

HOME CARE PACKAGE FEE SCHEDULE

As at: July 2022

HOME CARE PACKAGE CLIENT FEES (Level 1-4)		
Client Contribution	\$0.00	Esperance Home Care does not charge a Daily Care Fee. There will be a charge for services or equipment that exceed the home care package budget.
Income Tested Fee		This fee is means tested and determined by Services Australia for part pensioners and non-pensioners.
Meals on Wheels	\$6.00	Per meal for the food cost (in addition the cost for preparation and delivery are charged to the package)
Centre Meals	\$5.00	Per meal for the food cost (in addition the cost for preparation is charged to the package)

COSTS TO THE PACKAGE

Service	Package Level	Costs Per Fortnight	Comments
Care Management	Level 1	\$57.00	Care management includes the costs involved with: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Coordination and scheduling of services and appointments Reviewing home care agreements and care plans Providing a point of contact for the client and their support network (including access to an out of office hours emergency contact phone) Ensuring the care is aligned with other supports Identifying and addressing risks to the client's safety
	Level 2	\$114.00	
	Level 3	\$228.00	
	Level 4	\$342.00	
Package Management	Level 1	\$35.00	Package management includes the costs involved with: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Preparing monthly statements Managing package funds Compliance and quality assurance activities
	Level 2	\$70.00	
	Level 3	\$105.00	
	Level 4	\$140.00	

Service Type	Fee	Notes
Weekday 1 on 1	\$72.00	Per Hour
Saturday 1 on 1	\$108.00	Per Hour
Sunday 1 on 1	\$144.00	Per Hour
Public Holiday 1 on 1	\$180.00	Per Hour
Group Service	\$24.00	Per Hour
Nursing Service	\$95.00	Per Hour
Nursing Service (Saturday)	\$142.50	Per Hour
Nursing Service (Sunday)	\$190.00	Per Hour
Nursing Service (Public Holiday)	\$237.50	Per Hour

Service Type	Fee	Notes
Overnight Respite (sleep rate)	\$30.00	Per Hour for 9pm – 6am. In the event that a client requires attendance during sleep time there will be a minimum charge of 1 hour at the normal 1:1 rate for that day.
Meals on Wheels	\$9.50	Per Meal for preparation and delivery; an additional \$6 is charged for the food cost. If staff deliver the meal the cost to the package is \$6 for preparation plus cost of staff delivery.
Centre Meal	\$6.00	Per Meal for preparation; and an additional \$5 is charged to the client for the food cost. Main & dessert.
Webster Packing	\$3.50- \$6.70	Per Pack – or rate charged by chemist
Podiatry	\$68.00	Per visit or at cost recovery
Cost for Equipment, Consumables and contract services (eg: contract gardeners, cleaners, etc)		At cost plus the time taken to organise the purchase (at \$72.00 per hour)
Transport Cost	\$0.80 per km	Plus the appropriate hourly rate for the support worker (see above)
Late Notice Cancellation Charges	Hourly Charge	Where a service is cancelled with less than 24 hours notice a charge equivalent to the hourly charge will apply.
Exit Fee	\$400.00	Deducted from any unspent home care amount. If there is no unspent amount the exit fee will not be charged.