

Assistive Technology Services

Equipment Purchase

Our experienced Assistive Technology Services team, in partnership with clients, families and schools develops tailored programs that explore equipment and technology options to meet individual client needs.

Access to the right technology can make a real difference to children and young people, helping to increase opportunities to learn, whilst developing self-reliance and independence. Services may include technology assessments and recommendations, equipment trials, training sessions for clients and families, teachers and support staff.

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Target Group

Children aged 0-18 years with a sensory impairment.

What to expect

Equipment purchases are facilitated by our Assistive Technology Consultant who has specialist knowledge around the technology needs of children with a sensory impairment.

All equipment recommended will be directly linked with the intervention services being delivered to the child and/or provide support for the delivery of intervention at home.

Families are encouraged to consult with the Assistive Technology Consultant around the technology that may best suit their child's needs.

Assistive Technology Officers are also able to provide training and support for the child and their family so that they are able to utilise the equipment to its full potential.

Aims of the program

The focus of intervention may include:

- Assessment of technology needs
- Recommendation and prescription of equipment
- Delivery and set-up of equipment

Goals of the program

Goals are individually negotiated with the child, their family and educators.

Outcomes

Children and families will:

- Be supported to make decisions around equipment purchases.
- Receive relevant specialised equipment, set-up and training.

Eligibility Criteria

Families must be registered for services with Can:Do 4Kids.

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Staff

Assistive Technology Consultants have industry relevant qualifications and experience. Consultants work alongside families and schools to support children/ young adults to develop skills to utilise technology to support their life goals.

Can:Do 4Kids Assistive Technology Consultants work as a part of a multidisciplinary team alongside Early Intervention Consultants, Speech Pathologists and Occupational Therapists, Child and Youth Development Consultants, Orientation and Mobility specialists, Physiotherapists, Social Workers and Audiologists.

Locations

An Assistive Technology Consultant may see a child/ young adult:

- In the classroom
- In the home
- In the community
- At one of our clinic locations

Referrals

Families can contact Can:Do 4Kids directly or with a referral from NDIS, your GP, Specialist or school.

Funding

Can:Do 4Kids are registered to provide services under a variety of funding models including National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS), Medicare, Private Health and self funded.

If you are unsure of your eligibility, or would like to discuss the best funding method for your child please contact us for further information.

Contact Us

We would love to hear from you. For further information about our services and to discuss your child's needs please contact us; on

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