



## Learn about neurodiversity with nuance, heart, & a little pizazz—in protest of boring learning!

## About Me

- Autistic Clinical Psychologist, BA Supervisor & researcher
- Co-author of the first study **defining neuroaffirming practice**
- Consulted on the National Roadmap to Improve the Health and Mental Health of Autistic People for the Australian government
- Over a decade of experience in autism advocacy
- Enthusiastic about animals, arts & crafts, film & TV

It's fine if I'm not for you, though I urge you to engage with another Autistic presenter; this ensures your learning is grounded in both clinical expertise and lived experience, offering deeper insight than clinical training alone. It's also an ethical choice that supports equity —redirecting funding away from harmful, non-inclusive practices and toward Autistic professionals who remain under-earning and underrepresented.

Next Up: Budget





## Budgeting for CPD: Neurodiversity

As demand grows across the sector—especially in light of Ahpra's updated core competency 7 for psychologists many clinics are seeking specialised, evidence-informed training that integrates both lived experience and clinical insight.

In Australia, the average fee for a psychologist to deliver professional training in a niche area such as neurodiversity varies based on experience, demand, delivery format, & preparation involved. Here are the **typical fee ranges** in the current market:

1 hour	\$500-\$900
1.5 - 2 hours	\$1,000-\$2,000
Half-day	\$2,000-\$3,500+
Full-day	\$3,500-\$6,000+

I aim to keep my fees mid-range where possible

Factors that increase fees:

- Highly valued experience, knowledge, & skillset
- Lived experience alongside clinical qualifications
- In-person delivery with local travel
- In-person delivery with interstate travel & accommodation
- Development of tailored content, materials, or resources