

HOME MODIFICATIONS

Occupational therapists are able to facilitate minor and major home modifications for those with an array of disabilities/medical conditions.

Home modifications are tailored to the individual and can include (as some examples):

- Ramps
- Widening of doorways
- Bathroom accessibility
- Grab rail facilitation
- Platform lifts
- Tap alterations
- Bidet installation
- Home automation

What can I expect from undertaking this process?

Our service typically aligns with the following:

- 1) In-home consultation, which typically aligns with a consultation inclusive of reviewing the home, understanding disability/medical condition-related needs, alongside personal preferences from a client's perspective.
- 2) Meeting with a builder/architect at the home, to propose goals and plans.
- 3) Report facilitation, which outlines findings and proposals. An array of evidence, including floor plans, extensive diagrams and pictures etc. is interwoven in the process alongside OT documentation.

What funding is available to support this assessment?

Outcomes in context of costings vary considerably.

The OT component of this process is billed at the NDIS hourly rate typically and costs will be transparent/able to be discussed where required.

Costs of home modifications are reliant on builders/service providers. Aidaway OT works with an array of service providers within the market. Preference can be given for providers, however NDIS have internal guidelines in which are essential to be considered.

Who can I contact to discuss this matter further?

Please feel free to liaise with our admin staff on 03 9069 2106 for further details.

Via email, this is best directed to admin@aidawayot.com.au. For specific OT queries, these will be further streamlined as required.

General information regarding home modifications can be seen via the NDIS website ndis.gov.au.
