

Commonwealth Home Support Program

As of 1 April 2021, the contribution amounts for Blue Care services will be as follows:

Commonwealth Home Support Program Service	Basis	Daytime	After Hours	Weekend	Public Holidays
Domestic assistance	Per Hour	\$12.50	\$17.20	\$33.35	\$62.50
Personal care	Per Hour	\$12.50	\$17.20	\$33.35	\$62.50
Nursing care	Per Hour	\$20.00	\$27.80	\$55.55	\$76.65
Allied health	Per Hour	\$20.00	\$28.35	\$58.35	\$112.20
Allied health group	Per Hour	\$9.00	\$10.70	\$17.45	\$28.70
Specialised support services	Per Hour	\$20.00	\$28.90	\$59.45	\$82.80
Social support individual	Per Hour	\$12.50	\$17.20	\$33.35	\$62.50
Social support group sessions	Per Session	\$15.00	\$19.50	\$36.00	\$65.50
Social support group short visit	Per Hour	\$4.50	\$5.65	\$10.70	\$19.70
Meals (In-home)	Per Meal	\$10.00	\$11.05	\$14.75	\$21.60
Meals (Centre-based)	Per Meal	\$8.00	\$8.55	\$9.60	\$11.75
Flexible respite individual	Per Hour	\$12.50	\$17.05	\$32.95	\$61.95
In-home overnight respite	Per Night	\$43.25	\$43.25	\$107.65	\$223.00
Home maintenance	Per Hour	\$15.00	\$20.65	\$40.00	\$75.00
Home modifications	Per Visit	\$15.00	\$20.65	\$40.00	\$75.00
Transport	Per Trip	\$9.00	\$10.95	\$17.35	\$29.55
Respite group sessions	Per Session	\$15.00	\$19.50	\$36.00	\$65.50
Respite group short visit	Per Hour	\$4.50	\$5.65	\$10.70	\$19.70
Cottage respite overnight	Per Night	\$61.80	\$61.80	\$158.60	\$331.65
Centre bus service	Per Trip	\$7.00	\$8.50	\$13.50	\$23.00

Terms and Conditions 1. Group Social Support and Respite are charged per hour if less than three hours, otherwise charged per session. 2. Meals (Centre-based) charged if a standalone service. Not charged when meal part of a group session. 3. Cottage respite and In-home overnight respite are charged per night. 4. Weekend and Public Holiday rates apply for services at any times on these days. 5. After Hours rates apply for service between 6pm and 6am on any other days. 6. Daytime rates apply for services between 6am and 6pm on any other days. 7. Medication, equipment hire and other consumables are not included in the above rates. 8. Scheduled services cancelled later than 11am the day before, or shortened at the request of the client, will still be charged based on the full length of the planned visit, the exception being in circumstances beyond the control of the client, such as illness. For visits longer than the scheduled length, additional charges may apply. 9. Minimum visit times are 15 minutes.

Please note that contributions may be updated periodically to reflect changes in the costs of delivering services. You will be given reasonable notice of any changes to the fee schedule.

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