



The AHA TEST

The Assisting Hand Assessment

version 5.0

A new perspective on evaluating hand function
in children with unilateral impairments
aged 18 months – 18 years.

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Venue: Centrum Żoliborz, Warsaw, Pl. Inwalidów 10

Trainers:

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Recommended for:

OTs, SI therapists and others
(e.g NDT), physiotherapists,
special educators, paediatrists

The Assisting Hand Assessment (AHA) is a well-established and frequently used evaluative tool to measure how effectively children with unilateral hand dysfunction actually use their involved hand collaboratively with their well-functioning hand to perform bimanual tasks. For the child the AHA is an enjoyable 10 to 15 minute semi-structured play session using a test-kit of selected toys requiring bimanual use..

AHA is a standardized test intended for children with unilateral Cerebral Palsy or Brachial Plexus Palsy between the ages of 18 months and 18 years.

The course teaches the Assisting Hand Assessment, the new version 5.0 and is conducted in two steps. First, a 2½-day training course include information about the test construct, testing procedure and scoring practice on a range of children from videos. A manual with detailed scoring criteria and a computer based scoring form is provided. The second part of the course contains individual feedback on 6 cases. Each participant shall score 4 videos available from a website, and will receive detailed individual feedback. After that the participants are to record 2 self-produced play sessions, score them and send the videos and scores to us for feedback and approval. To be able to do this part of the certification and to all future use of the AHA the participant will need access to an AHA test kit. Test-kits can be ordered from Handfast Ab before or during the course.

This whole certification procedure should be successfully completed in three months.

Then you can get [the AHA Certification](#) issued by Handfast AB and signed by the trainers.

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