**ADULT REFERRAL FOR A DIAGNOSTIC ASSESSMENT OF AUTISM**

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| **Service user details:** |
| Name: | Title: | DOB: |  |
| Preferred name: |  |  |  |
| Address: |  | NHS number: |  |
| PARIS number: |  |
| Email: |  | Phone: |  |
| Preferred language: | Ethnicity: | Gender: |
| **Referrer details (If self-referral, please leave this section blank):** |
| Name: | Date of referral: |
| Address: | Profession/ Role: |
| Phone:  |
| Email address : |
| Have you discussed the referral with the person? Y □ N □ Please note, referrals will not be accepted without informed consent. Please advise the client that the IAS are a multi-agency team so information may be accessed by both local authority and health staff. |
| **GP details (if not referrer):** |
| Name :  |  | Phone: |  |
| Address : |  | Email address : |  |
| **Other Professionals involved:** |
|  | Name | Service | Contact details |
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| **Developmental history:**  |
| *(e.g., delays in meeting development milestones such as speech; loss of skills that had been acquired; unusual behaviour in childhood; differences in interaction and communication; additional educational needs etc.?)* |
| **Social interaction:** |
| *(e.g., does the person have difficulties: making and/or maintaining relationships; understanding and managing emotions; understanding other people’s emotions; understanding social rules etc.?)* |
| **Social Communication:**  |
| *(e.g., difficulties in reciprocal communication; unusual speech; repetitive speech; unusual eye contact; reduced facial expression or gesturing; flat intonation; problems in understanding such as taking things literally?)* |
| **Repetitive/restricted behaviours:** |
| *(e.g., highly focused all-encompassing interests; excessive adherences to routines that are unusual; resistance to change; inflexible thinking; repetitive behaviour or rituals; strong adherence to rules; repetitive or stereotyped movements etc.?)* |
| **Sensory differences:** |
| *(Significant differences in sensory processing? e.g., not noticing pain; noticing sounds, smells, tastes, or visual details that others do not; difficulties with food due to textures or taste sensitivities; avoiding touch; different temperature regulation; getting distressed with too much sensory stimuli etc.)* |
| **Please provide information on the following:**  |
| Problems in obtaining or sustaining education or employment. |  |
| Difficulties in initiating or sustaining social relationships. |  |
| Previous or current contact with mental health or learning disability services. |  |
| Information on any other diagnoses, for example, depression, personality disorder ADHD etc. |  |
| **Please specify any further documentation enclosed with this referral for further information:** |
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| **Please comment on any relevant issues relating to risk?** |
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| **Additional information, including specific requirements when accessing services:**  |
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This referral will be discussed at our weekly referral meeting and you will be notified by letter of the outcome.

Please send this referral to:

**IAS Administrator Integrated Autism Service Avon House 19 Stanwell Road Penarth CF642EZ**

**Or by email to:** **CAV.IAS@wales.nhs.uk** **O2921 824 240**