



Making an appointment

The Clinic is open for assessments on Thursdays. Families will need to come to the Clinic for two half-day sessions.

For enquiries and to make an appointment please ring the Early Diagnostic Clinic on 0459 163 171. If the telephone is unattended a message can be left by SMS or by email to edc@latrobe.edu.au. Our intake worker will respond as soon as possible.

Fees

The Early Diagnostic Clinic charges families a flat fee of \$200.00. These fees are not refundable through Medicare. The cost of providing this diagnostic service is normally \$1200 per child. We gratefully acknowledge the generous support of the R. E. Ross Trust, which is contributing \$1,000 per child's assessment.

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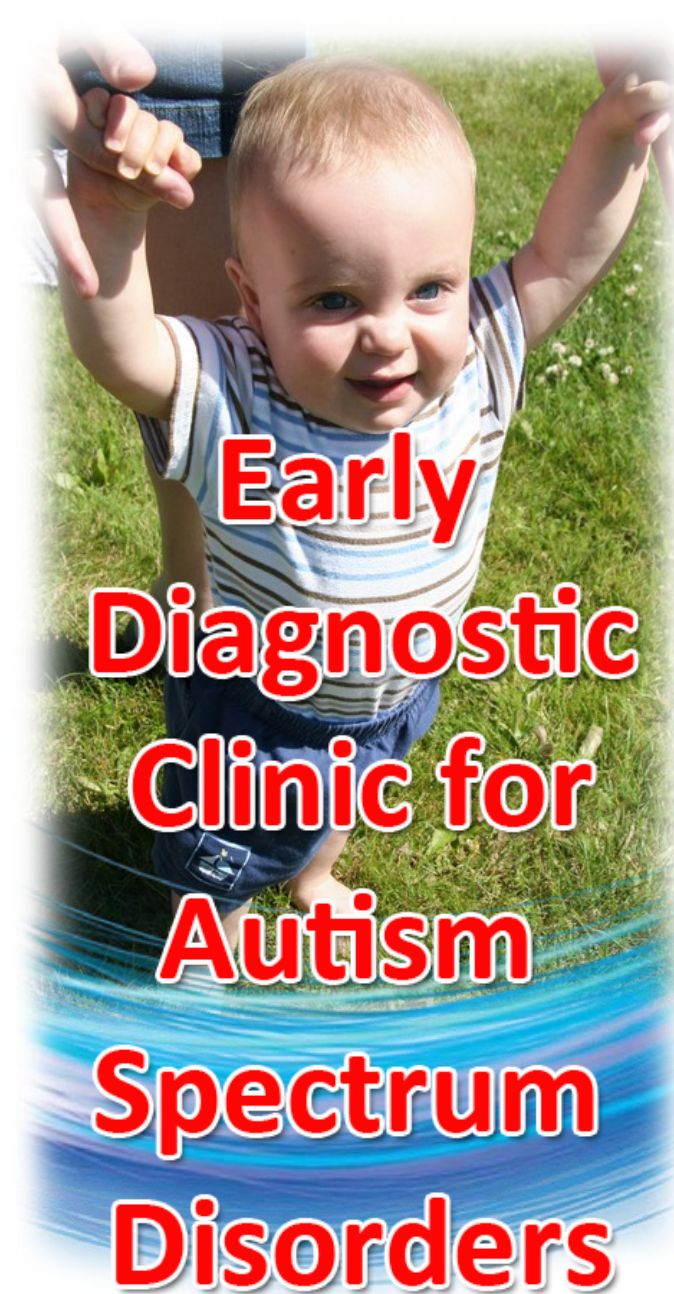


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Early Diagnostic Clinic for Autism Spectrum Disorders

The Early Diagnostic Clinic at La Trobe University specialises in early assessment for Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASDs) in children up to 36 months. We welcome referrals from community-based early childhood and health professionals throughout Victoria. We are committed to early identification and diagnosis of ASDs so that children and their families may have access to the earliest possible support to promote positive developmental outcomes.

The Early Diagnostic Clinic benefits from a hub of expertise and leadership in ASDs by being associated with the Olga Tennison Autism Research Centre and the Autism Specific Early Learning and Care Centre, also located at La Trobe University.

Each child will receive a comprehensive assessment conducted by two members of a team of professionals. Our team includes Psychologists and Speech Pathologists with expertise in early diagnostic assessments of ASDs.

The family will be provided with a confidential report and detailed feedback as well as a referral to a specialist Paediatrician for a follow-up consultation or to another specialist, if necessary.



Where to find the Clinic

The Early Diagnostic Clinic is located in the George Singer Building on the Melbourne campus of La Trobe University at Bundoora, which is serviced by trains, buses and trams. There are also car parking facilities in the Visitors' Car Park for those travelling by car. Please enter the campus via the Central Control Gate (off Kingsbury Drive).

