

National summary of Home Care Package prices – 30 June 2023

To improve the transparency of Home Care Package pricing, the Department of Health and Aged Care publishes national median prices for common care services, care management and package management. This data is updated quarterly.

| PRICING TYPES | | National Median Prices | Median Prices across MMMs | | | | | | | Median Prices across 1 Metro ACPR per State | | | | | | | |
|---|---------|------------------------|---------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---|----------------|----------------|------------|-------------|----------|--------|--------|
| | | | MMM 1 | MMM 2 | MMM 3 | MMM 4 | MMM 5 | MMM 6 | MMM 7 | NSW | VIC | QLD | WA | SA | TAS | ACT | NT |
| | | | | | | | | | | South East Sydney | Northern Metro | Brisbane South | Metro East | Metro North | Southern | ACT | Darwin |
| Care Management (cost per fortnight) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fully Managed By Provider | Level 1 | \$60 | \$60 | \$61 | \$61 | \$61 | \$61 | \$62 | \$62 | \$61 | \$63 | \$61 | \$59 | \$61 | \$61 | \$61 | \$66 |
| | Level 2 | \$108 | \$108 | \$110 | \$111 | \$111 | \$111 | \$113 | \$115 | \$115 | \$115 | \$108 | \$104 | \$118 | \$115 | \$113 | \$115 |
| | Level 3 | \$229 | \$229 | \$229 | \$235 | \$230 | \$230 | \$236 | \$236 | \$236 | \$243 | \$226 | \$212 | \$219 | \$229 | \$230 | \$251 |
| | Level 4 | \$344 | \$347 | \$347 | \$349 | \$348 | \$348 | \$350 | \$358 | \$349 | \$368 | \$330 | \$316 | \$321 | \$347 | \$348 | \$360 |
| Self Managed By You* | Level 1 | \$34 | \$34 | \$34 | \$35 | \$32 | \$32 | \$35 | \$35 | \$25 | \$32 | \$28 | \$35 | \$26 | \$26 | \$26 | \$62 |
| | Level 2 | \$56 | \$56 | \$56 | \$56 | \$55 | \$55 | \$56 | \$51 | \$43 | \$57 | \$51 | \$51 | \$46 | \$46 | \$45 | \$108 |
| | Level 3 | \$118 | \$118 | \$116 | \$118 | \$113 | \$113 | \$121 | \$99 | \$90 | \$124 | \$108 | \$94 | \$94 | \$99 | \$94 | \$236 |
| | Level 4 | \$179 | \$179 | \$179 | \$179 | \$164 | \$176 | \$182 | \$151 | \$102 | \$184 | \$158 | \$143 | \$143 | \$143 | \$143 | \$358 |
| Package Management (cost per fortnight) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Package Management | Level 1 | \$39 | \$39 | \$39 | \$39 | \$39 | \$39 | \$37 | \$42 | \$42 | \$39 | \$42 | \$35 | \$40 | \$42 | \$35 | \$43 |
| | Level 2 | \$70 | \$69 | \$70 | \$70 | \$70 | \$70 | \$69 | \$69 | \$74 | \$74 | \$71 | \$64 | \$68 | \$74 | \$67 | \$76 |
| | Level 3 | \$146 | \$146 | \$148 | \$150 | \$148 | \$148 | \$148 | \$151 | \$150 | \$162 | \$151 | \$140 | \$143 | \$162 | \$137 | \$166 |
| | Level 4 | \$216 | \$213 | \$217 | \$220 | \$220 | \$220 | \$225 | \$229 | \$225 | \$245 | \$229 | \$211 | \$206 | \$246 | \$210 | \$251 |
| Common Services (per standard hour) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Nursing | \$109 | \$110 | \$110 | \$110 | \$110 | \$110 | \$110 | \$110 | \$110 | \$110 | \$110 | \$110 | \$110 | \$110 | \$117 | \$110 | \$117 |
| Light Gardening | \$66 | \$66 | \$67 | \$68 | \$68 | \$66 | \$69 | \$77 | \$68 | \$66 | \$65 | \$65 | \$65 | \$65 | \$65 | \$68 | \$78 |
| In-Home Respite | \$63 | \$63 | \$63 | \$64 | \$64 | \$63 | \$65 | \$64 | \$63 | \$63 | \$65 | \$66 | \$65 | \$66 | \$65 | \$65 | \$65 |
| Personal Care | \$63 | \$63 | \$63 | \$64 | \$64 | \$63 | \$65 | \$65 | \$63 | \$64 | \$65 | \$66 | \$65 | \$66 | \$65 | \$65 | \$65 |
| Cleaning & Household Tasks | \$62 | \$63 | \$63 | \$64 | \$64 | \$63 | \$65 | \$64 | \$63 | \$64 | \$65 | \$66 | \$65 | \$66 | \$65 | \$65 | \$65 |
| Staff Travel Costs to visit recipient (per km) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| % of services that publish an amount greater than \$0 | 46% | 43% | 40% | 41% | 40% | 41% | 42% | 37% | 39% | 40% | 33% | 37% | 26% | 24% | 35% | 34% | |
| Median cost per km for services that publish an amount greater than \$0 | \$1.20 | \$1.20 | \$1.25 | \$1.25 | \$1.25 | \$1.20 | \$1.25 | \$1.30 | \$1.25 | \$1.30 | \$1.25 | \$1.16 | \$1.00 | \$1.30 | \$1.30 | \$1.30 | |
| Exiting Home Care/Changing Provider** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

* A small proportion of providers publish self managed care management costs, therefore the median value is subject to volatility from changes made by a few providers.

** Since 1 January 2023, providers have not been able to charge an [exit amount](#) to care recipients who leave their care. As such, this metric will no longer be tracked in future publications.

- To provide comparability of listed prices across states and territories, median prices for metropolitan Aged Care Planning Regions (ACPR) are shown, providing a representative ACPR for each state and territory.
- Figures reflect what providers list in the My Aged Care Service Finder for prices charged per service type. The provider may not actually currently deliver services to a care recipient in the location but are included if in My Aged Care they advertise as being able to deliver services in the location.

Read more about the [Modified Monash Model](#) (MMM) and [Aged Care Planning Regions](#) (ACPR).