



Brain Injury Rehabilitation Specialists™

On With Life was the first program in the world to become CARF accredited as an Independent Evaluation Program.



Through the process of neuropsychological evaluation, a neuropsychologist studies brain-behavior interactions, the health of the individual's brain, and the problems that brain dysfunction can cause. Our neuropsychologists use evidence-based techniques to determine preexisting characteristics of each individual and create a detailed overview of changes caused by an injury or condition affecting the central nervous system. All evaluations are summarized in a comprehensive neuropsychological report. Our neuropsychologists pride themselves in the timely and thorough manner in which reports and feedback sessions are completed.

On With Life's neuropsychologists work with people of all ages and presenting challenges, such as traumatic and non-traumatic brain injury, stroke, spinal cord injury, as well as neurodegenerative disorders such as Alzheimer's disease and Parkinson's disease. In addition, Dr. Demarest has expertise in evaluation of infants, children and adolescents with neurodevelopmental disorders such as ADHD, autism spectrum disorders and learning disorders. Dr. Logemann has expertise in evaluation of adolescents through geriatrics with a variety of presenting challenges. Please contact the clinic for more detailed information about our services.

A NEUROPSYCHOLOGICAL EVALUATION CAN BE HELPFUL IN ADDRESSING:

- Return to work, and with what restrictions
- Return home, and with what degree of assistance
- Return to school, and with what accommodations
- Ability to manage financial affairs
- Legal capacity
- Presence of a brain injury
- Presence and impact of learning disorders/ disabilities, attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder and autism spectrum disorder
- Differentiation of brain injury from psychological/ psychiatric etiology/factors and the presence of malingering/ suboptimal effort
- Permanency of injury and deficits/prognosis
- Establishment of a baseline for further assessment
- Assets that can be capitalized on
- How training can contribute to change
- Presence of social and behavioral issues
- What areas may spontaneously improve, and which will require compensatory strategies?
- What are the best strategies to train a patient for a task?
- Recommendations related to impulsivity, impatience, low frustration tolerance and anger control
- Presence of substance abuse issue
- Psychological status of an individual

On With Life's neuropsychologists work together with the person served and family/support system to develop an assessment plan that best fits the needs and goals of those involved. Evaluations are typically scheduled between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. on weekdays with the ability to accommodate based on the specific physical, cultural and logistical considerations. Referrals are accepted from physicians, attorneys, case managers, persons served, parents, nurses, social workers, schools and counselors.

Our neuropsychologists' goal is to help individuals/families and the referring provider answer questions pertaining to the condition of the individual's brain, the presenting strengths and difficulties and indicated treatment options and recommendations.

ON WITH LIFE'S CONTINUUM OF BRAIN INJURY REHABILITATION SERVICES

We are proud to provide a continuum of specialty services for persons served who have sustained a traumatic brain injury, stroke, tumor, aneurysm or other neurological condition:

- Post-Acute Inpatient Neuro Rehabilitation
- Long-Term Skilled Care for Youth and Younger Adults
- Outpatient Neuro Rehabilitation
- Supported Community Living
- Neuropsychological Evaluation and Consultation
- Independent Living at the Apartments of OWL Creek
- Residential Neuro Rehabilitation