## WHAT HAPPENS IF MY CHILD IS REFERRED FOR AN AUTISM ASSESSMENT?

- You will be sent two case history forms to fill in, one to capture general information and one to capture more specific reasons for the ASD assessment referral
- You will be sent information sheets about the ADOS
- The assessing therapist will arrange a pre-assessment call with you
- For all new referrals to our diagnostic clinic, we recommend that an initial assessment / consultation is arranged in order to ensure that the ADOS is appropriate. This may be a school or nursery observation, or a full language assessment
- If the ADOS is deemed appropriate, this will be arranged at a future date
- The ADOS / ADI-R is carried out
- Your follow up session is then arranged for feedback following the ADOS

