

PERSATUAN PSIKOLOGI KLINIKAL MALAYSIA (ROS KL No. 1743-120-WKL)

General Guideline of Professional Fee Structure for Clinical Psychologists in Malaysia (2016)

The Malaysian Society of Clinical Psychology recommends the following guide based on the results of a survey done in 2016:

1. PSYCHOLOGICAL CONSULTATION/PSYCHOTHERAPY FEE

(Initial Intake or Follow-up Session)

a. PRIVATE

This is a general guideline and the range of fees depend on location and qualification: RM150 – RM450 per hour

b. GOVERNMENT

Based on fees set by the Ministry of Health (public hospitals) or teaching hospitals' settings.

2. PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSESSMENT FEE

Psychological assessment package can consist of: -

- Pre-assessment consultation
- Single or multiple tests administration
- Assessment report
- Post-assessment feedback to client/family
- Site visits (if required)

a. PRIVATE

- i. A general acceptable range of fee does not exceed RM5,000 per package
- ii. Fees are generally charged depending on duration, number of tests, types of test and on a case-by-case basis.
- iii. General Assessment package: RM500 RM2,000 per package
- iv. Comprehensive Assessment package: RM2,000 RM5,000 per package

b. GOVERNMENT

Based on the fees set by Ministry of Health (public hospitals) or teaching hospitals' settings.

3. BRIEF PSYCHOLOGICAL REPORT FEE

Generally, 1-2 pages, non-psychological assessments for referral source: -

a. PRIVATE

Ranges from RM100 - RM200 per report

b. GOVERNMENT

Based on the fees set Ministry of Health (public hospitals) or teaching hospitals' settings.



The Private Healthcare Facilities and Services (Private Hospitals and Other Private Healthcare Facilities) (Amendment) Order 2013 (P.U. (A) 358) states:

(o) Psychiatry – Psychotherapy

Services	Fees per session (RM)
Individual psychotherapy	050
 Not less than 45 minutes per session Including behavior therapy and hypnotherapy 	250
Group psychotherapy per person	
 One hour per group Not less than three patients and not more than eight patients per group 	65
Marital therapy per couple	250
Not less than 45 minutes per session for a couple together	250
Family therapy per family	
Not less than 30 minutes per session	250
Session includes relevant family interviews	
Child psychotherapy	
Not less than 30 minutes per session	250
Session includes relevant family interviews	
Each electroconvulsive therapy (ECT)	315

^{*}Note: the above are charges by psychiatrists for psychotherapy.

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