

## OTHER PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSESSMENT SERVICES

In addition to neuropsychological and epilepsy assessments, we provide the following specialized assessments:

### Pre-surgical Evaluations

We conduct psychological assessments to determine appropriateness and readiness for bariatric surgeries, pressure ulcer management surgeries, and other surgeries for which psychological clearance is recommended.

### Capacity Evaluations

The state recognizes a variety of capacities. Cognitive changes, medical non-compliance, and other factors can sometimes raise concerns about a person's ability to perform certain activities. If physicians are concerned, we can conduct psychological assessments to assist in determination of patient's capacity for medical decision making, capacity to live independently, capacity to drive, capacity to manage finances and other types of capacities as needed.

### Vocational & Educational Evaluations

For Rancho patients who wish to return to work or return to school after a life changing injury or illness, we offer assessments to assist with vocational and educational recommendations.

All assessment services can be provided in English and Spanish. Our clinical psychologists are trained in how to work effectively with interpreters and can assess patients in other languages if appropriate.

For other types of assessments or for further information about our assessment services please contact the Psychology Department at 562-385-8181.