

ATTACHMENT BONDING ASSESSMENT

Expert Evaluation by Dr. RAD | The Attachment Code Breaker

WHAT IS AN ATTACHMENT BONDING ASSESSMENT?

A specialized, comprehensive clinical evaluation of the quality, security, and functioning of attachment bonds between children and their caregivers. It examines attachment patterns, the impact of maltreatment, loss, and trauma on relational capacity, reciprocal bonding behaviors, and provides clear, actionable recommendations for therapy, placement stability, parenting strategies, or court-related decisions.

WHO IT IS FOR

- Child welfare agencies, DCF, case managers, courts, and GAL programs
- Foster and adoptive parents and families
- Therapists and clinical teams seeking specialized consultation
- Families navigating RAD, complex trauma, or relational repair

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STEPS TO COMPLETE THE ASSESSMENT

1

Referral

Submit professional or agency referral describing the clinical question and case context.

2

Intake Questions

Answer questions including number of children and adults involved, ages, placement status, and primary concerns.

3

Funding Authorization

Once accepted, funding authorization from the agency is required **prior to initiating** any assessment activities.

4

Background Information

Review of developmental/trauma history, prior evaluations, records, and collateral information.

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Assessment & Report

Clinical evaluation completed. Detailed report with findings and recommendations provided upon final payment.

INVESTMENT & PAYMENT TERMS

Base: One Child + 2 Adults (Same Household)

\$1,250

Each Additional Child and/or Person

\$850

50% retainer required prior to initiating • Remaining balance due at conclusion and prior to report release

Expert Testimony (if required): Additional \$750 flat charge per day reserved by Dr. Shoemaker, billed to funding agency

CONTACT TO BEGIN A REFERRAL

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