial. For psychiatrist \$160 initial/\$40 follow up. **Medications:** You are responsible for the cost of medications. They have medical clinics with pharmacies and can assist with getting medications at a low cost through Patient Assistance Programs.

### **Books**

Driven To Distraction: Recognizing and Coping with Attention Deficit Disorder from Childhood Through Adulthood, Hallowell & Ratey

Delivered from Distraction: Getting the Most out of Life with Attention Deficit Disorder. Hallowell & Ratey

Scattered Minds: Hope & Help for Adults with ADHD, Lenard Adler, MD

#### Online

Adult Self-Report Scale (ASRS) V1.1 self-test for ADHD: http://www.med.nyu.edu/psych/assets/adhdscreener.pdf

www.CHADD.org Children & Adults with Attention Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder site has lots of information

National Institutes of Mental Health web pages on ADHD: http://www.nimh.nih.gov/health/publications/adhd/complete-publication.shtml

#### Campus Resources

**Counseling & Psychological Services**' (Calpulli Center, 619-594-5220) offers students short-term individual, couples and group counseling, as well as crisis intervention.

**Student Disability Services** (Calpulli Center, 619-594-6473) is the campus office responsible for determining and providing appropriate academic accommodations for students with disabilities. Support services are available to students with certified visual limitations, hearing and communication impairments, learning disabilities, mobility, and other functional limitations.

**Student Health Services** (Calpulli Center, 619-594-5281) provides medical evaluation and treatment of basic medical issues, treatment of urgent medical problems, evaluation and treatment of most psychiatric diagnoses, family planning, and health promotion services. Student Health Services does not provide assessment and/or treatment of ADHD.

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