

## APPENDIX 18: ECONOMIC EVIDENCE – EVIDENCE TABLES OF PUBLISHED STUDIES

Study ID Country Study type	Intervention details	Study population Study design Data sources	Costs: description and values Outcomes: description and values	Results: Cost-effectiveness	Comments
Mawhood and Howlin,, 1999; UK	Employment support programme for high functioning adults with autism  No programme	Population: High Functioning adults with autism. Study Design: RCT  Source of resource use and clinical effectiveness: RCT  Source of unit costs: local costs	Costs included: Intervention costs  Monthly cost per client: First year: £672 Second year: £388 Primary outcome: Percentage of high functioning adults with autism employed.  Percentage of adults employed: Employment support: 63% Control: 25%	Cost of intervention per additional adult employed: £33,474	Perspective: NHS Currency: £ UK Cost year: 1994/5 Time horizon: Two years Discounting: NA Applicability: Directly Quality: Potentially serious limitations