

Summary of Home Care Package prices – 01 July 2024

To improve the transparency of Home Care Package pricing, Enhance Supports and Services have reflected on prices for common care services, care management and package management.

PRICING TYPES	Effective from 01.07.2024	
Care Management (cost per fortnight)		
FULLY MANAGED BY PROVIDER (Includes but not limited to) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conduct an initial assessment via a face-to-face meeting (subject to department restrictions) • Develop care plans to meet your needs and goals. • Review care plans to implement any essential adjustments. • Review your home care agreement and apply changes as requested • Assist in accessing services through your home care package to ensure your care aligns with other services • Communicate, and discuss aspects of your services and the allocation, review of a suitable support worker • Monitor and discuss your budget • Consult with health professionals where necessary • Assist in applying for higher care level where your circumstances have changed, Coordinate hospitalisation care • A dedicated and professional point of contact • Regular home visits and phone conferences to further discuss your needs, goals, concerns, feedback and complaints. • Referrals to other care services where needed, Identify and address risks to your home and care 	Level 1	\$78.00
	Level 2	\$130.00
	Level 3	\$280.00
	Level 4	\$380.00
Package Management (cost per fortnight)		
PACKAGE MANAGEMENT (Includes but not limited to) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • preparing monthly statements. • managing your Package funds. • Registering information through Medicare and initialising adjustments • Reconciling subsidies • Meeting compliance and quality assurance activities required for • Home Care Packages. 	Level 1	\$59.00
	Level 2	\$82.00
	Level 3	\$150.00
	Level 4	\$230.00
*Fortnightly fee subject to changes to Government subsidy rate increases		



Estimated hours of services per week day, during usual hours, based on weekdays with a support worker. Penalty rates apply to after hour services, weekends and public holidays.						
Estimated Hours (exc. Basic Daily Fee)		Estimated Hours (inc. Basic Daily Fee)				
Level 1	2	Level 1	3			
Level 2	3.5	Level 2	5			
Level 3	8	Level 3	10			
Level 4	13	Level 4	15			
Common Services (per standard hour)		Weekday	Evening	Saturday	Sunday	Public Holiday
Nursing *		\$150	N/a	N/a	N/a	N/a
Light Gardening *		\$75				
Home Care Services include: Meal Preparation, Shopping, Respite, Transport, Social Activities.		\$68	\$75	\$100	\$120	\$175
Personal Care		\$68	\$75	\$100	\$120	\$175
Basic Cleaning & Household Tasks		\$72	N/a	\$75	N/a	N/a
Allied Health (Occupational Therapy, Podiatry, Physio, Exercise Physiologist)		\$175				
Social Support group*		\$100				
Cancellation fee to be charged if services are not cancelled prior to 5pm the previous day.						
Staff Travel Costs to visit recipient (per km)						
Cost per km for services with care recipient		\$1.50				
Exiting Home Care/ Changing Provider						
Median exit amount for services that publish an exit amount greater than \$0		\$0				

*Nursing minimum 2 hours call out *Light Gardening subject to size of lawn *Social Support Group travel per km to be added

How much does the government contribute?			
Daily government subsidy rate		Fortnightly government contribution	
Level 1	\$29.01	Level 1	\$406.14
Level 2	\$51.02	Level 2	\$714.28
Level 3	\$111.04	Level 3	\$1,554.56
Level 4	\$168.33	Level 4	\$2,356.62