



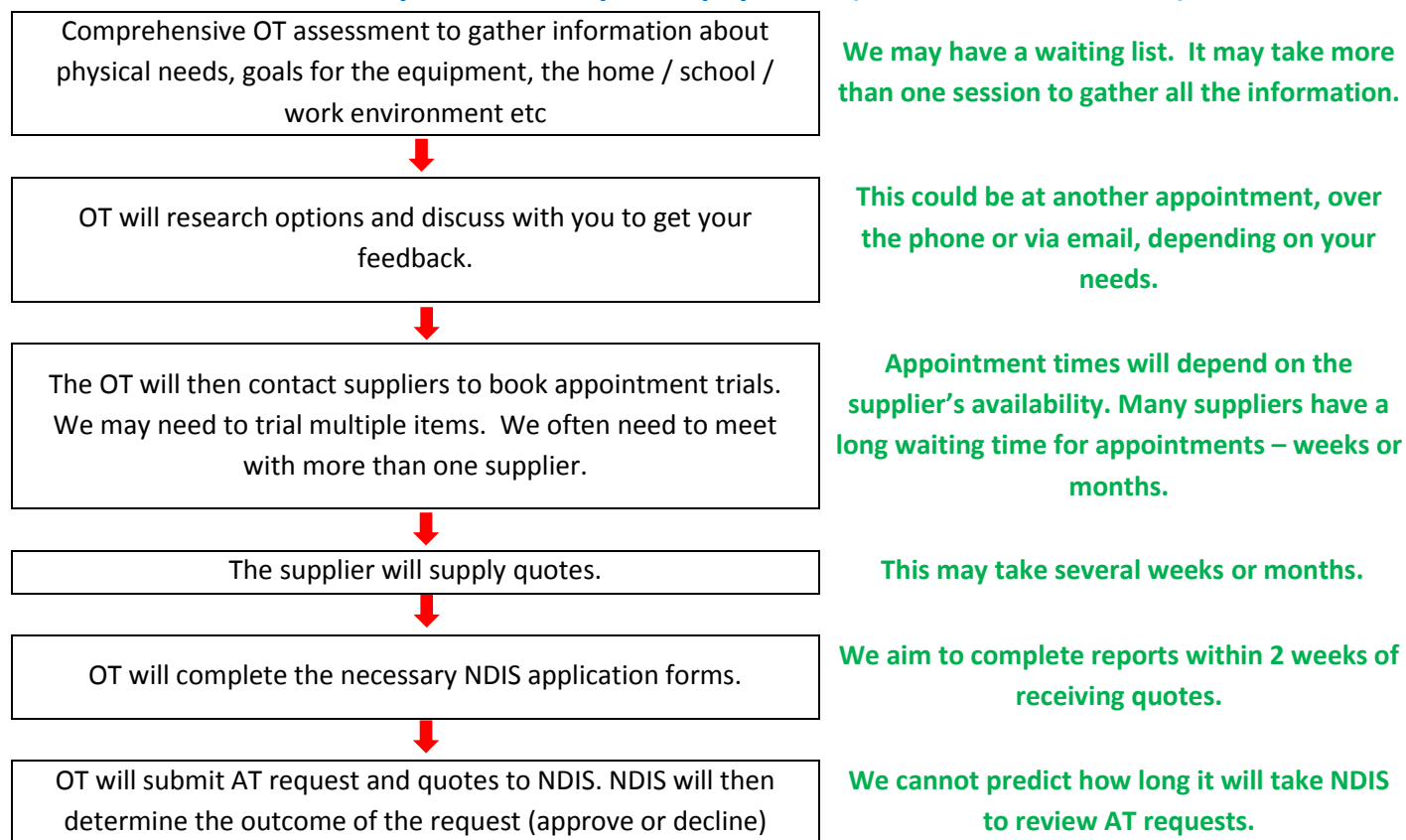
Important Information: NDIS - Assistive Technology Applications

The NDIS has strict guidelines and processes for the prescription of Assistive Technology (AT) that we must adhere to. This information is intended to help you understand the NDIS processes & timeframes.

Some important points to remember:

- Occupational therapists are not employees of the NDIS.
- Occupational therapists are not able to enquire with the NDIS about approvals unless you have given specific, written approval to the NDIS. Generally, the NDIS will contact you, not us.
- The NDIS assesses all applications against their reasonable and necessary guidelines we aim to address the guidelines in our reports.
- Timeframes for decisions by the NDIS are variable – anywhere from 1 to 12 months. We have no control over these timeframes.
- You are able to contact the NDIS on **1800 800 110** to find out about the progress of your applications.

Goal: Prescription of Complex Equipment (such as a wheelchair)



If your application is rejected or is taking a very long time to be considered we can talk through options – please speak with your OT. Please call us on 1300 855 513.

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