



Disability Care Load Assessment (Child) Amendment Determination 2014

Social Security Act 1991

I, FINN PRATT, Secretary of the Department of Social Services, make this Determination under section 38E of the *Social Security Act 1991*.

Dated 18 September 2014

Finn Pratt

Secretary of the Department of Social Services

1 Name of Determination

This Determination is the *Disability Care Load Assessment (Child) Amendment Determination 2014*.

2 Commencement

This Determination is taken to have commenced on 18 May 2013.

3 Amendment of *Disability Care Load Assessment (Child) Determination 2010*

Schedule 1 amends the *Disability Care Load Assessment (Child) Determination 2010*.

Schedule 1 Amendment

(Section 3)

[1] Schedule 3, Part 1, clause 9

Substitute

9. The following conditions:
 - (a) Autism Spectrum Disorder when diagnosed by a psychiatrist, developmental paediatrician, or a registered psychologist experienced in the assessment of Pervasive Developmental Disorders and using the fifth edition of the Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders (DSM-5);
 - (b) Autistic Disorder or Asperger's Disorder (not including Pervasive Developmental Disorder not otherwise specified) when diagnosed by a psychiatrist, developmental paediatrician, or a registered psychologist experienced in the assessment of Pervasive Development Disorders and using the fourth edition of the Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders (DSM-IV).

[2] Schedule 3, Part 1, clause 10

Substitute

10. The following conditions:
 - (a) Childhood Disintegrative Disorder diagnosed by a psychiatrist using DSM-IV;
 - (b) Major depression of childhood diagnosed by a psychiatrist using DSM-IV or DSM-5;
 - (c) Childhood schizophrenia diagnosed by a psychiatrist using DSM-IV or DSM-5.