



# Quay Healthcare ADHD Newsletter NOVEMBER 2024

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#### NEW STARTER

We are delighted to have welcomed our full-time diagnostician Natalie within the team and has fit in perfectly! We have been able to resume part-two diagnostic assessments following her position within the team.

### EXPEDITE REQUESTS

Following recent feedback from yourselves, we have made the clinical decision that we will deal with explore potential expedite requests for patients who present to us directly. The patient should be able to provide us with information around the impact and impairment caused by their symptoms.

Patients who are presenting with worsening mental health concerns will still be directed to the GP practice to support them and manage as appropriate.

## PATHWAY CHANGES

We would like to inform you that our service is currently altering our pathway. We are implementing changes to extend resources and implement these more efficiently. We are no longer able to offer appointments for autism screenings and psychosocial support. We will contact these patients directly following the cancellations. We would appreciate your support in initiating autism referrals if a patient wishes to go ahead with this.

