

Home Care Packages Services Pricelist

**FEE SCHEDULE
EFFECTIVE**

1 January 2025

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Rates for Services

| Service | Description | Fees | | | |
|---|---|--|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| | | Monday-Friday | Saturday | Sunday | Public Holiday |
| Nursing Service | Clinical care provided by a registered or enrolled nurse. Includes general clinical monitoring, wound care, medication assistance, diabetes management and continence care. | 60 minutes | | | |
| | | \$138.00 | \$204.00 | \$245.00 | \$258.00 |
| | | 30 minutes | | | |
| | | \$94.00 | \$125.50 | \$152.00 | n/a |
| | | Half hour minimum applies and charged at 30 minimum increments thereafter. Public holidays services have a 1 hour minimum. | | | |
| Medication Prompting | This involves a telephone prompt reminding clients to take their medication and any escalation required if the phone prompt is unsuccessful. | \$37.50 | \$37.50 | \$37.50 | \$52.00 |
| | | Price per service. | | | |
| Personal Care | Assistance with personal care such as grooming, bathing and mobility assistance including escorted outings. | \$82.50 | \$124.00 | \$159.00 | \$176.50 |
| | | 1 hour minimum applies. Charged at 30-minute increments thereafter. | | | |
| Home Care | Household duties covering daily tasks such as meal preparation, washing dishes, and making beds as well as unescorted shopping. | \$82.50 | \$124.00 | \$159.00 | \$176.50 |
| | | 1 hour minimum applies. Charged at 30-minute increments thereafter. | | | |
| Respite Care | We will take care of you so your carer can take time to undertake personal duties. | \$82.50 | \$124.00 | \$159.00 | \$176.50 |
| | | 1 hour minimum applies. Charged at 30-minute increments thereafter. | | | |
| Allied Health Home Visit | Includes podiatry, physiotherapy, occupational therapy, diversional therapy delivered in the home environment. | \$170.00 | n/a | n/a | n/a |
| | | 1 hour minimum applies. Charged at 30-minute increments thereafter. Not available weekends and public holidays. | | | |
| Allied Health Clinic Visit | Includes, physiotherapy, occupational therapy, delivered in a clinic setting, excluding podiatry. | \$146.00 | n/a | n/a | n/a |
| | | Charged as per session. Not available weekends and public holidays. | | | |
| Allied Health Follow up/ reporting | Preparing reports following assessment for modifications or equipment and any follow up with suppliers for goods and equipment. | \$146.00 | n/a | n/a | n/a |
| | | Charged at 30 minute intervals | | | |

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| | | Monday-Friday | Saturday | Sunday | Public Holiday |
| Allied Health | Day therapy – group classes. | \$62.00 | n/a | n/a | n/a |
| | | Charged as per session. Not available weekends and public holidays. | | | |
| Allied Health Assistant-Clinic | Allied health assistants work under the direction of Physiotherapists and Exercise Physiologists supporting clients. | \$118.00 | n/a | n/a | n/a |
| | | Charged as per session. Not available weekends and public holidays. | | | |
| Allied Health Assistant-Home visit | Allied health assistants work under the direction of Physiotherapists and Exercise Physiologists supporting clients. | \$130.00 | n/a | n/a | n/a |
| | | 1 hour minimum applies and charged at 30-minute increments thereafter. Not available weekends and public holidays. | | | |
| Podiatry Clinic Visit | Podiatrists assess, diagnose, treat and manage conditions of the feet and legs. | \$110.00 | n/a | n/a | n/a |
| | | Charged as per session. Not available weekends and public holidays. | | | |
| Travel | Client related travel as part of the service e.g., travel to appointments. | \$1.85 per kilometre | | | |
| Social Support Group | Social support Groups and Centre Based Respite provides an opportunity for clients to participate in social interactions away from their home. | \$141.00 | n/a | n/a | n/a |
| | | Per session. If the social support group or centre respite is delivered as an outing cost related to meal and entertainment activities in the outing are excluded from the session fee. | | | |
| Wellbeing and Spiritual Care | Delivered by our Spiritual Care team; services provide wellbeing, social and emotional support and assistance in advanced care plans. | \$89.00 | n/a | n/a | n/a |
| | | 1-hour minimum applies and charged at 30-minute increments thereafter. Not available weekends and public holidays. | | | |
| Overnight Care | Overnight care is when a carer stays with you during the night to support your care needs. | As per individual quote | | | |
| | | Based on care requirements and active hours. | | | |
| 24-hour Care | 24-hour care provides older adults with full-time, around-the-clock care. | As per individual quote | | | |
| | | Based on care requirements and active hours. | | | |
| Gardening | Light gardening such as lawn mowing (plus cost of rubbish/waste removal) | \$60-\$140 | | | |
| | | 1 hour minimum applies. | | | |

Service Cancellations

Baptcare offers clients a reliable and flexible service, however, we have a responsibility to our carers to provide appropriate notice and therefore require a 48 hour notice of cancellation. If a service is cancelled with less than 48 hours' notice, the full service fee will be applicable.

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Home Care Packages Management Fees

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| | Level 1 | Level 2 | Level 3 | Level 4 |
|--|----------|----------|------------|------------|
| Total government subsidy per fortnight | \$409.92 | \$720.86 | \$1,568.98 | \$2,378.60 |

Package management fees

This fee covers the cost of administration and organisational activities involved in managing your Home Care Package, including preparing your Home Care Package statements, claiming, and reporting through government systems, and compliance and quality checks. This is calculated daily and charged as a monthly fee which will be detailed on your Home Care Package monthly statement.

Care management fees

This fee relates to the ongoing assessment and planning undertaken to ensure that you receive the care and services you need. This includes:

- regular assessments of your needs, goals and preferences
- reviewing of your home care agreement and care plan
- ensuring your care and services are aligned with other supports
- partnering with you and your representative about your care and services
- identifying and addressing risks related to your safety, health and wellbeing.

From 1 July 2024, the Living Well Fees Schedule for case management and package management.

| Living Well | fee per fortnight | Level 1 | Level 2 | Level 3 | Level 4 |
|---------------------------|-------------------|----------|----------|------------|------------|
| Package Management Costs | | \$61.46 | \$108.08 | \$235.34 | \$356.72 |
| Care Management Services | | \$61.46 | \$108.08 | \$235.34 | \$356.72 |
| Baptcare total deductions | | \$122.92 | \$216.16 | \$470.68 | \$713.44 |
| Remaining funds (\$) | | \$287.00 | \$504.70 | \$1,098.30 | \$1,665.16 |

Income Tested Care Fee

If you are a part pensioner or self-funded retiree, you may need to pay an income tested fee. This is a fee that is assessed and set by the Commonwealth Government. Services Australia calculates this fee, and it reduces the subsidy the government provides for your home care package. If you are assessed and required to pay the income tested care fee, Baptcare will collect this fee on behalf of the Commonwealth Government.

Fees not charged by Baptcare

- Establishment fee: No initial set-up costs to come on-board.
- Basic daily fee: We don't ask you to contribute to the cost of your services through this out-of-pocket fee.

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